

PRESS RELEASE

### **CMS Luxembourg**

		3, rue Goethe
		L-1637 Luxembourg
Date	8 July 2015	<b>T</b> +352 26 27 53 20
Pages	2	E sarah.schleich@cms- dblux.com
Subject	CMS Luxembourg promotes Audrey Bertolotti as Partner	<u>www.cms-</u> db.com/luxembourg

# CMS Luxembourg promotes Audrey Bertolotti as Partner in its Employment & Pensions and Dispute Resolution departments

Audrey Bertolotti is appointed as Partner in CMS Luxembourg's Employment & Pensions and Dispute Resolution departments. Audrey, who joined the firm in November 2013, has been heading those departments ever since.

Since her arrival, she has been advising both national and international clients on major transactions and matters, such as collective redundancies, HR due diligence, business restructuring, HR assistance to international groups coming to Luxembourg, individual dismissals and reviews of HR policies. On the dispute resolution side, she has been assisting clients in civil and commercial disputes involving millions of euros. Together with her team, she has been conducting and defending litigation cases before all relevant Luxembourg courts.

**Julien Leclère**, Managing Partner of CMS Luxembourg, declared: "Audrey's enthusiasm and professionalism have propelled the practice forward since her arrival in 2013. The departments have been quickly growing and the team is now composed of three associates, two of them are also members of our German desk. I am delighted to count Audrey as one of my fellow partners and I look forward to starting working with her on new projects."

**Tom Heremans**, Managing Partner of CMS DeBacker, added: "Audrey's appointment is well deserved and demonstrates our determination to build a genuine employment and dispute resolution practice in Luxembourg. Clients expect to be able to rely on a strong Luxembourg office and Audrey's promotion, along with a number of recent hires, such as Funds partner Françoise Pfeiffer, has be seen in that context."

Audrey holds a master's degree in Business Law and a magistère in European Business Law from Nancy 2 University (2002). She obtained a DESS in International Business Law from Aix-Marseille III University in 2004 and a Diploma in Tax Law from the Luxembourg Chamber of Commerce in 2005. Audrey has been a qualified Luxembourg attorney-at-law since 2006.

She is a member of the Employment Law Specialists Association (ELSA) and a former member of the Consultative Commission on Human Rights. She is also involved in the non-governmental international development organisation SOS Children's Villages.



## Contact:

Sarah Schleich CMS Business Developer T: +352 26 27 53 20 E: sarah.schleich@cms-dblux.com

#### Notes to editors:

#### CMS

Founded in 1999, CMS is a full-service top 10 international law firm, based on the number of lawyers (Am Law 2013 Global 100). With 59 offices in 33 countries across the world, employing over 3,000 lawyers, CMS has long-standing expertise both in advising in its local jurisdictions and across borders. CMS acts for a large number of Fortune 500 companies and the FT European 500 and for the majority of the DAX 30. Revenues totalled €935m in 2014.

CMS provides a wide range of expertise across 19 expert practice and sector areas, including Corporate, Energy, Funds, Lifesciences, TMC, Tax, Banking and Finance, Commercial, Competition & EU, Dispute Resolution, Employment & Pensions, Intellectual Property and Real Estate & Construction.

For more information, please visit www.cmslegal.com

CMS offices and associated offices: Aberdeen, Algiers, Amsterdam, Antwerp, Barcelona, Beijing, Belgrade, Berlin, Bratislava, Bristol, Brussels, Bucharest, Budapest, Casablanca, Cologne, Dubai, Duesseldorf, Edinburgh, Frankfurt, Geneva, Glasgow, Hamburg, Istanbul, Kyiv, Leipzig, Lisbon, Ljubljana, London, Luxembourg, Lyon, Madrid, Mexico City, Milan, Montenegro, Moscow, Munich, Muscat, Paris, Podgorica, Prague, Rio de Janeiro, Rome, Sarajevo, Seville, Shanghai, Sofia, Strasbourg, Stuttgart, Tirana, Utrecht, Vienna, Warsaw, Zagreb and Zurich.

#### CMS DeBacker

CMS DeBacker has offices in Brussels, Antwerp and Luxembourg. It numbers about 100 lawyers, including 23 partners. Clients rely on CMS DeBacker for all legal and tax issues they face, in Belgium, Luxembourg and anywhere worldwide. CMS DeBacker is a founding member of CMS. For more information, please visit <u>www.cms-db.com</u>