



## Press Release

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### **Prime minister Fischer met representatives of the Czech-German business community**

#### **Traditional roundtable at the German embassy in Prague**

**The evening “Roundtable” – traditional meeting of representatives of important German and Czech companies took place on December 7<sup>th</sup> 2009 at the German embassy in Prague. Representatives of LBBW Bank CZ were among the participants. Jan Fischer was the guest of honour at this evening.**

LBBW Bank is a long-term partner of the German embassy in Prague supporting many cultural and social projects. The aim of this co-operation is the promotion of bank among German companies active on the Czech market.

The festive „Roundtable“ was the latest event. Mr. Fischer accepted this year’s invitation and delivered a speech with the topic of “Current government politics and its importance for companies”. After his presentation many questions were asked and all guests held high in regard the prime minister’s frankness, directness and pragmatism. Mr. Markus Hermann, Mr. Henrik Pregel and Roman Priatka from Corporate Banking represented LBBW Bank.

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Gala dinner at the German embassy

From left: Jan Fischer, prime minister of the Czech Republic, Johannes Haindl, German Ambassador in the ČR, Markus Hermann, Chairman of the Board of Directors of LBBW Bank CZ

#### **Note for editors**

**LBBW Bank CZ a.s.** has been present on the Czech banking market since 1991, and over the years it has established a firm position as a modern and universal commercial bank. From September 1, 2008 Landesbank Baden-Württemberg (LBBW) has been its 100% shareholder. LBBW Bank CZ a.s. provides top-class services in the area of corporate, retail, investment and international banking as well as on the financial markets. LBBW Bank was selected and awarded by experts as the **Third Most Dynamic Bank of the Year 2008.**



In the past, the bank has changed both its shareholder and its name. Under the name of LBBW Bank CZ a.s. it is known as of September 17, 2008. Until this time the bank was active on the Czech market under the name of BAWAG Bank CZ a.s.

**Landesbank Baden-Württemberg (LBBW)** is a universal bank and an international commercial bank. LBBW belongs to one of the largest banks in Germany and ranks among the 50 largest credit institutions worldwide. The

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LBBW Group offers a wide range of products and services for retail, corporate and institutional customers, as well as the public sector and savings banks.

LBBW's head offices are located in Stuttgart, Karlsruhe Mannheim and Mainz. With a balance sheet total of EUR 448 billion (as of December 31, 2008) at the Group level, more than 200 branches, mainly in Baden-Württemberg, along with the LBBW Centers for Financial Services in all major financial hubs in Germany. Landesbank Baden-Württemberg is the largest bank in southwest of Germany.