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MORGAN LEWIS APPOINTS NEW HEAD OF TECHNOLOGY PRACTICE IN FRANKFURT

Frankfurt, April 10, 2001 - Top ten US law firm Morgan Lewis announced today that Adi Seffer has joined the firm's rapidly developing Frankfurt office as a partner heading the Frankfurt office's Technology Practice. Seffer is a highly experienced corporate lawyer with particular strengths in intellectual property and information technology licensing, joint ventures and mergers and acquisitions for technology industry clients.

Mr. Seffer is a leading attorney in Germany and currently serves as incoming president of the Young Lawyers' International Association (AIJA).

Mr. Seffer will lead the technology practice in Frankfurt, and will be responsible for helping to coordinate and expand the European aspects of the firm's global technology practice. Morgan Lewis, with more than 1,100 lawyers in 12 offices in the United States, Europe and Asia, has over 200 lawyers who focus on its worldwide technology practice. Francis Milone, Chairman of Morgan Lewis, says "We are delighted that Adi Seffer, who is recognized as one of Germany's leading IT transactional attorneys, has joined us. His experience will be of significant value to our existing technology clients in Europe. Adi will also work closely with the European and US partners who are driving our technology practice to continually build our global capabilities."

Christian Zschocke, Managing Partner of the Frankfurt office added, "We are pleased to welcome such an experienced and talented technology transactional lawyer to further strengthen our successful and growing European practice."

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