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First Specialist Lawyer Graduated from „Luther Law School“

Cologne/Hamburg, April 2, 2008 – Since more than a year Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft and its „Luther Law School“ are offering a training program for professionals aiming to become a specialist lawyer for commercial and corporate law. The first graduate, Dr. Florian Schulz of Hamburg’s Luther location, has now been admitted as a specialist lawyer.

Professors from various universities as well as experienced partners of the law firm are lecturers of this inhouse course, which is structured according to the rules and regulations on specialist attorneys. For the seminar sections about tax and accounting, Luther has been successful in gaining tax consultants and auditors from various fields.

The course is especially designed for Luther’s junior associates, but it is also open for external participants.

20 junior attorneys have graduated so far. The second annual seminar is currently taking place and will be finished in the summer of 2008.

In addition to the advanced training in commercial and corporate law, Luther’s training initiative, the Luther Law School, offers special training in the fields of legal transaction consulting, labor law as well as competition, trademark and copyright law.

Brief Profile of Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH

The firm Luther Rechtsanwaltsgesellschaft mbH employs approximately 260 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.

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