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## Generational Change at the Pianofortemanufaktur Sauter

Dear Sir or Madame,

After being managing director for 30 years, Otto Hott is retiring from his position at the Pianofortemanufaktur Sauter. He hands over his role to his son Dr. Christian Hott. Under the leadership of Otto Hott, Sauter introduced a number of innovations and new design lines and thereby established the brand in the premium class internationally.

Dr. Christian Hott became managing director of the Pianofortemanufaktur Sauter in January 2024. The 50 years old economist is married and father of three children. For many years he worked in the financial sector and political consulting. Under his management, the world's oldest piano maker will remain to stand for highest quality standards, Made in Germany, high in-house production depth, exclusive design and, of course, the unique Sauter sound.

We are looking forward to an ongoing successful collaboration.

With kind regards,

Otto Hott Dr. Christian Hott