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Sackers expands team with two new associates

Sackers & Partners LLP (Sackers), the UK's leading specialist law firm for pensions and retirement savings, has announced the hiring of Joseph Wood and Caroline Marshall as associates. Their arrival is part of the firm's planned expansion programme and takes the total number of lawyers at Sackers to 61, ten of whom have joined since the beginning of 2018.

Ian Pittaway, Senior Partner at Sackers, said: "It is vital that we invest in the recruitment of talent to ensure that we continue to deliver the very best service to new and existing clients. Joseph and Caroline add valuable resource and we are delighted to welcome them to Sackers."

Joseph Wood joins from Norton Rose Fulbright, where he qualified earlier this year. At Sackers he will advise trustees and employers on a wide range of defined benefit and defined contribution issues. Caroline Marshall trained and qualified at Pinsent Masons. She joins Sackers' highly regarded specialist litigation team and will advise trustees and employers on all types of dispute from member complaints to high court litigation.

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Notes to Editors:

Sacker & Partners LLP (Sackers) is a top tier commercial law firm specialising in advising pension scheme trustees, employers, providers and corporate investors on all aspects of their pension arrangements.

Widely viewed as leaders in the field, Sackers advises more of the UK's top 200 pension funds than any other law firm. Sackers is consistently ranked in the top tier for pensions by both leading UK legal directories (Chambers UK and the Legal 500) and has been for over twenty years.

Based in London, Sackers provides support to trustee boards, sponsoring employers, providers and Government bodies across a range of areas, including day to day scheme management, funding and investment, projects, risk and litigation.

Sackers is an active member of the Pensions and Lifetime Savings Association and The Association of Pensions Lawyers and is technical legal expert partner to the Pensions Management Institute and Pension Chair. Sackers also works closely with TPAS, the SPP, and the Pensions Investment Academy.

Sackers was named Pensions Law Firm of the Year at the 2019 Pensions Age Awards.

Sackers trustee guide – ESG and climate change for pension funds, published in February 2019 won 'Best Thought Leadership Paper on Sustainable Investing, at Environmental Finance's Sustainable Investment Awards 2019, and has been shortlisted for two awards in Pensions for Purpose Content Awards 2019, Strategy and Most Read Content.

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