

# Media Release

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## *International arbitration specialist Haakon Bingen will join Peter & Kim as partner*

Peter & Kim is thrilled to announce a new partner appointment, with Haakon Orgland Bingen joining the partnership, based in Switzerland, as of 2 February 2026.

Haakon joins the firm after having been with the international arbitration department of Wikborg Rein in Oslo for more than 12 years.

Haakon has extensive experience in commercial arbitration, with a particular focus on the European gas market, the renewable energy sector and post M&A disputes. With his impressive track record of gas and energy disputes in many high value arbitrations, Haakon's expertise compliments Peter & Kim's strengths in these sectors.

Alongside his counsel work, Haakon also sits as an arbitrator, publishes articles, and regularly gives lectures at the University of Oslo. He speaks Norwegian, English, Russian and Spanish, as well as Swedish and Danish. With Haakon's addition, Peter & Kim positions itself as the only leading specialist arbitration practice with Nordic capabilities.

Haakon commented: *"I am delighted to join Peter & Kim and to be working with its global team of arbitration experts. Peter & Kim has, in an extraordinarily short time, established itself as the leading specialist firm within international arbitration. I wholeheartedly identify with their pro-active and critical approach, and commitment to excellence. I am excited to contribute to the further development of the firm's strength in energy disputes and offer a Nordic profile to complement current capacity"*.

Dr Wolfgang Peter, Founding Partner based in Geneva said of the appointment: *"Haakon's specialisation in the energy sector, particularly the gas market, will enhance the firm's capabilities and extend the Peter & Kim bridge to the Nordic region. We look forward to the valuable insights and experience he brings to our team and welcome him to the Geneva office"*.

Zurich based partner, Flavio Peter, stated that *"Haakon is an up and coming, well respected practitioner in the Nordic market and we are very excited to have him join our practice to further complement our expertise in the energy and post M&A sectors, as well as with arbitrations before the Stockholm Chamber of Commerce and in Northern Europe more generally. We are very excited about this new chapter"*.

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Björn Tude, partner of Swedish law firm Gernandt & Danielsson, said that *“having known and worked with Haakon for several years and in several high stake arbitration proceedings, I can confidently state that he will be an excellent addition to the Peter & Kim team. With his clarity of thought, expertise and pleasant demeanour, Haakon possesses all traits of an outstanding practitioner”*.

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#### **ABOUT PETER & KIM**

Peter & Kim is a specialist arbitration firm with offices in Geneva, Zurich, Sydney, Seoul, Perth and Singapore. We support clients globally through a cohesive cross-border team structure offering a depth of common and civil law expertise that is grounded in decades of combined experience at partner level in international arbitration proceedings (including ISDS cases) and in advising and representing commercial and government clients in arbitration-related proceedings before State Courts.

Peter & Kim is recognised as a global leader devoted to the highest standard of legal expertise in international arbitration.

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