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INTERNATIONAL LAW FIRMS RUN TOGETHER WITH THE BAR OF BRUSSELS TO SUPPORT NASCI

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BRUSSELS – On 29 May 2011, more than 320 lawyers and staff from national and international law firms in Brussels will once again join together as a single team to participate in the annual 20 km run through Brussels and raise money for charity. In celebration of its 200th anniversary, the Bar of Brussels is also fielding a large number of its lawyers to join the team.

Now in its seventh year, this charitable initiative, better known as the “Legal Run”, has become a unique tradition within the Brussels legal community. Each participating firm sponsors its own runners and over the past six years, the Legal Run has raised approximately EUR 110,000 for charity.

This year, the Legal Run is supporting Nasci, a Brussels-based charity. Nasci is dedicated to helping pregnant women, single mothers and families facing particularly difficult living conditions, who do not have the means to satisfy the basic day to day needs of their family. With a unique approach in Brussels, Nasci offers professional support and ensures that its aid is of high quality and easily accessible.

Nasci provides a place of trust for mothers and children and offers material and educational support, medical aid and advice. It is a centre for recreational, cultural and training activities. You will find more information on Nasci's website <http://www.nascivzw.be>

Some 320 runners from the following 30 law firms have confirmed their participation in this year's event: Allen & Overy LLP; ALTIUS; Arnold & Porter LLP; Bird & Bird LLP; Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP; Clifford Chance LLP; De Wolf & Partners; DLA Piper UK LLP; Eubelius; Field Fisher Waterhouse LLP; Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner LLP; Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP; Hogan Lovells International LLP; Hunton & Williams; Latham & Watkins LLP; Liedekerke Wolters Waelbroeck Kirkpatrick; Loyens & Loeff; Mayer Brown International LLP; McDermott Will & Emery Belgium LLP; Morrison & Foerster LLP; NautaDutilh; Olswang LLP; Sidley Austin LLP; Simont Braun; Squire Sanders Hammonds; Steptoe & Johnson LLP; Stibbe; Tiberghien; White & Case LLP and Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP.

You can support this initiative and Nasci by making a transfer to the account number 001-4095646-91 (BNP Paribas Fortis), with the reference "Donation Nasci with tax certificate (Legal Run)" Donations of EUR 40 or more are tax-deductible. 100% of your contribution goes directly to Nasci.

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