



## AIG UK and Dechert to offer legal advice to CorporateGuard clients

**September 13, 2016 --** AIG UK, the UK arm of global insurer American International Group, Inc. (AIG:NYSE) and global law firm Dechert LLP have partnered to offer legal advice at no additional cost to AIG UK CorporateGuard policyholders regarding the termination of the United Kingdom's membership of the European Union.

Dechert will offer an initial consultation at no additional cost to all AIG CorporateGuard clients on the impact of Brexit on business or planning issues. This could include best practice advice for Brexit planning, steps to mitigate risks and maximize opportunities and the legal implications of Brexit on a particular sector or a client's workforce.

CorporateGuard clients should contact their brokers to access this new service. Dechert has been actively advising companies and trade associations on identifying potential mitigation steps that may help to minimize any risks associated with Brexit while also maximizing opportunities. Dechert's Brexit resource page can be found here: <a href="https://www.dechert.com/brexit/">https://www.dechert.com/brexit/</a>

Anthony Baldwin, Chief Executive of AIG Europe Limited and AIG UK, said:

"We continue to innovate to mitigate potential risks for our clients surrounding Brexit. While the outcome of negotiations between the UK and the EU are not known, we are pleased to be able to offer this add-on service, at no additional cost, from one of the leading law firms in this area to give our clients additional insight and advice."

Miriam Gonzalez, Partner and co-chair of the firm's International Trade and Government Regulation practice at Dechert said:

"The changing regulatory and trade landscape as a result of Brexit is one of the main risks facing companies in the UK. Dechert's Brexit team is a leader in this area. We help companies to map out the impact that Brexit may have on their sector and their firm. We also advise companies on steps to mitigate any risks that Brexit may bring and maximize opportunities, including how to try and shape the ongoing negotiations and new trade agreements to their advantage."

David Kistenbroker, Partner and Co-Leader of the white collar and securities litigation practice of Dechert, said:

"Whether it is trade disruption between the US, UK and EU or adverse impacts on capital markets and M&A activity, the Dechert Brexit team is well-positioned with deep expertise to shepherd your company through this rapidly changing regulatory landscape."

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Lawyers in Dechert's International Trade and EU Law practice bring a uniquely valuable perspective to the legal and commercial analysis, having significant background and knowledge of the EU and the UK's engagement with it. Our team members' experience includes working on legal and policy issues for the European Commission, negotiating on behalf of Member States in the Council, and serving in various roles within the UK Government, including as legal advisers in the Prime Minister's Office and HM Treasury. The practice provides business with an unparalleled insight into the implications of Brexit and how best to prepare for it. Our team can also advise on the development of strategies for engagement with investors, customers or (during the negotiation phase) the UK government or EU negotiators.