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## Luther strengthens its Real Estate Practice in Berlin

**In the New Year, Luther is strengthening its partnership in Berlin with Jens Bock and Doreen König. Both are notaries and have many years of experience in real estate law. Florian Schwuchow will also join them as Counsel. All three come from the Berlin Law Firm SammlerUsinger, which is primarily active in real estate law.**

Jens Bock is an attorney and civil law notary. After studying law at the University of Bochum and completing his legal clerkship at the Superior Court of Justice, he was admitted to the bar in 1989 and appointed notary in 1998. He started his career at Linklaters and predecessor law firms and joined SammlerUsinger in 2009.

Doreen König is an attorney and civil law notary as well. After studying law at Berlin's Humboldt University, she began her professional career at Clifford Chance before joining SammlerUsinger in 2009.

In addition to their work as notaries, Bock and König are particularly active in the real estate transaction business, in advising on real estate project developments and in the area of commercial tenancy law.

The trio's clients include well-known companies, in particular national and international real estate investors, project developers, family offices with a focus on real estate, facility managers as well as banks and insurance companies. They match and complement Luther's strategic industry focus.

"We are very pleased that we have been able to win Jens Bock, Doreen König and their team for Luther and that we are thus able to prominently expand our real estate law advice", says Elisabeth Lepique, Co-Managing Partner at Luther. "With these two new

additions, Luther will now have seven notaries public in Berlin", adds Dr. Markus Sengpiel, Co-Managing Partner at Luther. "The experience and knowledge of the new team is a real asset for us and our clients".

## **Brief Profile Luther**

Luther is a leading German commercial law firm that offers comprehensive legal and tax services. The full-service law firm, which has been awarded by JUVE as "Law Firm of the Year 2019", employs more than 420 lawyers and tax advisors and is represented at 10 German economic centres and at 10 important investment locations and financial centres\* in Europe and Asia. Our clients are medium-sized enterprises and large corporations, as well as the public sector.

Luther works closely with other commercial law firms in all the prevailing jurisdictions worldwide. On the Continent, Luther is part of a group of independent leading law firms who have worked together for many years on joint cross-border projects.

Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH is a law firm with a business 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. Further information is available at: [www.luther-lawfirm.com](http://www.luther-lawfirm.com)

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