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ANNOUNCEMENT OF MERGER

Dear Sirs

We are delighted to announce the merger of Lasvet Patendibüroo OÜ (Lasvet Patent and Trademark Agency) into AAA Patendibüroo OÜ (AAA Legal Services) in Estonia.

The merger has become definite as from December 6, 2019 and as of that date the companies operate though single legal entity being AAA Patendibüroo OÜ.

All Lasvet attorneys and employees will continue their practise and the co-founder of Lasvet, Villu Pavelts, will became partner and member of management board of AAA Patendibüroo OÜ.

Both Lasvet and AAA have been well recognised and prominent IP firms in Estonia, after merger the company hires 13 patent and trademark attorneys and lawyers and will be in excellent position to serve Estonian and international clients in IP related advising, transaction, prosecution and litigation matters in Estonia and though associated offices also in Latvia and Lithuania.

AAA offers a full range of intellectual property services in all Baltic States via AAA Law founded in 1992 in Lithuania (www.aaalaw.eu), AAA Legal Services founded in 1994 in Estonia (www.aaa.ee) and AAA Law Petersona Patents founded in 1992 in Latvia (www.petpat.lv).

Our firm has been consistently selected as one of the best in trademark, patent and copyright work in the categories of prosecution and litigation in Estonia by <u>Managing Intellectual Property IP STARS</u>, <u>Legal500</u>, <u>Chambers</u>, <u>WTR1000</u>, <u>Who's Who Legal</u> and other annual surveys of IP professionals throughout the world.

Looking forward continuing our co-operation and developing it further.

Best regards

Almar Sehver

Partner, member of board

Villu Pavelts

Partner, member of board