



Alvarez & Marsal Appoints Christian Ebner to Enhance Financial Restructuring Offering in Europe

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London – Global professional services firm **Alvarez & Marsal (A&M)** continues the expansion of its **Financial Restructuring** capabilities in Europe with the hiring of **Christian Ebner** as Managing Director, who will focus on the German and Italian markets.

Aligned with A&M's expanding EMEA financial restructuring offering, demonstrated by the firm's recent growth in **France**, **Switzerland**, **the Nordics** and **Spain**, Mr. Ebner's joining marks the next step of the firm's strategic augmentation plans into key European markets.

Mr. Ebner brings 17 years of experience in financial restructuring, debt and merger and acquisition (M&A) advisory. His primary areas of expertise are complex cross-border restructurings, re-financings and reorganisations along with extensive sub-sovereign restructuring experience. He has worked across multiple jurisdictions including on matters that entail connections between and link the London market with Germany and/or Italy.

Mr. Ebner has advised creditors (banks and funds) and borrowers across the capital structure spectrum. Additionally, he has worked with clients in multiple industry sectors including manufacturing and industrials, automotive, retail.

Prior to joining A&M, Mr. Ebner spent seven years with Deloitte's Restructuring Advisory team in London, serving most recently as Partner. While there, he built a leading cross-border advisory practice working on some of the highest-profile German and Italian financial restructurings in recent years.

Paul Kirkbright, Head of EMEA Financial Restructuring Advisory at A&M, said, "Christian's experience in complex cross-border cases compliments our growth plans in support of meeting the market's needs. His experience aligns with our operational heritage and furthers our ability to advise clients on a local and pan-European level. Our plans for additional in-country hires, in Frankfurt and Milan over the next 6 months, will be critical to helping clients navigate and emerge from the COVID-19 uncertainties."

Mr. Ebner comments, "A&M's position as a restructuring leader that delivers results, is free from audit conflicts and maximizes value. This positioning provides a strong foundation for adding balance sheet restructuring capabilities to our turnaround expertise in Germany and Italy along with offering our clients an integrated platform. I look forward to working closely with the team in these key European jurisdictions and EMEA as a whole."

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