

## Deal Report

### **Hengeler advises METRO on takeover of Wal-Mart hypermarkets**

METRO AG has acquired all 85 hypermarkets from Wal-Mart in Germany, including related real estate assets.

Hengeler Mueller advised METRO AG on this transaction. Advice was provided by partners Andreas Austmann, Georg Seyfarth (both M&A), Frank Burmeister (M&A, Real Estate) and associates Martin Rothfuchs, Christian Horn and Armin Göhring.

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