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Canton Schwyz - Top Ten Locational Advantages

Business-friendly environ-

ment

The cantonal council's economic strategy aims to rank Canton Schwyz among Switzerland's most attractive cantons for business

and residency.

Central location Canton Schwyz is in the centre of Switzerland and forms part of

the Zurich economic region.

Superb transport links Canton Schwyz lies directly at the juncture of the north-south and

east-west road and rail axes. Zurich International Airport is reachable in 35 to 60 minutes for direct flights to around 120 destina-

tions in Europe and overseas.

Long-term favourable tax

regime

Canton Schwyz ranks amongst Switzerland and Europe's most taxfavoured destinations for legal entities and natural persons. The canton's solid financial situation guarantees a stable, low-level tax

regime.

Tax reliefs In Canton Schwyz, tax relief may be granted in special cases for up

to ten financial years for new companies moving into the canton or for resident companies with a significant change in their business

activities.

Equity The financial starting position is excellent. A solid equity base

allows facing the future financial challenges with confidence.

Qualified workforce Canton Schwyz benefits from a highly qualified workforce. A large

number of renowned institutions of learning turns out well-trained

personnel.

Foreign specialists Companies in Canton Schwyz can avail themselves of a pragmatic

authorisation process for work and residency permits.

First-class standard of living Canton Schwyz is a region featuring a high standard of living and

offers wide-ranging sports, leisure and cultural opportunities

alongside beautiful natural scenery.

Efficient administration Moving in and resident companies benefit from target-oriented

consulting services offered by the cantonal administration.