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Deloitte Builds on Financial Services Expertise



Deloitte has further expanded its financial services practice in Leeds with the addition of two partners and a director.

The decision sees corporate tax specialist Sue Holmes promoted to partner; she leads the financial services tax practice in the North, advising on a wide variety of tax issues for retail banks, building societies, insurers and investment and wealth management in businesses. Sue recently won the title ‘Business Adviser of the Year’ at the Yorkshire and Humberside Institute of Directors annual Director of the Year Awards.

In addition, Kate Hayes has been promoted to director and Andy Todd, a tax specialist in the insurance sector, is now working out of the firm’s Leeds office to strengthen the team further.

The financial services team is further strengthened by David Heaton being promoted to partner in Manchester. David leads Deloitte’s Northern Insurance practice with Stephen Williams, partner, continuing to lead the firm’s financial services practice in the North.

“With a 100 strong team of tax specialists in Leeds alone, Deloitte has established itself as one of the leading players not only in Yorkshire, but in the North of England,” said Ms Holmes. “Our financial



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services tax practice has grown significantly over the past two years and we have been involved in advising on a number of high profile transactions both within the region and nationally.

“Demand for our corporate tax advisory services continues to grow and we are focussed on expanding our team further to ensure we have the best possible level of tax expertise available to support our clients.”

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Photography: (L to R) David Heaton, Kate Hayes, Stephen Williams, Sue Holmes and Andy Todd from Deloitte’s financial services practice in Leeds