## **PRESS RELEASE**

## ERIK DRUKKER APPOINTED CEO OF BNP PARIBAS REAL ESTATE POLAND AND CEE

Erik Drukker will take the lead as the new Chief Executive Officer for Central and Eastern Europe in BNP Paribas Real Estate, starting on 31st May 2019.

"Given the BNP Paribas Real Estate strategy to implement new services in the CEE region, the constant growth and development of these markets create a perfect environment to pursue our plans. Erik Drukker with his comprehensive knowledge of the CEE countries will lead the changes and introduce a new offer to our clients." – Lauric Leclerc, Deputy Chief Executive Officer of BNP Paribas Real Estate in charge of Property Management & International Advisory, commented.

In BNP Paribas Real Estate Poland, Erik Drukker has served as the Managing Director, for 6 years. He was appointed as Country Head for Czech Republic and Member of the Board at the Polish and Czech branch of BNP Paribas Real Estate towards the end of 2018.

Throughout the years, Erik has supervised Poland, Czech Republic, Romania and Hungary across real estate services including Agency and Valuation.

By taking over the post of Chief Executive Officer for Central and Eastern Europe, Erik adds to his responsibilities the supervision of Capital Markets, Property Management, Research and Project Development & Consultancy. Moreover he will drive forward new initiatives for the CEE markets.

"I am honoured to be entrusted with this appointment. In my new role I will work on new solutions and services that will meet the growing expectations of the market and our clients. The real estate industry does not rely on tradition anymore, it tends to invest in innovation whether it is the tools or approach. That is why I am very happy to work with so many talented people who are as passionate about real estate as I am. I am confident that together we will fulfil our growing ambitions in CEE." – says Erik Drukker, Chief Executive Officer, Central and Eastern Europe, BNP Paribas Real Estate Poland.

Erik is an experienced professional and is very well-known and recognized on the commercial real estate market throughout Europe. During his 23-year career in Poland, Erik worked primarily for DTZ in the position of Deputy Managing Director and Board Member. His extensive knowledge of the rapidly changing real estate market has helped to develop innovative approaches towards new services that have been introduced to the clients of BNP Paribas Real Estate in CEE.



## **About BNP Paribas Real Estate**

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