BLS RECHTSANWÄLTE GMBH > THE LEGAL 500 RANKINGS

AUSTRIA > EMPLOYMENT TIER 5

BLS Rechtsanwälte GmbH is instructed on employment and labour matters by domestic and international companies, most notably clients in the retail and production sectors. Its recent workload includes employment litigation, home office models and benefits. Key partner Thomas Boller is specialised in the establishment of works councils and related agreements, outsourcing, and the posting of employees from abroad.

Practice head(s):

Thomas Boller

Work highlights

- Represented a company in the automotive sector before the conciliation body for substitution of the consent of a works council to conclude a works agreement due to a failed agreement on the installation of a new VoIP software.
- Advising a construction engineering company operating globally in setting up of a branch in Austria and posting of its employees, both EU nationals and UK nationals, after Brexit to Austria.
- Advised a Swiss group in respect of regulatory aspects and contractual risks of hiring leased employees in Austria and posting such to construction sites in Switzerland and Germany.

AUSTRIA > BANKING AND FINANCE TIER 6

BLS Rechtsanwälte GmbH has a focus on financing transactions, which routinely involve cross-border elements, most notably with Germany. Team head Thomas Boller specialises in facility agreements, security packages and refinancing transactions and counts banks as well as large company groups among his clients.

Practice head(s):

Thomas Boller

Work highlights

- Advised a banking consortium on the provision of €75m funding for the acquisition of a group of companies in the logistics and transportation industry.
- Advised a group of companies in the industrial steel manufacturing industry on the €171m funding for the refinancing of its
 existing debt, the financing of its working capital and the acquisition of a trading company.
- Advised a group of companies in the medicinal product manufacturing industry on its €30m funding for the acquisition of several companies in the same industry.

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