

VODAFONE GROUP PUBLIC LTD CO

Form 6-K

November 25, 2002

## **Form 6-K**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

### **Report of Foreign Private Issuer**

**Pursuant to Rules 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Dated November 25, 2002**

### **VODAFONE GROUP PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**THE COURTYARD, 2-4 LONDON ROAD, NEWBURY, BERKSHIRE, RG14 1JX, ENGLAND**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes  No

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This Report on Form 6-K contains a press release issued by Vodafone Group Plc on November 25, 2002, entitled VODAFONE GROUP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE .

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**VODAFONE GROUP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Vodafone Group Plc ( Vodafone ) announces today that Brian Clark has been appointed Chief Executive of Vodafone 's new Asia Pacific Region with effect from 1 January 2003. The Asia Pacific Region comprises all of Vodafone 's interests in Japan, Australia, New Zealand, China, India and Fiji. Brian Clark will be based at the Regional Headquarters in Tokyo, Japan. Prior to joining Vodafone in 1997, Brian Clark was Chief Executive Officer of Telkom (Pty) Ltd in South Africa. He is currently a member of the Group Executive Committee and Chief Executive of Vodafone 's Pacific Region.

Bill Keever, currently Chief Executive of Vodafone 's Asia Region, has decided to retire and will leave the company in the first half of 2003. He has made a significant contribution to the growth of the Group, firstly with the successful merger of AirTouch and more recently the integration and reorganisation of Japan Telecom and J-Phone.

These changes to the composition of Vodafone 's Group Executive Committee will not alter the Group 's segmental analysis of its financial results. All direct reports for both regions will, from 1 January 2003, report to Brian Clark as Chief Executive of the Asia Pacific Region.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

VODAFONE GROUP  
PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY  
(Registrant)

Dated: November 25, 2002

By: /s/ S R SCOTT  
Name: Stephen R. Scott  
Title: Company Secretary