

## Swedish company GoToWork becomes part of the Drees & Sommer Group



GoToWork will be wholly owned by Drees & Sommer SE. (from left to right): Sascha Hempel (International Partner at Drees & Sommer SE), Sebastian Lundholm Petersen (Managing Director at Drees & Sommer Nordic), Karin Ståhl (Managing Director GoToWork), Steffen Szeidl (CEO Drees & Sommer SE) and Torsten Esbjørn (Managing Director at Drees & Sommer Nordic) © Drees & Sommer SE

Stockholm, Sweden, May 9, 2023. As of May 2, 2023, the Stockholm-based GoToWork has become part of the construction and real estate consulting firm Drees & Sommer SE, which now holds 100 percent of the shares of the acquired company.

GoToWork is based in Stockholm, with a broad project range including projects in Malmö and Gothenburg. Being well known in the industry as a leading consultant in physical and digital workplace, hybrid work, and change and communication management. GoToWork is supporting customers from strategic consulting to implementation.

The integration of UX competences and expertise combined with local presence will be a strong offer for the Swedish market. New services in the portfolio in Sweden, such as project management, client advisory and real estate consultancy will add value to our customers and meet local demands.

Torsten Esbjørn, Managing Director Drees & Sommer Nordic: "It is a clear goal for Drees & Sommer to grow in the Nordics, and entering Sweden is the natural next step which will allow us to offer our loyal customers the services and quality to which they are accustomed. GoToWork is a well-established brand in Sweden and will provide us with precisely the foundation that we have been looking for in the Swedish market."

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Karin Ståhl, Managing Director GoToWork: "Becoming part of a globally active company like Drees &

Sommer will have a positive impact on both our existing offering to the market as well as provide access

to a wide range of additional services that we can now provide to our customers. The two companies have

already had an fruitful and ongoing collaboration for several years. Now I look forward to breaking new

ground, to the benefit of the market, our customers, employees, and new colleagues."

Sebastian Lundholm Petersen, Managing Director Drees & Sommer Nordic: "To support the growth in the

Nordics and as Drees & Sommer with our broad range of services literally are pulled into Sweden, this step with

GoToWork will give us a jumpstart as we now set foot. Fully in line with our philosophy of being local and close

to our customers. Our expertise will be fully accessible to the markets, operational from day one."

GoToWork will operate under the name "GoToWork – Part of Drees & Sommer". The current Managing

Director Karin Ståhl will continue to develop the portfolio.

Drees & Sommer: Your Innovative Partner for Consulting, Planning, Construction and Operation.

As the leading international consulting, planning and project management enterprise with

headquarters in the German city of Stuttgart, Drees & Sommer SE has worked with private and public

clients from construction bodies to investors on all types of real estate and infrastructure projects –

both analog and digital – for more than 50 years.

With its pioneering and future-shaping consulting, the company offers solutions for successful

buildings, high-return portfolios, powerful infrastructure and livable cities. Around 4,500 employees in

interdisciplinary teams based at 51 locations worldwide support clients across a wide spectrum of

sectors. All the services provided by the partner-run company take into consideration both economic

and ecological concerns. Drees & Sommer calls this holistic approach 'the blue way'.

For more information, please visit: www.dreso.com

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## GoToWork:

GoToWork is a leading consultant company with its headquarter in Stockholm, Sweden. A team of 21 experts work in physical and digital workplace, hybrid work and in change and communication management, supporting clients from strategic consulting to implementation with a broad project range including projects in Malmö and Gothenburg.

More details are available at gotowork.se