
Newheat appoints Ignace de Prest as Chief Executive Officer

Newheat, leading provider of competitive, carbon-free heating solutions for industries and district heating networks, announces the appointment of Ignace de Prest as Chief Executive Officer, effective early January.

With over 20 years of experience in energy, international development and project financing, he joins Newheat to lead the company's transformation as it expands its value proposition around competitive, carbon-free heating solutions.

Before joining Newheat, Ignace de Prest was Chairman of the Executive Board and CEO of Sunna Design, an international player in solar lighting. He previously held several management positions at Schneider Electric in the solar and energy storage sectors, after starting his career in venture capital, supporting the development of innovative companies in the energy sector.

Co-founder of Newheat, Pierre Delmas is handing over the presidency to Ignace de Prest in order to refocus on technical management and innovation, while continuing his role on the company's strategic committee.

At a time when heating remains heavily carbon-intensive and accounts for nearly half of global final energy consumption, Newheat aims to be the partner of choice for decarbonising industrial and district heating networks. Drawing on its unique model and expertise, the company deploys solutions that combine economic performance with emissions reduction.



Caption : Ignace de Prest, CEO of Newheat. ***Credit*** : Newheat..

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About Newheat: Founded in 2015, Newheat is a renewable heat supplier and the leader in solar heat in France. The company offers innovative decarbonisation solutions for large heat consumers, large industrial sites and district heating networks. Its business is to develop, design, build, finance and operate projects that can combine waste heat recovery, solar thermal energy, short- and long-term thermal storage systems, industrial heat pumps and, if necessary, the combustion of renewable resources. Based in Bordeaux, the company currently has seven sites in operation with a total capacity of 40 MW. Newheat now has 50 employees. www.newheat.com