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## **RFR and SIGNA Group Complete Acquisition of The Chrysler Building**

**NEW YORK – April 5, 2019** – RFR and SIGNA Group have closed on the acquisition of The Chrysler Building in New York City, the firms announced. RFR and SIGNA continue their longstanding relationship by partnering in a joint venture to purchase the iconic 77-story landmarked office tower and adjacent Trylons Pavilion.

"The Chrysler Building is an extraordinary New York City icon that deserves intelligent revitalization," said Aby Rosen, Co-Founder and Principal of RFR.

Jürgen Fenk, Member of the Executive Board SIGNA Group, said: "We are thrilled that the Chrysler Building represents our first real estate acquisition in the U.S. and look forward to working with RFR to enhance the building's stature as a New York City landmark."

### **About RFR**

RFR is a fully integrated real estate investment firm based in New York City with a core focus on select urban markets in the United States and Germany. Founded by Aby Rosen and Michael Fuchs in the early 1990's, the firm has been an active force in the New York City and German real estate market for much of the past three decades. RFR's portfolio has grown to include more than 100 commercial, residential, hotel, and retail properties located in select domestic and international markets.

### **About SIGNA Group**

Founded by Austrian entrepreneur René Benko, the SIGNA Group is a privately managed, European holding company focusing on the real estate, retail and media sector. The company is one of Europe's leading real estate investors with a portfolio of unique assets in prime locations valued at over EUR 14 bn, and a further EUR 9 bn. in assets under development. SIGNA Real Estate employs around 350 employees at 10 offices in Austria, Germany, Italy and Switzerland. SIGNA holds market-leading positions in the highly attractive property markets of Vienna, Berlin, Munich, Frankfurt, Hamburg, Dusseldorf, Cologne, Innsbruck and Bolzano.