## **PRESS RELEASE**

## WOLF THEISS EXPANDS ITS CORPORATE AND M&A PRACTICE WITH ADDITION OF JACEK MICHALSKI IN WARSAW

Warsaw, 4 September 2017 – Wolf Theiss continues to expand with the appointment of Jacek Michalski as a partner and the head of the corporate and M&A practice in its Warsaw office.

Jacek Michalski delivers over 28 years of experience to clients and has led many ground breaking transactions in Poland, the CEE region, and Africa. He focuses on counselling and representing clients in M&A, capital markets, corporate governance, and financial sector regulatory matters. Jacek also advises on the creation of new banks, acquisitions of existing banks and mergers between large local banks and international banks. He has been listed by major legal directories as one of the leading corporate lawyers in Poland for many years. Prior to joining Wolf Theiss, Jacek was a partner at Allen&Overy.

"I look forward to enhancing Wolf Theiss' current corporate and M&A practice which has thrived so much under the guidance of such great lawyers as Dariusz Harbaty and Joanna Wajdzik. Working together our team is going to make a real difference to the expanding list of clients we serve and the entire regional market," said Jacek Michalski.

Ron Given, Co-Managing Partner of the Wolf Theiss Warsaw office, added, "Jacek Michalski joins the firm as part of our strategy to further strengthen our market leading corporate and private and public M&A practice in the CEE/SEE region. I have no doubt that Jacek will continue to represent boards and investors with the creativity, efficiency and tenancity they both require and deserve. Jacek and our expanding team have a great story to write at Wolf Theiss Warsaw, and they are already well under way. We could not be more pleased."

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