



NCTM expands its Rome office with two new lateral hires

Milan, January 8, 2010 – Leading Italian independent law firm NCTM is delighted to announce the appointment of two new salary partners with immediate effect. On January 1, 2010 Piero Corigliano and Annalisa Rossi joined the Rome office to reinforce the firm's M&A and consultancy practices.

Both Piero Corigliano and Annalisa Rossi are experts in corporate law and extraordinary operations and will work from NCTM's Rome office. Presently the firm's Rome office is divided across two locations but from Summer 2010, the firm is moving operations to a new and more spacious location in Via delle Quattro Fontane.

Piero Corigliano joins NCTM from Ughi e Nunziante where he worked as a partner having previously worked for Simpson Thacher & Barlett LLP in New York. Piero will bring his wealth of experience to NCTM's M&A, consultancy and litigation departments.

Annalisa Rossi joins the firm from DLA piper having gained previous experience at Clifford Chance and as in-house counsel at a large pharmaceutical company. Annalisa has particular expertise in M&A and consultancy with particular focus on regulatory and pharmaceutical work.

NCTM is one of the largest and most respected independent law firms in Italy. With offices in Milan, Rome, Verona, Brussels and London and approximately 300 professionals, including 43 equity partners, NCTM has both the resources and expertise to handle the most important and complex deals in Italy and internationally. The firm offers full legal services across all corporate sectors to both international and domestic clients through its network of offices. The firm's clients include multinationals, funds, banks, insurance companies, financial institutions as well as trading, industrial and service companies.

NCTM prides itself on the expertise and professionalism of its staff and has developed an in-house training structure designed to keep the firm's professionals updated on all the major new developments in their respective sectors. The firm's many academics maintain formal relations with Bocconi University, the University of Verona and the LUISS University of Rome.

NCTM is internationally recognised as one of Europe's leading firms by clients, peers and the international media. This year the firm has received many international accolades including the Lawyer's European Award for Italian Firm of the Year and Top Legal International's Award for Management Team of the Year.

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