

NEW VICE-GOVERNOR HAS BEEN NAMED BY THE PRESIDENT

President of the Slovak Republic Rudolf Schuster named Mr Ivan Šramko as a new Vice-Governor of the National Bank of Slovakia on 11 January 2002. The nomination of Ivan Šramko was agreed by the Government and approved by Parliament, The National Council of the Slovak Republic, in December 2001.

The Governor of the NBS, Mr Marián Jusko, and the Minister of Economy, Mr Ľubomír Harach, were present at the ceremony in the Presidential Palace.



CURRICULUM VITAE OF THE NBS VICE-GOVERNOR IVAN ŠRAMKO

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

In 1980 he graduated from the University of Economics in Bratislava. Between 1981 and 1990 he worked for Railways Constructions, Bratislava, and AVEX, a. s., as a head of financial units. From 1990 to 1991 he was Deputy Director of VÚB ING, a. s. (banking consulting company). In 1991 – 1992 he was Head of the Task Force establishing the joined banking institution VÚB – Credit Lyonnais within the VÚB. In the years 1992 – 1998 he was General Director of Istrobanka, a. s., and Deputy Chairman and later Chairman of the



Managing Board. From 1998 he was a member of the management of Tatrabanka, a. s., Bratislava, and from 2000 a member of the Tatrabanka Managing Board.

Ivan Šramko is Chairman of the Supervisory Board of the Banking Association of the Slovak Republic and since 1998 he has been a member of the management of the Slovak-Austrian Chamber of Commerce.

He is married and has three children.

On 11 January 2002 the President of the Slovak Republic, Rudolf Schuster, appointed him a Vice-Governor of the National Bank of Slovakia.