## IVAN ŠRAMKO GOVERNOR OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF SLOVAKIA





On Saturday 1st January 2005, the President of the Slovak Republic, Ivan Gašparovič, with the participation of the prime minister of Slovakia, Mikuláš Dzurinda, ceremonially appointed Ing. Ivan Šramko to the function of Governor of the National Bank of Slovakia.

Ivan Šramko was a Deputy Governor of the NBS from 11th January 2002. He was appointed function bank on 2004 by the Nation the Slovathe progovernme Republic. Ivan Šra Governo since its His pred

appointed to the highest function in the central bank on 10th December 2004 by the members of the National Council of the Slovak Republic on the proposal of the government of the Slovak Republic.

Ivan Šramko is the third Governor of the NBS since its origin in 1993. His predecessors were Vladimír Masár (1993 – 1999) and Marián Jusko (1999 – 2004).

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

Mr Ivan Šramko was born on 3 September 1957 in Bratislava.

In 1980 he graduated from the University of Economics in Bratislava, Faculty of Management. Between 1981 and 1990 he worked as Head of financial units in several corporations.

From 1990 to 1991 Mr Šramko was Deputy Director of VÚB — ING, a.s. (advisory banking company). In 1991 — 1992 he was appointed Head of the Task Force of the VÚB Bank establishing the joint venture of VÚB — Credit Lyonnais. Betwe-

en 1992 and 1998 he held the position of General Manager of Istrobanka, a.s. (subsidiary of Bank für Arbeit und Wirtschaft AG, Vienna, the then-subsidiary of Slovenská poisťovňa, a.s., Bratislava), and was Deputy Chairman and later Chairman of its Board of Directors. From 1998 Mr Šramko was a member of the management of Tatra banka, a.s. (subsidiary of Raiffeisen International Bank-



Holding AG, Vienna, the then-subsidiary of Raiffeisen Bank, Vienna), and from 2000 to 2002 a member of its Board of Directors.

From 11 January 2002 to 31 December 2004 Mr Šramko served as a Deputy Governor of the National Bank of Slovakia. He was appointed Governor of the NBS effective from 1 January 2005.

Mr Šramko is a Member of the General Council of the European Central Bank, a Governor in the International Monetary Fund and an Alternate Governor in the

European Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

Since 1998 he has been a member of the Board of the Slovak-Austrian Chamber of Commerce and since 2003 a Chairman of the Managing Board of the University of Economics in Bratislava.

He is married and has three children.

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