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February 2, 2009, Bucharest – Voicu & Filipescu is pleased to announce significant changes in its organizational structure. Following the yearly internal performance evaluation, the firm rewarded the efforts of some of its valuable team members, by promoting them to higher hierarchical positions.

The firm appointed a new partner, included two of its senior associates in the managerial board and promoted six associates to the position of senior associates.

Florin Duțu was appointed as Voicu & Filipescu's 10th partner



Florin Duţu became a partner with Voicu & Filipescu as of February 2009. He joined the firm as senior associate in March 2008, when Voicu & Filipescu added 13 lawyers from the former Stefanica, Dutu & Partners. Before that date, he had been a name partner and deputy managing partner of Stefanica, Dutu & Partners for more than seven years. Florin Duţu is a highly experienced lawyer, advising on corporate matters, banking and taxation, mergers and acquisitions, energy and international investment arbitration.

Education: Law School, University of Bucharest (1998) **Memberships:** Bucharest Bar Association (1999)

Senior associates Diana Condurache and Adrian Neagu were added to the firm's managing board, the decisional team of Voicu & Filipescu



Diana Condurache joined Voicu & Filipescu in 2006, became a senior associate in 2008 and was added to the firm's managing board as of February 2009. She is an extremely skillful lawyer, and concentrates on domestic and international corporate and commercial transactions, mergers and acquisitions, privatizations and joint ventures.

Education: Law School, University of Bucharest (2002) **Memberships:** Bucharest Bar Association (2004)



Adrian Neagu became a senior associate of Voicu & Filipescu in December 2006 and was added to the firm's managing board as of February 2009. He is a highly proficient lawyer, focusing his practice primarily on mergers and acquisitions, banking/financial services and competition. He also has extensive experience in corporate, real estate, labor and data protection issues.

Education: Law School, University of Bucharest (1999) **Memberships:** Bucharest Bar Association (1999)

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Associates Georgiana Bădescu, Elena Darabanu, Cristian Păun, Radu Roșca, Gabriela Tănase and Mădălina Țîrdei were promoted to the position of senior associate



Georgiana Bădescu joined Voicu & Filipescu in May 2005 and became a senior associate with the firm as of February 2009. She focuses her practice on mergers and acquisitions, competition, private equity and mainstream corporate matters, advising both foreign and domestic clients on various business operations and investment projects, and has been involved in several high-profile mergers and acquisitions transactions, advising on both the buy and sell side.

Education:WIPO Worldwide Academy (2007)
The Hague Academy for Private International Law (2006)
Paris I Panthéon Sorbonne College Juridique d'Etudes Européennes,
Maitrise (2004)
Law School, University of Bucharest (2004)Memberships:Bucharest Bar Association (2005)



Elena Darabanu joined Voicu & Filipescu in March 2008, when the firm added a part of the former law firm Stefanica, Dutu & Partners, and became a senior associate with the firm as of February 2009. She mainly advises on mergers and acquisitions, competition and corporate matters, but she also covers energy, public procurement and concessions.

Education:LL.M. Business Law, University of Bucharest (2004)
Law School, University of Bucharest (2003)Memberships:Bucharest Bar Association
Republic of Moldova Bar Association



Cristian Păun joined Voicu & Filipescu in March 2008, when the firm added a part of the former law firm Stefanica, Dutu & Partners, and became a senior associate with the firm as of February 2009. He currently focuses his practice on dispute resolution, but also has extensive experience in real estate, corporate, and labor law. Cristian Păun is a constant contributor to various journals, and the author of numerous articles.

Education:LL.M. Business Law, Nicolae Titulescu University (2008)
Law School, Nicolae Titulescu University (2002)Memberships:Bucharest Bar Association (2003)

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Radu Roşca joined Voicu & Filipescu in 2005 and became a senior associate with the firm as of February 2009. His work experience includes real estate, insurance, privatization, securities, competition notifications and procedures, labor, litigation, commercial contracts, due diligence, corporate and restructuring of business.

Education:LL.M. Business Law, Academy for Economic Studies (2005)
Law School, Hyperion University (2000)Memberships:Bucharest Bar Association (2000)



Gabriela Tănase joined Voicu & Filipescu in November 2007 and became a senior associate with the firm as of February 2009. She focuses her practice on banking and finance, consumer protection, real estate and corporate matters, and has provided advice and representation to foreign and domestic clients in all phases of their business activities.

Education:Post-University Degree Private Law, University of Bucharest (2000)
Law School, University of Bucharest (1999)Memberships:Bucharest Bar Association (2000)



Mădălina Țîrdei joined Voicu & Filipescu in 2006 and became a senior associate of the firm as of February 2009. She is an experienced litigator, covering a wide range of litigation matters in commercial litigation, usually involving company law and shareholder disputes, administrative, taxation, judicial reorganization and liquidation, bankruptcy and insolvency, insurance coverage, competition, employment and enforcement procedures, as well as criminal litigation.

Education:Law School, University of Bucharest (2002)
Bachelor in Management, Academy for Economic Studies (2002)Memberships:Bucharest Bar Association (2002)



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