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### **New CMS Office in Macedonia**

**CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz has opened a new office in Skopje (Macedonia), further expanding its leading market presence in CEE to a total of ten branches.**

“We have been offering legal advice in Macedonia through a Macedonian Desk in Serbia since 2005. Because demand has been growing constantly, opening an office was the next logical step”, says Peter Huber, Managing Partner at CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz about the expansion of CMS.

As the office head, Marija Filipovska currently leads a team of three experts. She will be supported in the office’s further growth and strategic orientation by Radivoje Petrikić, partner and Managing partner of CMS Belgrade. CMS Skopje will offer legal advice focusing on corporate law and M&A, commercial law, banking and finance, real estate and construction, energy law, labour law, competition law, and arbitration proceedings, as well as advice in the field of technology, media and telecommunications (TCM).

“From our Macedonian Desk, we have already successfully assisted many international clients in entering the Macedonian market. By establishing an office in the country, we are fulfilling our promise to provide clients with local on-site expertise and consulting services at a high international standard”, explains Radivoje Petrikić.

With the addition of the office in Skopje, CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz is now present at ten locations in CEE: Belgrade, Bratislava, Istanbul, Kiyv, Ljubljana, Podgorica, Sarajevo, Sofia and Zagreb.

The pictures of [Marija Filipovska](#) and [Radivoje Petrikić](#) are available for free use.

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