



## Nordic-Baltic Transaction Bulletin August 2017

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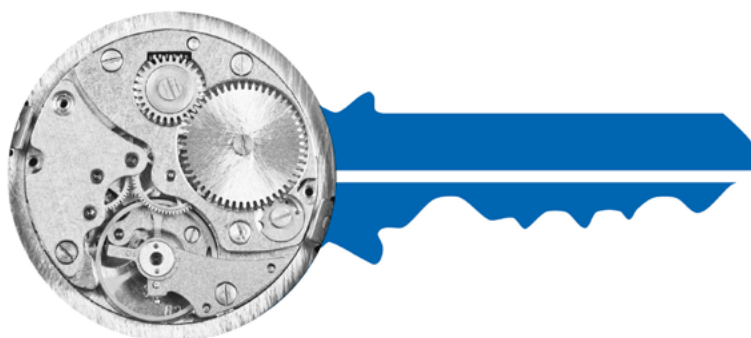
### **GERMANY** **Hörmann Industries**

The global law practice Eversheds Sutherland advises the listed Hörmann Industries group with regard to the intended complete acquisition of Hörmann Automotive Gustavsburg GmbH.

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### **LITHUANIA** **SDI Property Limited**

Eversheds Saladžius advises SDI Property Limited (Sports Direct company group) on a project regarding the acquisition of the real estate. We advise SDI Sports Direct on structure of the deal, sale - purchase agreement, competition, and other significant commercial matters.



## **POLAND** **Enterprise Investors**

In July, Polish Enterprise Fund VII, a private equity fund managed by Enterprise Investors, signed a contract under which together with the CEO of Jantón it purchased 100% of the company's shares. Wierzbowski Eversheds Sutherland advised Enterprise Investors on the deal.

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## **FINLAND** **Viria Plc**

We acted as legal advisor for the Finnish security and IT group Viria Plc in a transaction in which Viria acquired the entire stock of Nordic LAN & WAN Communication Oy. Eversheds Sutherland assisted Viria Plc throughout the project, from the due diligence report to the final agreements.

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## **SWEDEN** **Rentokil Initial Plc**

Rentokil Initial plc (FTSE: RTO) and Haniel & Cie. Holding Company in December 2016 entered into an agreement to form a joint venture, creating a leading provider of Workwear and Hygiene services in Europe with combined revenues of c. €1.1bn. Eversheds Sutherland Sweden has acted as local counsel in Sweden in the transaction and the internal restructurings.

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## **LATVIA** **Republic of Estonia**

Eversheds Sutherland Bitāns in cooperation with Eversheds Ots&Co has represented Republic of Estonia (through Estonian Road Administration) in connection with recognition and enforcement of Estonian arbitral award in Latvia against one of the biggest (top three) Latvian road construction companies, recovering EUR 4,6 million.

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## **ESTONIA** **PRFoods**

One of the largest Estonian seafood producers PRFoods acquired 85% of fish processing companies John Ross Jr Ltd and Coln Valley Smokery Limited, both located in the United Kingdom. The Leigh family who have been running the companies as a family business will keep 15% of the shareholding. Eversheds Sutherland Ots&Co consulted PRFoods in the purchase transaction.

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