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Peter Bakker is a distinguished business leader who until June 2011 was the CEO of TNT NV the Netherlands based holding company of TNT Express and Royal TNT Post (formerly TPG Post). At end of May 2011, TNT NV was split in two separately listed companies: TNT Express NV and PostNL NV. Peter lead the demerger of TNT and, after its completion, stepped down and left the TNT group on June 1, 2011.

Under his leadership, TNT became a leader in Corporate Responsibility with a ground-breaking partnership with the UN World Food Program, ambitious CO_2 reduction targets from its *Planet Me* initiative and multiple year leading positions in the Dow Jones Sustainability Index.

Peter joined Royal TPG Post in 1991 and was appointed Financial Director of its parcels business unit in 1993. He was appointed Financial Control Director of TPG Post in 1996 and became a member of the Board of Management of TPG Post in 1997. Since the split of TPG N.V. from Koninklijke PTT Nederland N.V. until his appointment as CEO in 2001, Peter was Chief Financial Officer and a member of the TPG Board of Management.

Peter is a respected leader in Corporate Responsibility. He was the recipient of the Clinton Global Citizen Award in 2009; SAM Sustainability Leadership Award in 2010, and UN's WFP Ambassador Against Hunger in 2011. In addition, he is the Chairman of War Child Netherlands.

Peter holds a Masters degree in Business Economics from the Erasmus University in Rotterdam and a Bachelor Degree in Business Administration from the HTS Alkmaar.

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