



VON DER HEYDEN GROUP

PRESS RELEASE

**VON DER HEYDEN GROUP EXPANDS AND WELCOMES  
MR RADOSLAW POPKO AS A NEW TEAM MEMBER**

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**Mr Radoslaw Popko is joining the Von der Heyden Group in Poland as of the 1<sup>st</sup> of December 2013. Mr. Popko will be co-responsible for the Group's development services arm Von der Heyden Development, and will furthermore occupy other responsible positions in the Von der Heyden Group dealing with Real Estate Financing.**

Radoslaw Popko has gained 20 years' experience in the banking world, and worked during this time at Deutsche Bank, Dresdner Bank, DZ Bank as was very successfully heading BerlinHyp's operations in Poland during the last 6 years.

The Chairman of Von der Heyden Group, Mr Sven von der Heyden said: *"We are very pleased that Radoslaw is joining our Group, he will be a key-figure in expanding our operations in Poland and given his language skills, will also assist the Group in our operations in Germany. His massive experience in Real Estate Financing will sharpen our image even more to be a reliable, trustworthy and foremost successful Real Estate Player. We wish Radoslaw a prosperous and happy time with us during the coming years."*

## **About Von der Heyden Group (VDHG):**

VDHG, founded in 1989, is a niche player on the European and Polish Real Estate Market, and has been successfully developing Class A Office buildings and Hotels in always top central locations in Polish cities, such as Warsaw, Poznan and Lublin. The Group is commonly known for its high-end finishes and quality, and at all times achieved record prices for its award winning projects, when sold.

The Group now concentrates on leasing up its Andersia Business Centre in Poznan, which is now more than 50 % let to prestigious tenants. A selective approach with respect to the quality of its tenants, a meticulous strategy is being followed in a disciplined way which shall lead to leasing ABC up to 100 % by mid 2014. Other goals for 2014 are the securing of debt financing for its Dlugi Targ Hotel Project in Gdansk, working on the 4th and last phase on Plac Andersa in Poznan, and is positioning itself to enter the upper-end residential market in Warsaw, where the Group is currently screening the market.

The Group also currently develops a 135 mln. Euro Hotel – and office scheme in the prosperous city of Munich, Germany, a flagship development in the hometown of the founder of the Von der Heyden Group, Mr Sven von der Heyden.

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