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News release

Evan Davidge, prominent corporate rewards expert, joins Vebnet after establishing independent consultancy

Evan Davidge, a prominent corporate rewards expert, has left his role at Nationwide Building Society to establish himself as an independent consultant, most notably joining Vebnet on a retained basis. Davidge is recognised for his in depth experience in Reward strategy and implementation, especially in the field of flexible benefits.

Gerry O'Neill, CEO of Vebnet, explains, "Evan is now working with Vebnet on a retained basis so that we can use his skills to help shape, create and implement new services and products for our customers. His combined knowledge of corporate rewards implementation and flexible benefits is second to none, so his experience will quickly feed through to our clients, to help create the results they need to retain and motivate employees".

Evan Davidge adds, “Working with Vebnet has become a key focus of my new independent role. It provides me with an ideal platform to work with some of the best-known companies in the UK to help meet their reward strategies. I very much aim to work closely with Vebnet to develop new and exciting rewards solutions that will deliver value, while communicating and reinforcing HR and business goals”.

Vebnet is attracting other industry heavyweights. Marcus Underhill, a leading flexible benefits expert, has joined Vebnet as Head of Flexible Benefits Consulting. His role enables Vebnet’s direct customers to draw on his experience, support and expertise. Marcus was previously a European partner and European head of flexible benefits consulting for Mercer HR Consulting.

Jacqui Anderson and Paul Brown, experienced organisational ‘insiders’ who gained their expertise at HBOS, the UK’s largest mortgage and savings provider, have also joined to create a client services team.

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About Vebnet

Vebnet specialises in the development, deployment and support of internet based technology for flexible benefits and total reward statements. Founded in 2000 and subsequently listed on AIM (2003), Vebnet has rapidly become the leading provider of this technology. Through significant, specialist experience of the employee benefits market, Vebnet is able to identify the real business case behind implementing flexible benefits. This ensures that clients are able to achieve a rapid return on investment. Vebnet launched its FIX&FLEX product in 2002, which is now distributed via leading benefit consultants and a range of other strategic partners. **Customers include The AA, Britannia Building Society, Heineken, Informa, JPMorgan, Nationwide, PWC, KPMG, SonyBMG and Virgin.**

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- » For HR, Vebnet solutions simplify benefits administration and strengthen reporting and management capabilities, aiding the campaign to recruit, motivate and retain employees.
- » For employees, Vebnet solutions enable organisations to provide appealing and valued benefit choices and show individuals just how much investment is made into their benefit packages. Access is available 24/7 with internet connection for an intuitive and engaging experience.
- » For global companies, Vebnet solutions provide the functionality to offer benefits to employees internationally, online and in multi-currency formats.