



Press Release

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KPMG (BVI) Limited recognised under Investors in People (IIP) Standard, with additional recognition of the Bronze award

KPMG (BVI) Limited, in conjunction with KPMG in the Cayman Islands, has successfully achieved the Bronze level award for Investors in People following a post recognition review in July 2010. KPMG in the Cayman Islands have held the standard since 2004. In 2005 KPMG in the Cayman Islands opened an office in the British Virgin Islands. Accordingly this was the first time that such review included in its scope the KPMG (BVI) Limited office.

Feedback from Investors in People related to this review stated that “It is very apparent that KPMG in the Cayman Islands and KPMG (BVI) Limited have utilised the Investors in People Standard well. This review confirmed that the underpinning habits that support the requirements of the Investors Standard are strongly embedded; so much so that they are seen as just part of day to day working practices. It is clear that this organisation actively encourages staff to develop their skills and makes a substantial investment in supporting both technical training, and also soft skills training. Further equality and diversity are very well embedded within the firm.”

Tanis McDonald, a Director of the KPMG (BVI) Limited office stated "We are very happy to be recognized by Investors in People. Investors in People is a global award of good practice and the mark of a good employer. For KPMG, the standard identifies how well we work with our people to meet our business aims and objectives. As a firm, we are continually working to improve how we operate. Being measured against this standard is an important step in that improvement.”

David Dale, the Investors in People International Assessor appointed to conduct this review sums up the results of his review “People are extremely proud to be associated with KPMG.”

Investors in People is a continuous business improvement framework and is ever changing in line with business needs. The framework was developed at the end of the last recession in collaboration with leading UK businesses. It is now recognised as a leading business improvement tool and quality standard and is the only one which is ‘people orientated’. The framework was developed to support businesses through times of change and economic uncertainty using recognized best practice.

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About KPMG and KPMG (BVI) Limited

KPMG (BVI) Limited, is the British Virgin Islands limited liability company and a member firm of KPMG International cooperative, a Swiss entity. The firm currently has two Directors and 8 professional staff members. KPMG (BVI) Limited fully utilises the knowledge and experience of its local staff, as well as those of its parent, the KPMG Cayman Islands firm. Spanning three centuries, the organization's history can be traced through the names of its principal founding members - whose initials form the name "KPMG." (Klynveld Peat Marwick Goerdeler).

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