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WOLF THEISS RECEIVES IFLR AWARD 2017: HETA DEAL NAMED "RESTRUCTURING DEAL OF THE YEAR"

Vienna/London, 21 April 2017 – Wolf Theiss was awarded "Restructuring Deal of the Year" at the 2017 International Financial Law Review European Awards for its work on the Heta deal. During a gala at the Hotel Savoy in London on 20 April 2017, Partner Claus Schneider of the Practice Group Banking & Finance received the award on behalf of the firm.

In addition to Claus Schneider, the Wolf Theiss team consisted of Christine Siegl, Kurt Retter, Holger Bielesz, Günter Bauer and Robert Wagner.

In addition to Wolf Theiss, both local and international teams representing various groups of creditors and Austrian state authorities were distinguished for their work. In recent years, the international law firm Wolf Theiss has received several awards from the prestigious journal, the International Financial Law Review (IFLR). The IFLR previously recognised Wolf Theiss as the "Best Law Firm in Austria" in 2003, 2006, 2007, 2011, 2012, 2015 and 2016. Wolf Theiss was also recently awarded "Czech Law Firm of the Year" and "Hungarian Law Firm of the Year".

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