

Manpower Inc. Names Francoise Gri as President of Manpower France

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MILWAUKEE, Feb 28, 2007 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- Manpower Inc. (NYSE: MAN) today named Francoise Gri as president of its French operating unit, which accounted for \$6 billion, or 34 percent, of its total revenues in 2006. Gri, 49, joins Manpower in March, coming from IBM where she was president and director general of its France and North Africa division. In both 2005 and 2006, she was named to Fortune's 50 Most Powerful Women in Business -- International.

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"Francoise is a high caliber individual who will clearly enhance Manpower France's already strong management team and will enable us to maintain the momentum that we have built in France long into the future," said Jeffrey A. Joerres, chairman and CEO of Manpower Inc.

During her 26-year tenure with IBM, she has held various leadership roles including: regional general manager of France, Belgium and Luxembourg; vice president of marketing and channels software for IBM EMEA; and executive of e-business solutions for IBM EMEA.

A graduate of ENSIMAG in Grenoble, France, Gri also holds a number of leadership positions in business and academic circles.

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