

Press release

R&P Ruffert GmbH, an engineering company specialising in structural planning, joins BKW Group

The German engineering company will strengthen the BKW Engineering network

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The BKW Group continues to expand its engineering network in Germany. At its sites in eastern and western Germany, R&P Ruffert GmbH offers engineering and evaluation services, with a focus primarily on structural planning. This acquisition allows BKW Engineering to expand the skills of its network and strengthen its position in competition with multidisciplinary market leaders.



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Founded in 1976 by Heinz Georg Ruffert in Limburg, Germany, the R&P group today has additional companies in Erfurt, Halle, Düsseldorf and Hamburg, and project offices in Berlin, Koblenz, Frankfurt, Leipzig and Nuremberg. Its range of services encompasses civil engineering, structural engineering, structural planning, and constructional testing and evaluation. With about 130 employees, R&P Ruffert GmbH records revenues in the lower eight figures.

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This takeover supplements and strengthens BKW Engineering's network in eastern and western Germany. It also offers synergies with other BKW Engineering companies, particularly in structural planning, and expands the network's expertise in the field of building information modelling (BIM). The existing owners and management of R&P Ruffert GmbH will continue to run the company. They see the move into BKW Engineering's network as a further strategic development of their company.

The takeover is subject to approval by the German Monopolies Commission.

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The BKW Group is a Bern-based international energy and infrastructure company. It employs approximately 10,000 people. Its company network and extensive expertise allow it to offer its customers a full range of integrated solutions. The Group plans, builds and operates infrastructure to produce and supply energy to businesses, households and the public sector, and offers digital business models for renewable energies. Today, the BKW Group portfolio comprises everything from engineering consultancy and planning for energy, infrastructure and environmental projects to integrated offers in the field of building technology and the construction, servicing and maintenance of energy, telecommunications, transport and water networks.

The registered shares of BKW AG are listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange.

BKW Engineering

BKW Engineering brings 40 successful companies from Germany, Austria and Switzerland together under one umbrella. With its regional base and international network, BKW Engineering offers comprehensive, integrated solutions in the areas of construction, transport and civil engineering, water and environment, architecture and energy – a competent partner at the customer's side in every project phase. BKW Engineering can call on a network of about 3,000 experts in more than 100 locations throughout Germany, Austria and Switzerland.