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# BRANZ announces appointment of new CEO

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### **BRANZ - Who We Are**

**BRANZ** is NZ's leading provider of research, testing, information and educational services for the building and construction industry. BRANZ draws approximately 45% of its income from the Building Research Levy.

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BRANZ Chair, Dr Helen Anderson announced today the appointment of the new BRANZ Group Chief Executive Officer, Chelydra Percy.

Chelydra comes to BRANZ from Callaghan Innovation where she was the General Manager for Future Products and Innovation.

"BRANZ is fortunate to have secured someone as experienced as Chelydra for the CEO position and we are looking forward to her starting with us on November 18<sup>th</sup>. The BRANZ Board are excited to be working with Chelydra to continue the growth of the organisation"

Helen continues "With a strong background in science management and strategic skills developed during her time at Scion and as Chief Executive for the Electricity Supply ITO and Kiwi Star Optics, Chelydra brings an excellent package of leadership skills to BRANZ"

Chelydra says "BRANZ is a strong and well recognised organisation within New Zealand's building industry. I am really looking forward to working with the team to increase the level of quality knowledge and information we deliver for industry benefit"

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