

## News release

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## Appointment at the Bank of England

The Bank of England's Court of Directors has appointed John Footman as an Executive Director. He will be responsible for all of the Bank's Central Service functions, and will be a member of the Bank's senior Executive Team.

## Notes to Editors

John Footman (50) joined the Bank in 1969 and has worked across most of the Bank's main functions. Following a secondment to establish the Securities and Investments Board, he became Private Secretary to the Governor (1986-89), Head of the Press Office (1989-97) - including (1994-97) Secretary of the Bank and Deputy Director for Financial Stability (1997-99). Since 1999 he has been the Bank's Director of Personnel.