



## New leadership for Catella's Swedish Corporate Finance

Robert Fonovich has been appointed Head of Catella's Swedish Corporate Finance operations. Robert joins us from a role as Sweden and sector manager for the Corporate Finance Real Estate business unit at PwC, and he has more than 15 years of leadership experience in property advisory services.

"I am very pleased to welcome Robert to Catella. Robert will lead and develop the entire Corporate Finance operation in Sweden, comprising the advisory businesses within Property, Consumer and Fixed Income. He has the leadership qualities we were seeking for the task of developing the business at a time when real estate as an asset class has become increasingly important in terms of global asset allocation. Robert is a highly experienced manager and has been a key figure in building up PwC's property advisory services," says Jesper Bo Hansen, Head of Catella's Corporate Finance business unit.

Robert Fonovich has more than 20 years of experience in advisory services for the property sector, and has worked primarily in transactions, research and financing. Over the past 15 years he has held senior positions at PwC's Corporate Finance Real Estate business unit, most recently as Sweden and sector manager for the business area. Robert was also a member of the management teams of PwC Nordic Real Estate European Transaction Team and PwC Corporate Finance Sweden.

"We will work to enhance our current position as the leading corporate finance advisor. We will emphasise our profile as a Nordic property advisor with direct links to the capital markets, and cooperation between the Nordic countries will be intensified. Robert will have an important role in this process; initially by recruiting a number of new employees in deal driven roles," says Knut Pedersen, President and CEO of Catella.

Robert Fonovich succeeds the acting manager, Johan Ericsson. Johan has played a significant role in building up Catella's strong presence, particularly in the property sector, during his 20 years in senior positions at Catella. He will remain at Catella in a key role within the Swedish Corporate Finance operations.

Corporate Finance at Catella provides transaction advisory services for sales and acquisitions to national and international investors in Europe, with a focus on complex transactions. Catella also provides market analysis and strategic consulting as well as advisory services relating to financing for companies in the property sector.

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