

optegra GbR
Certified Accountants and
Tax Consultants

Universitätsstraße 71
50931 Köln
Germany

Phone +49 (0)221 800 508-0
Fax +49 (0)221 800 508-50

www.optegra.de
presse@optegra.de

PRESS RELEASE

optegra group continues to extend its international auditing and consulting network in more than 20 countries



As a member of the Norton International Services Network optegra operates in over 20 countries and employs more than 400 associates in the world's most important financial and business centres - The company plans to open up to ten new offices across Asia over the next six months - Industry specialisation, international expertise, a personal approach and value for money are its success factors

COLOGNE, May 20, 2008 – optegra, the Cologne-based auditing, tax and management consulting group, is continuing to strengthen its international footprint via the Norton International Services Network (NIS). Founded in 2005, optegra was quick to make a name for itself in Germany among small and medium-sized clients above all in the IT, biotech and financial sectors.

“The Norton International Services Network brings together renowned partners from Europe, Asia and the United States. With branch offices in over than 20 countries and more than 400 associates NIS is already one of the largest and most significant auditing and consulting alliances serving the SME sector,” explains Stephan Neubauer, co-founder and partner of optegra. “Over the next six months NIS plans to open up to ten new offices in major business centres across Asia.”

NIS and optegra support their clients all the way from establishment to expansion. “At optegra, business people advise business people. That is our successful philosophy,” continues Neubauer.

PRESS RELEASE



“Clients should be able to concentrate on their core business. We help them to leverage cost-cutting potential while enhancing their product ranges and consulting and service quality. To us, a personal approach is as important as it is to offer a fair value-for-money service,” says Neubauer, illustrating the advantages of the network.

Aside from growing internationally, optegra is also boosting its presence in Germany. Over the last two years the number of highly qualified associates in its Cologne office has almost doubled. In addition, Syntalis Unternehmensberatung GmbH, a dedicated provider of management consulting services, was recently integrated into the optegra group.

The company

optegra is an owner-managed international group offering auditing, tax consulting, management consulting and fund services. It is headquartered in Cologne. For almost two decades optegra's industry experts have been offering unconventional, forward-looking solutions to sharpen their clients' competitive edge. A member of the Norton International Services Network, optegra also maintains a footprint in over 20 countries in the world's major financial and business centres.

Inquiries

Michael Goliath
fr financial relations gmbh
Gutleutstraße 75
60329 Frankfurt
Germany
Telephone +49 (0)69 95 90 83-12
Fax +49 (0)69 95 90 83-99
E-mail presse@optegra.de