

## Chief of Public and Government Affairs Vladimír Mlynář to leave PPF

PPF Group announces that Vladimír Mlynář will leave his position as Chief of Public and Government Affairs as of 31 December 2023. However, he will continue to work with PPF Group as an external advisor on selected projects.

“Working at PPF has been the most exciting thing I have ever done professionally. The opportunity to work with Petr Kellner was especially a truly exceptional life experience. I have met great people at PPF, learned and understood a lot, which is why I spent by far the longest part of my working life here. I am very grateful for that, but now it is time for new challenges in my life,” said Vladimír Mlynář on his departure.

PPF Group CEO Jiří Šmejc added: “We’ve been meeting Vladimír for more than ten years on various PPF Group projects. Working with him has always been professional and very rewarding from a human point of view. I thank him very much for everything he has done for the Group over the years.”

Vladimír Mlynář was responsible for PPF Group’s external relations for thirteen years and was one of Petr Kellner’s close associates. He joined PPF in 2010. Before that, he worked as a journalist, repeatedly served as a minister, a member of parliament and as chief advisor to the Prime Minister of the Czech Republic.

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