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+49 (0)30 28 44987 65*Press Release***Sven Völpel is the new branch manager of HPM in Cologne**

**Hamburg, 21 January 2020** – On 1 January 2020, Sven Völpel (40) became the manager of HIH Property Management's Cologne branch. The qualified business administrator has been with HPM since 2016, most recently as team leader for property management at the Cologne location. Völpel had previously spent several years as a property manager for Residential Investments GmbH and Private Property Management GmbH, among others. Over the course of his career, Völpel and his property management team have managed more than 11,000 units. In Cologne, HPM manages a total area of around 378,000 square metres. Völpel's predecessor, Bettina Höffmann, was promoted to HPM's management board.

“With Sven Völpel on our team, we have an experienced expert from our own company working on behalf of our Cologne location,” says André Vollbach, managing director at HIH Property Management. “Our presence in Germany's top seven cities enables us to carry out demanding management tasks quickly and efficiently. Our customers appreciate that, as illustrated by our top placement in the annual Bell Management Report.” In the current Bell Management Report, HPM achieved the highest customer rating for commercial property management.

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HIH Property Management**

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## About HIH Property Management

HIH Property Management (HPM) is one of the leading high-quality providers of commercial property management in Germany. Our company history dates back more than 130 years. Our knowledge of what investors and tenants need, a reliable network of service providers and the tight-knit cooperation within the HIH Group allow us to quickly and efficiently realise both regular and complex tasks.

Depending on the task at hand, we work in interdisciplinary teams with expertise in the areas of building management, architecture, real estate management, law and IT.

With top customer ratings in the Bell Management report, we have established ourselves as a high-quality provider for commercial property management. Our assets under management of EUR 8.2 million largely comprise commercial real estate, and we are represented by 225 employees throughout Germany.

More information can be found on the the company's website at: [www.hih-pm.de/en](http://www.hih-pm.de/en)