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Our large and dedicated disputes team comprises experienced commercial litigation and international arbitration practitioners who have a strong combination of domestic and cross-border expertise. Members of our team have experience in arbitration proceedings under various rules, including Vienna Rules, ICC, SIAC, Swiss Chambers, KCAB, UNCITRAL, SCC, Hungarian Chamber of Commerce, Czech and ad hoc arbitrations. In addition to our contentious skills, we bring a range of sector specialist experience, in particular in financial services, energy & natural resources and shareholder disputes. We have also become increasingly well known for our work in the area of white collar crime.

Nikolaus Pitkowitz, who leads the team, is considered one of the preeminent Austrian arbitration and dispute resolution practitioners. He has 25 years of experience in the field and has been involved in close to 100 international arbitrations, most frequently as party counsel but also as chairman, co-arbitrator, and sole arbitrator. For the last eight consecutive years the Austrian magazine *Format* has ranked Dr. Pitkowitz among the leading Austrian dispute resolution practitioners.

Graf & Pitkowitz is a full-service law firm positioned to advise clients in all aspects of Austrian and European business law. We negotiate and structure business transactions and successfully represent our clients before Austrian and international institutions. The firm was founded in Vienna in 1994 and expanded to Graz in 2002. Although we are not part of any network, our practice has grown quickly and now belongs to the largest and best known practices in Austria.

“What the team is known for: A flourishing firm with a focus on the energy, financial and telecommunication industries. The team is remarkably active on high-end international arbitrations.”

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