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Luther advises Akelius on Real Estate sale in Hamburg and Munich

Berlin - Akelius has sold almost 1,500 apartments in Hamburg and Munich. Luther provided legal support for the transaction.

The Akelius Group, listed in Sweden, is one of the largest private Real Estate Companies in Europe with a Portfolio of around 45,000 apartments. Akelius has now sold 1,492 of its apartments with the support of a team from Luther Lawfirm led by Berlin partner Detlev Stoecker.

Apartments were sold in Hamburg and Munich in buildings constructed between 1902 and 2008. The transaction is expected to be completed by the end of 2019. The sale price amounts to EUR 420 million and serves to strengthen the equity base.

This is Akelius' second major transaction this year, following the sale in March of approximately 2,800 apartments in the Rhine-Main region to a group company of Deutsche Wohnen SE for EUR 685 million.

For Akelius:

Luther Berlin: Detlev Stoecker (partner, lead), Dr Florian Schuhmacher (senior associate), Leonie Pohl (associate), all Real Estate

The tax advice was provided by Warth & Klein Grant Thornton, Berlin under the leadership of Matthias Lowa.

The buyer was represented by a team from Clifford Chance's Frankfurt office.

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