

# GERRY WEBER

## INTERNATIONAL AG

### Corporate News

#### Community of heirs takes over shareholdings of Udo Hardieck

*(Halle/Westfalen, 30 July 2018)* Nina Lauterbach and Alexander Hardieck have taken over the shareholdings of their recently deceased father Udo Hardieck – one of the two founders of GERRY WEBER International AG.

Last week, the company was informed by the heirs, that they jointly hold 17.04 % of GERRY WEBER Group through “Hardieck Anlagen GmbH & Co. KG”. Additionally, both individually hold further shares.

Managing Board and Supervisory Board of GERRY WEBER International AG are pleased, that the Hardieck family remains closely affiliated to the company through this transaction.

#### **About GERRY WEBER**

GERRY WEBER International AG, headquartered in Halle/Westphalia, operates on a global scale and unites five strong fashion brands under one roof: GERRY WEBER, TAIFUN, SAMOON, talkabout and HALLHUBER. Since its beginning in 1973 GERRY WEBER International AG, which is listed in the Prime Standard of the German Stock Exchange, has become one of the best known German fashion and lifestyle companies with approximately 1,250 company-managed stores and sales spaces (incl. 397 from HALLHUBER), approximately 2,480 shop-in-shops and 270 franchised stores worldwide as well as brand online-shops in nine countries. With some 6,900 employees worldwide (including about 2,065 from HALLHUBER) and distribution channels in roughly 60 countries, the GERRY WEBER Group is one of the largest listed fashion companies in Germany. In the financial year 2016/17 (1 November 2016 to 31 October 2017) the GERRY WEBER Group generated sales revenues of EUR 880,9 million and operating income (EBIT) in the amount of EUR 10.3 million. The HALLHUBER subsidiary, which was acquired in February 2015, contributed EUR 194.3 million to GERRY WEBER Group sales. The Managing Board consists of Ralf Weber (CEO), responsible for the departments Corporate Development, Strategy, Procurement and Logistics as well as the Strategic Business Units (SBUs) “GERRY WEBER/talkabout” and “TAIFUN/SAMOON”, Jörg Stüber (CFO), who is responsible for the departments Finance, Controlling, Central Purchasing, Compliance, Investor Relations and HR as well as Johannes Ehling (CSO-CDO) who is in charge for the national and international distribution channels (Wholesale, Retail and E-Commerce), IT and the digital strategy of the GERRY WEBER Group as well as for the HALLHUBER SBU.

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