

Practice of Sava Kulhavy to be integrated into Moetteli & Associates GMBH



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*"We are very pleased to add Mr. Kulhavy to our team" said **John Moetteli, director of Moetteli & Associates.** "His local activity and broad and extensive experience gained over 40 years of practice will certainly be an asset that will benefit firm clients that have come to rely on us for patent and trademark advice over the years."*

Although it will take some months to fully integrate Mr. Kulhavy's files, clients will immediately benefit from Mr. Kulhavy's new association with **Moetteli & Associates.** The combined staff makes up one of the most international firms in Switzerland and the firm in Europe having

the most licensed US patent attorneys-at-law at one locale. Now Mr. Kulhavy's clients need no longer travel to New York for the advice of experienced US Patent Attorneys and can talk directly with their US agents here in St. Gallen.

Further, given the relatively young staff at **Moetteli & Associates**, **Kulhavy** clients have the security of working with a firm whose longevity is assured. Still further, once fully integrated, Kulhavy clients can have the assurance that **Moetteli & Associates**'s state of the art technology, including one of the most advanced docking systems, is working for them as well.

At the same time, **Moetteli & Associates** clients will enjoy the counsel of Mr. Kulhavy, one of the most experienced European Patent and Trademark Attorneys in Switzerland. Mr. Kulhavy was an Examiner and Patent Judge in the Patent Office in Prague for 10 Years, where the Patent Office handled cases in the same manner as the European Patent Office. Further, Mr. Kulhavy offers 20 years of IP experience in St. Gallen, 40 years total in Switzerland, and he is an extensive writer in the IP field. Still further, despite his academic activities, Mr. Kulhavy is in touch with client needs: he is president, and an active participant in the Inventor's Assembly in Switzerland, that has monthly meetings in St. Gallen. Further, given Mr. Kulhavy's multiple registrations, not only can **Moetteli & Associates** offer direct US, Swiss, and European patent filing and prosecution services, the firm can offer direct European Community trademark and design filings as well as patent, design and trademark filings in the Czech Republic.

More details about the integration will be posted at www.patentinfo.net from time to time. We will soon announce a further addition to our staff: an experienced multi-lingual, native German-speaking Patent Attorney who will work closely with Mr. Kulhavy to handle the firm's German-speaking clientele.

Clients with further questions should contact either Mr. Kulhavy or Mr. Moetteli at 071 230 1000

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