

The Earl of Home - Member of the Board



The Earl of Home has been Chairman of Coutts & Co since 1 June 1999 and became Chairman of Coutts Bank (Switzerland) Limited (now RBS Coutts), on 8 March 2000. He was appointed Chairman of Grosvenor Group Limited in May 2007 and retired from this position in December 2010. He has wide experience of the banking sector and, having joined Morgan Grenfell in 1966, was appointed Director of Morgan Grenfell & Co Limited (now Deutsche Securities Limited) in 1972. He assumed responsibility for the International Division of the bank in 1983. He was then appointed to a number of other international positions at Morgan Grenfell, becoming a Director of Morgan Grenfell Group PLC in 1996 and Chairman of Deutsche Morgan Grenfell Group PLC in 1999.

Lord Home has held a number of other non-Executive and public positions including Director of the Agricultural Mortgage Corporation PLC, between 1980 and 1993, Chairman of MAN Limited (retired July 2009), President of the British Malaysian Society (appointed in 2001) and Chairman of the Committee for Middle East Trade (retired in 1992). He is an active Member of the House of Lords and was a front bench spokesman on Trade, Industry and Finance until 1998.

Lord Home was educated at Oxford University.