Press Release



pbb finances acquisition of office building in Frankfurt with €67.5 million

Munich, 14 March 2016 – pbb Deutsche Pfandbriefbank has provided financing of €67.5 million to a property company of an open ended fund managed by the French asset manager Amundi Real Estate and Ilmarinen Mutual Pension Insurance from Finland. The loan will support the acquisition of the property THA 50, an office building opposite the Exhibition Centre in Frankfurt. The transaction was closed in February 2016.

The office building, which was constructed in 2004, has about 31,800 m² of rental space and is completely rented by Commerzbank on the long term. The location is very easy to reach both with local public transport and with private transport. L'Etoile Properties will take over the management of the property in the future.

Gerhard Meitinger, Head of Real Estate Finance Germany, said: "In Germany, pbb is represented with local offices on all the important real estate markets and Frankfurt is clearly one of our core markets. With Amundi Real Estate and Ilmarinen Mutual Pension Insurance Company, pbb is supporting two international investors who are currently very active on the German market. The building THA 50 is a first class object with a very good tenant."

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