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## Whistleblower Bradley Birkenfeld attacks UBS



The former UBS banker Bradley Birkenfeld is raising the mood against the big bank via a newspaper advertisement.

Benoit Tessier / Reuters

*alx* . The ex-UBS banker and whistleblower Bradley Birkenfeld attacks his former employer in a full-page advertisement in the “Tamedia” newspapers, one day before the UBS general meeting. He wrote a letter to UBS shareholders, clients and employees as well as to Swiss taxpayers.

"The UBS shareholders continue to stand for the massive financial burden of gigantic fines and fines of several million

dollars that UBS has to pay for its repeatedly illegal practices worldwide," writes Birkenfeld. And wonders why Swiss taxpayers have to pay for the machinations of UBS.

The letter does not contain any news and therefore reads more as an advertisement for Birkenfeld's book, which he advertises on his website.

Read about it: «The devil's banker» against the rest of the world

## Amazon boss Bezos is in favor of higher corporate taxes

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Amazon boss Jeff Bezos is in favor of higher taxes.

Joshua Roberts / Reuters

*(dpa)* Der weltgrösste Onlinehändler Amazon steht seit langem wegen Steuervermeidung in der Kritik, jetzt spricht sich ausgerechnet Konzernchef Jeff Bezos für höhere Abgaben aus. «Wir unterstützen eine Anhebung des