

Yesterday

Supreme Court of the Russian Federation

sent for a new consideration the first bankruptcy case of an individual that reached the board of the Supreme Court. With regard to the ex-shareholder of Peresvet Bank Vitaly Savvin, a debt restructuring procedure was introduced at the request of a certain Alexei Dolgoplov. Mr. Dolgoplov argued that on behalf of the debtor for a fee of 1.4 million rubles, repaid his debt to a third party, but did not receive his remuneration. Another creditor of Vitaly Savvin, Zenit Bank, challenged the legitimacy of Alexei Dolgoplov's claims, but lost in three instances. The bank appealed to the Supreme Court, believing that the transaction between these citizens was fictitious and aimed at getting ahead of other creditors in order to appoint a controlled financial manager. The bank's complaint noted that there was no loan agreement with a third party in the case, and Mr. Dolgoplov could not repay someone else's debt, since his own accounts were frozen at that time (see "

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granted the request of Ranbaxy, a subsidiary of the Indian Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, to acquire 100% of the Penza OJSC Biosintez with a number of prescriptions. The company must fulfill all contracts previously concluded by Biosintez with contractors, and must not reduce the production and sale of medicines, if this is not an economically or technologically justified measure. "Biosintez" was a member of the "Biotek" ex-senator Boris Spiegel. At the end of November, it became known about the sale of 85.1% of the shares of Sun Pharma for \$24 million. Biosintez produces 180 types of drugs, with an annual turnover of \$45 million.

VIYM

announced a partnership with German hostel chain operator Meininger Hotels. The operator will open its first facility in Russia as part of the VIYM Nikolskie Ryady project in St. Petersburg. The hostel will be designed for 158 rooms, the total area - 7.3 thousand square meters. The total cost of the VIYM Nikolsky Ryady project is about \$50 million. It involves the restoration of the historic building of the former Nikolsky Market with an area of 26,000 sq. m. m, which should also include the Holiday Inn Express hotel.

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Unicredit

announced that it plans to raise €13 billion as a result of an additional issue, преимущественное право на выкуп которой будут иметь нынешние акционеры. Банк также намерен сократить 6,5 тыс. рабочих мест и сэкономить на этом €1,7 млрд. В 2019 году банк рассчитывает получить €4,7 млрд чистой прибыли (прибыль за первое полугодие составила €1,3 млрд), говорится в стратегическом плане банка на 2016-2019 годы. В пресс-службе российской "дочки" Unicredit сообщили, что здесь планируется сфокусироваться на крупных корпоративных и частных клиентах. Кроме того, банк планирует добиться сохранения позиций "благодаря избирательному подходу к кредитованию в соответствии с рамками, определенными санкциями", отмечают в пресс-службе банка. При этом в стратегии развития банка не раскрывается, какой будет оптимизация сети и сотрудников в России, уточнила пресс-служба банка.

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