

SYNGENTA AG
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Washington, D.C. 20549

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For the month of April 2012

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SYNGENTA AG
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Schwarzwaldallee 215
4058 Basel
Switzerland
(Address of principal executive offices)

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Re: SYNGENTA AG

Disclosure: "Syngenta holds Annual General Meeting"

Herewith we furnish a press release related to Syngenta AG. The full text of the press release is the following:

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Basel, Switzerland, April 24, 2012

Syngenta holds Annual General Meeting

At the Annual General Meeting of Syngenta AG on April 24, 2012, the 1,003 shareholders representing 33.61% of the total shares approved all the motions proposed by the Board of Directors.

Shareholders approved a dividend of CHF 8.00 per share for the business year 2011, an increase of 14% over the previous year.

Shareholders also approved a reduction of share capital to CHF 9,312,614.90 through the cancellation of the 636,750 shares repurchased by the Company in 2011 within the scope of the approved repurchase program.

Pierre Landolt and Rolf Watter stepped down from the Board, having completed their term of office. Syngenta Chairman Martin Taylor said: "On behalf of the Board, I would like to thank both for their outstanding contribution to the Company. Their considerable experience and sound guidance have been instrumental in our collective success."

Vinita Bali, Managing Director & CEO of Britannia Industries, Gunnar Brock, Chairman of Stora Enso, Mölnlycke Health Care and Rolling Optics, and Michel Demaré, Chief Financial Officer of ABB, were elected as new members of the Board of Directors.

Stefan Borgas, Peggy Bruzelius, David Lawrence and Jürg Witmer were re-elected to the Board. Following a recent decision of the Board of Directors, Jürg Witmer was confirmed as Vice Chairman of the Syngenta Board of Directors.

Syngenta is one of the world's leading companies with more than 26,000 employees in over 90 countries dedicated to our purpose: Bringing plant potential to life. Through world-class science, global reach and commitment to our customers we help to increase crop productivity, protect the environment and improve health and quality of life. For more information about us please go to www.syngenta.com.

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Note to the editor:

The speech of the Chairman, the presentation of the CEO and images of the Annual General Meeting can be found at www.syngenta.com/agm2012.

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Date: April 24, 2012

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