

Summary of Proposed Changes to the Executive Board Remuneration System

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Revision of the Remuneration System for the Executive Board Key objectives and their implementation

Objectives

Strict limitation of the discretionary scope of the Supervisory Board

Focusing on sustainable and long-term development of KION

Strengthening of the strategic focus

Implementation

Elimination of special bonus

Elimination of individual performance multiplier in LTI

Smaller range of individual performance multiplier in STI

Extension of LTI term to four years (three-year performance and one-year waiting period)

Continuation of ESG-targets both in STI and LTI

Efficient use of capital is a key objective of corporate strategy, thus weighting for ROCE in LTI is increased

Adjustments to the Remuneration System for the Executive Board Overview of key changes





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Adjustments to the Short Term Incentive

The range of the individual performance multiplier is reduced





Adjustments to the Long Term Incentive



The term is increased to 4 years, the individual multiplier is eliminated, the TSR target achievement calculation is aligned with market practice



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Summary of adjustments and their rationale

Remuneration Component	Adjustment	Rationale
Short Term Incentive (STI)	Adjustment of the range of the individual performance multiplier from 0.7 to 1.3 to 0.8 to 1.2.	Limitation of the Supervisory Board's discretionary scope and adjustment to market practice.
	Specification of the categories for selecting individual performance criteria in the remuneration system.	Differentiated promotion of the efficient implementation of strategy-relevant targets at an individual level.
Long Term Incentive (LTI)	• Extension of the term from three to four years through the introduction of a one-year waiting period following the three-year performance period.	Increased focus on the sustainable and long-term development of the company. Consideration of the recommendations of the German Corporate Governance Code.
	• Removal of the individual performance multiplier.	 Reduction of the Supervisory Board's discretionary scope. In line with market practice, individual targets are only taken into account in the STI.
	• Adjustment of the weighting of ROCE from 40% to 50% and of the relative total shareholder return from 40% to 30%.	 Focus on long-term efficient use of capital, a key objective of the adjusted corporate strategy.
	Adjustment of the target achievement curve of the relative total shareholder return.	The new target achievement curve for relative total shareholder return ensures a balanced risk/reward profile and is in line with market practice in Germany.
	Increase in the payout cap from 200% to 250% of the allocation amount.	The increase in the payout cap also incentivizes a significant increase in the share price in cases of high target achievement. Target achievement is still capped at 200%.
Special remuneration	Removing the possibility of special remuneration.	Reduction of discretionary scope to strengthen the pay-for-performance approach.

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