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## Morison International merges with Kingston Smith – artax is in

Dear Sir or Madam,

Our partner Morison International will merge on 1st April 2016 with Kingston Smith International (KSi). This merger is a strong expansion of our international network of independent accountants, auditors, tax advisers, business consultants and lawyers. We now have access to 375 offices in 88 countries and can better satisfy the international demands of our customers.

"Being a member of the merged association, Morison KSi, gives us access to an even stronger offering of international services, skills and service line experience – allowing us to exceed our clients' expectations." says Dr. iur. Bernhard Madörin, CEO of artax Fide Consult AG.

"Member firms are extremely excited about this significant development. The improved skills and experience which are now available to them will help them further service their clients' international needs - a truly effective alternative to the big four and other international groups." says Liza Robbins, CEO of Morison KSi.

Both associations are well known for their focus on high quality members, with vast experience in dealing with cross-border assignments. The merger, which will create a US\$1 billion strong international association, will be effective as of 1st April 2016. The new composite Morison KSi is a competitive network, which is a key figure for artax in the international consultancy.

Nationally artax is a trusted partner of <u>"FMH Treuhand Services"</u> (services for medical practitioners), Member of the Money Laundering Compliance Organisation PolyReg and our audit company is licensed by the Federal Audit Oversight Authority FAOA. So the artax-group is excellently connected, to offer high quality services.

Kind regards
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