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HLB strengthens East Africa footprint with new member firm in Ethiopia

HLB, the global network of independent advisory and accounting firms, is pleased to welcome HLB Ethiopia, a dynamic professional services firm based in Addis Ababa, to its international community. The addition of HLB Ethiopia marks a significant expansion of HLB's presence in East Africa, strengthening the network's ability to support clients across one of the continent's fastest-growing economies.

HLB Ethiopia provides a comprehensive suite of services, including audit and assurance, advisory, and tax.

The appointment of HLB Ethiopia reflects HLB's ongoing strategy to deepen collaboration across emerging markets and strengthen its global service capabilities.

Coco Liu, Chief Growth Officer at HLB International, said:

"This expansion is a direct response to the clear economic momentum in Ethiopia. With its large, young workforce and position as a gateway to regional and global markets, Ethiopia is a pivotal market for our clients. Establishing a local presence with the expert team at HLB Ethiopia allows us to provide the on-the-ground support necessary for businesses to navigate this promising environment, manage risks, and achieve sustainable growth."

Desalegn Zewdie, Managing Partner at HLB Ethiopia, said:

"At HLB Ethiopia, joining HLB International is not just about global reach - it's about local transformation. We fuse audit, tax, investment, and scientific advisory expertise to deliver clarity and impact where it matters most: in Ethiopia's fast-changing economy."

Notes to Editor

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