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## HARLAY AVOCATS, JONES DAY AND NGO JUNG & PARTNERS ON THE TRANSFER OF IPDIA

**Murata**, a Japanese company listed on the Tokyo stock exchange, and its wholly owned subsidiary, Murata Electronics Europe B.V., a marketer and distributor of electronic components and modules leader, has acquired **IPDiA**, a French company specialized in electronics components integration technologies and a 3D silicon capacitor technology pioneer.

The acquisition of IPDiA, up to now managed by **Franck Murray**, will allow the Japanese group to strengthen its position in high-performance capacitors for mobile and new applications such as automotive and medical.

Franck Murray will continue to lead IPDiA and will thus contribute to the reinforcement of Murata's supply offer.

Harlay Avocats (Régis Bernard, partner, with Liên Lê on tax and corporate aspects, and Sophie Binder, partner, on labor aspects) and Jones Day (Charles Gavoty, partner, with Alexandre Wibaux on corporate aspects) assisted the sellers, investments funds and founders.

Ngo Jung & Partners (Gérard Ngo, Marion Ngo and Aménis Bererhi, partners, and Anne le Fur corporate aspects, and Yvette Heeramann, partner, on labor aspects) assisted Murata.

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