

HEUSSEN Stuttgart Keeps Expanding in Real Estate/Construction & Insurance Law

Munich, Jan. 12, 2021 The HEUSSEN Corporate Law Firm continues to expand its real estate and construction law practice at its Stuttgart office. Likewise, the firm has been busy amplifying its insurance and liability law practice.

Starting January 2022, Torsten Prokoph joins HEUSSEN's real estate & construction law practice as a partner. There, among the firm's other partners, Mr. Prokoph will meet two former colleagues of his, namely Y. S. Kaan Kalkan and Roland Kahabka. The three lawyers already have a successful track record of working together at another corporate law firm in Stuttgart several years ago. Thus, HEUSSEN further augments construction law practice at its Stuttgart location.

Prior to joining HEUSSEN, Torsten Prokoph spent several years working in the construction law department of the Stuttgart-based law firm Hartmann Gallus & Partner. There he focused on representing both private and commercial clients in all matters of construction and architectural law and handling real estate contracts as well as work/service contracts in general. "I'm very delighted to work for a law firm as renowned as HEUSSEN, which is one of the major law firms in real estate and construction law in Germany. What's particularly delightful is the opportunity for me to once again work with my former colleagues Roland Kahabka and Kaan Kalkan on architectural law matters.", says Torsten Prokoph.

Also joining HEUSSEN as a law firm partner is Dr. Michael Heidelberg, an attorney-at law who also specializes in insurance and traffic laws. Formerly of the law firm SIMON & Partner, Dr. Heidelberg first and foremost advises and represents numerous insurance companies nationwide (specifically in the state of Baden-Württemberg and southern Germany), both in and out of court, in all matters of insurance and liability law, recourse matters as well as receivables management with regard to premium issues. His legal talent both magnifies and fortifies the insurance and liability law practice at HEUSSEN, which previously had solely been the focus of partner Tobias Scholl.

Joining Dr. Heidelberg from SIMON & Partner as an associate at HEUSSEN is Bianca Ohligmacher. Her expertise also lies in insurance and traffic laws. Her focus is on the litigation of claims for both insurers and their policyholders.

Says Dr. Heidelberg, "Working with Tobias Scholl, I see great opportunities to develop the practice of insurance law even further. I'm confident in our ability to offer our clients real added value as well as all-inclusive legal services when it comes to their multifaceted legal matters."

Thus, HEUSSEN continues the consistent development of its Stuttgart branch. Says HEUSSEN Managing Partner Christoph Hamm,

"We're greatly delighted by all the legal expertise added by Torsten Prokoph in real estate/construction law and by Dr. Michael Heidelberg and Bianca Ohligmacher in insurance and liability law. Real estate/construction law is one of the mainstays at HEUSSEN. With all his practical experience, Mr. Prokoph is going to contribute significantly contribution to this crucial practice group.

Dr. Heidelberg has more than 25 years of practical experience in insurance and liability law and, together with Bianca Ohligmacher, adds more sound legal talent to Tobias Scholl's team.

These additions fortify our presence at the center of the economic region of Stuttgart."

About HEUSSEN:

Real estate & construction law is among the mainstays of legal practice at HEUSSEN. More than 30 specialized lawyers offer comprehensive legal advice in matters of real estate/construction law at all of the firm's branch offices. Legal services in this field range from support in real estate transactions, project development (incl. assistance in the creation of building rights), planning and construction support to consulting on inventory management and marketing (sale and lease). Clients include national and international real estate companies, real estate branches of banks and insurance companies, large and mid-sized construction companies, real estate owners, investors, fund companies, plant manufacturers, project developers, project managers, architects, engineers, brokers, property developers and construction managers.

Insurance and liability law is one of the earliest mainstays at HEUSSEN's Stuttgart office. Up until now, it was primarily up to law firm partner Tobias Scholl to advise and represent policyholders – primarily mid-sized companies - in matters of insurance law. Joining him to expand and augment this mainstay are Dr. Heidelberg and Bianca Ohligmacher, particularly in matters concerning insurers.

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