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**150 years of railways in Olten – Wertpapierwelt
joins in the celebrations:
Open House Day on 17 June 2006**

Olten, 13 June 2006 – Olten is celebrating 150 years of railways. Wertpapierwelt museum will take part in this jubilee event and open its doors for visitors between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm. The current exhibition reveals how modern means of transportation received their initial impetus from public limited companies.

The exhibition titled "Higher – faster – further" presents a cross-section of securities and facts to do with the history of mobility on land and water, and in the air. Several realistic models from Switzerland's Museum of Transport, along with typical background noises from the world of mobility, carry the visitor away on an exciting journey through time and space.

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Wertpapierwelt museum

"Wertpapierwelt" is the name of the museum of the charitable foundation "Historical Securities Collection", an initiative launched by SIS Swiss Financial Services Group AG.

The collection comprises more than 7,000 exhibits from over 100 countries. Wertpapierwelt conveys the highly diverse nature of historical securities in changing thematic exhibitions. In so doing, it strives to make the public more aware of the economic significance of the public limited company from its beginnings to the present day. The current exhibition "Higher – faster – further" runs till April 2007.

Address: Wertpapierwelt, Baslerstrasse 90, 4600 Olten, Switzerland
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Opening hours: every Tuesday and Wednesday from 09:30 am to 5:00 pm; guided tours for groups are available upon request.

Further information: www.wertpapierwelt.ch