

ING GROEP NV  
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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, DC 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**Report of Foreign Private Issuer**

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

For February 25, 2003

**ING Groep N.V.**  
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The Netherlands

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**PRESS RELEASE**

Amsterdam, 25 February 2003

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### **Claus Dieter Hoffmann nominated as a member Supervisory Board ING Group**

The Supervisory Board of ING Group intends to appoint Dr. Claus Dieter Hoffmann (60, German nationality) as a member of the Supervisory Board as from 15 April 2003.

Claus Dieter Hoffmann was a member of the Board of Management of Robert Bosch GmbH until his retirement on 30 June 2002. From 1996 until his retirement he was the CFO of the Bosch Group. Since he joined Bosch in 1973, Mr. Hoffmann held various positions in Controlling, Sales and Purchasing in the Bosch Group, both in Europe and Overseas. Since his retirement Mr. Hoffmann is managing partner of H+H Senior Advisors GmbH, specialising in strategic advice to family-owned enterprises. He is a member of the Supervisory Board of VBH AG, listed on the Deutsche Börse (German stock exchange). Mr. Hoffmann is the author of publications on the management aspects of multinational corporations and on the prospects of the Asian economies.

The Central Workers Council of ING Group has given a positive advice about the intended appointment. The appointment is subject to approval from the Dutch Central Bank and the Dutch Pension and Insurance Board and will be an agenda item at the General Meeting of Shareholders of ING Group, to be held on Tuesday, 15 April 2003.

Mrs. Lutgart van den Berghe and Mr. Mijndert Ververs will step down as members of the Supervisory Board of ING Group as per 15 April 2003. They are not eligible for reappointment because they have reached the maximum term of 12 years on the Supervisory Board. Mr. Hans Tietmeyer will also step down as a Supervisory Board member, having reached the statutory age limit of 72. In the same meeting the reappointments of Messrs. Paul van der Heijden, Aad Jacobs and Jan Timmer will be discussed.

After 15 April 2003, the Supervisory Board of ING Group will consist of:

Cor Herkströter, Chairman  
Luella Gross Goldberg  
Paul van der Heijden  
Claus Dieter Hoffmann  
Aad Jacobs  
Wim Kok  
Godfried van der Lugt  
Paul Baron de Meester  
Johan Stekelenburg  
Jan Timmer  
Karel Vuursteen

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## **SIGNATURE**

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.

ING Groep N.V.  
(Registrant)

By:           /s/ D.C. van Wassenauer          

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By: /s/ C.F. Drabbe

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Dated: February 25, 2003

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