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### **International addition in the Antitrust and Dispute Resolution practices at bpv Huegel**

**18 November 2021.** Astrid Ablasser-Neuhuber and Florian Neumayr are pleased to welcome attorney Sebastian Reiter to bpv Huegel's Antitrust and Dispute Resolution teams.

Sebastian (32) joins bpv Huegel from Jones Day in Frankfurt, where he gained years of experience advising major US, European and Chinese clients on EU and Austrian antitrust/competition/merger control matters, investment control cases and complex disputes at European and Austrian courts as well as on high stakes arbitrations in the energy sector. Sebastian started his career with the antitrust team of another major Austrian firm and clerked at the Supreme Court of Austria.

Sebastian's practice also builds on a rich academic background. After studies at the Universities of Vienna and Panthéon-Assas, he obtained a PhD with a thesis on energy law at the University of Vienna's Department of Civil Law and an LL.M. at Yale Law School on a Fulbright Scholarship. He retains his ties with academia and today teaches "Private Law Theory" at the University of Vienna.

Sebastian's experience perfectly complements bpv Huegel's practices and bolsters our leadership in competition matters and complex disputes resolution.

#### **About bpv Huegel**

As one of Austria's leading law firms, bpv Huegel advises national and international clients in all sectors. It is regarded as the first address for highly complex mandates, the handling of which requires specialised tax and legal knowledge, many years of experience and economic understanding. With its Brussels office, bpv Huegel has a competence centre for general EU law, European merger and antitrust law as well as regulatory and public procurement law located directly at the European institutions. bpv Huegel is a member of the "bpv LEGAL" alliance with offices in Bratislava, Bucharest, Budapest and Prague which offers tailor-made solutions throughout CEE. In addition, the firm has long-standing cooperation agreements with leading international law firms worldwide. The full-service law firm was founded in 1979 and is represented in Austria by offices in Vienna, Moedling and Baden, where it employs around 100 staff, including around 50 lawyers.

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