

# **BGL BNP Paribas reaffirms its support for the Luxembourg Olympic and Sports Committee (COSL)**

BGL BNP Paribas is pleased to announce its support for the COSL for 2021, the year of the Olympic Games in Tokyo.

The agreement was signed on Wednesday, 13 January by Béatrice Belorgey, Chair of the BGL BNP Paribas Executive Committee and Country Head of the Group in Luxembourg, Thierry Schuman, member of the BGL BNP Paribas Executive Committee, André Hoffmann, President of the COSL and Daniel Dax, Secretary General of the COSL.

Upon signing the agreement, Béatrice Belorgey welcomed the partnership, which reflects BGL BNP Paribas' determination to play an active role in the social and sporting fabric of the country.

André Hoffmann emphasised how crucially important having a partner such as BGL BNP Paribas is for the COSL in order to continue to develop and promote sport and sportsmen and women in Luxembourg and abroad, thus securing exemplary performance and results.

2021 will be a significant year for all sports fans, as the 2020 Olympics will take place from 23 July to 8 August in Tokyo.

## **About the Luxembourg Olympic and Sports Committee (COSL)**

The COSL is the central sporting authority in Luxembourg, bringing together all national sporting federations. In particular, the COSL is in charge of selecting Luxembourgish athletes called to represent the country at the Summer and Winter Olympic Games, the Summer and Winter Youth Olympic Games, the European Games, the Summer and Winter European Youth Olympic Festivals, the ANOC World Beach Games and the Games of the Small States of Europe.

## **About BGL BNP Paribas**

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## **About BNP Paribas**

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