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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### 10 New Partners Appointed at Luther

Cologne, June 20, 2008 – Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft appoints ten new partners as of July 1, 2008.

The new partners are: Eva Einfeldt (Labor Law, Cologne), Dr. Oliver Kairies (Corporate, Hanover), Karsten Köhler (Corporate, Leipzig), Ole-Jochen Melchior (Commercial, Essen), Dr. Michael Rath (IP/IT, Cologne), Claudia Schoppen (Corporate, Essen), Dr. Florian Schulz (Corporate, Hamburg), Claudia Strohe (Corporate, Eschborn), Dr. Gregor Wecker (Corporate, Köln) und Dr. Angelika Yates (Corporate, Cologne).

Managing Partner Dr. Stefan Kraus comments: "Our continuing growth is reflected in the huge number of partner appointments. We also prove our commitment to give young colleagues a perspective and real chance of partnership. Admission to partnership is a realistic goal for each committed and efficient attorney or tax advisor who pursues our business-oriented approach to consulting. This clear-cut career opportunity is part of our corporate identity and part of our success story."

#### Brief Profile of Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH

Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH employs approximately 280 lawyers and tax advisors in Germany and operates in all economically relevant fields of legal and tax consulting, with its own offices at 13 German locations, as well as in Brussels, Budapest, Istanbul, Shanghai and Singapore. Its clients include medium-sized enterprises and large corporations, as well as the public sector. Luther is part of the PMLG international group of law firms (Pinsent Masons Luther Group) and is the German member of Taxand, a worldwide network of independent tax firms.

Further information is available at: www.luther-lawfirm.com

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