

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **New Partner in Munich: Thomas Krempl joins Luther**

**Munich, 15 December 2009 – Thomas Krempl (50), currently a partner with TaylorWessing, will join the Munich office of Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH on 1 January 2010, where he will be responsible for the Corporate division.**

In addition to his legal education, Thomas Krempl has a degree in business administration and is authorized to practice both as a lawyer and as a tax adviser. During his entire career as a lawyer, Thomas Krempl has always worked for large German and international law firms in Munich. The focus of his work is on providing transaction advice in connection with asset and share deals (buy-side and sell-side), on restructurings and reorganisations, as well as on advising corporate bodies on management issues.

“My decision to join Luther has been greatly influenced by this law firm’s emphasis on an entrepreneurial and inter-disciplinary approach. Luther’s tax-law focus and membership in Taxand, an international network of tax firms, suit my personal focus,” said Krempl when asked about his reasons for joining Luther. He added that he also found Luther’s expansion strategy for its Munich office convincing.

Dr. André Große Vorholt, head of Luther’s Munich office, regards the recruitment of Krempl as a further important step in the office’s systematic expansion: “Our two partners Eike Fietz and Reinhard Willemsen, who moved from other Luther offices to Munich some years ago, have already been very successful in the Munich Corporate market. With

Thomas Krempl we have recruited not only a partner with excellent professional knowledge and experience, but also an established lawyer in Munich who has built up an impressive network of contacts over the last 20 years. Thomas Krempl will therefore strengthen our local Corporate division and our Munich office as a whole considerably and is an important contribution to our continued growth.”

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### **Brief Profile of Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH**

Luther is one of the leading German commercial law firms providing comprehensive services in all the relevant fields of legal and tax consulting. The full-service law firm employs more than 320 lawyers and tax advisors and is represented at 12 German economic centres and at important investment locations in Europe and Asia with its five international offices in Brussels, Budapest, Istanbul, Shanghai and Singapore. Our clients include medium-sized enterprises and large corporations, as well as the public sector. Luther is also part of the PMLG international group of law firms and is the German member of Taxand, a worldwide network of independent tax firms.

Luther is a law firm with an entrepreneurial approach: our innovative awareness aspires us to provide our clients with customised legal advice that addresses individual needs and delivers the greatest possible economic benefit. Our lawyers and tax advisors have a solid understanding of interdisciplinary matters and a wealth of experience in collaborating on complex tasks.

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