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Global company invests in the European City of Culture

New Regus business centre offers clients convenience of being located in the heart of Liverpool, just minutes away from docks and renowned Liver Building.

Regus, the world's leading provider of furnished offices, has signed a lease agreement to open a business centre in the Exchange Flags building in Liverpool.

Regus will occupy the fifth and sixth floors of the city centre, Grade 2 listed building, accommodating more than 320 customers. There will be five meeting rooms for hire and a business lounge enabling people to drop in and work while on the move.

Celia Donne, Area Director, said, "We are very proud to now be in the European City of Culture. The economy in Liverpool has grown rapidly this decade, improving business confidence locally. This growth in confidence, combined with investment from both central government and Europe, has led to increases in the number of jobs and firms recently, so it seemed an obvious location for Regus and the perfect time for us to open a centre in this market."

Liverpool businesses will benefit in a number of ways from the arrival of Regus. Research by the Chartered Institute of Purchasing demonstrates that businesses can save 50% over three years on office space when the total cost of occupancy is factored in by opting for a flexible office provider.

Continues Celia Donne: "Our new business centre in the Exchange Flags building will give more choice, and provide better value, to local businesses who want the flexibility of not being tied into long office leases."

With Regus businesses have the freedom to grow, downsize, or expand their business to another geographic location with minimal disruption; a fixed monthly price that includes everything they need to run their business; and a global network giving members access to more than 950 locations worldwide.

Regus will be holding an official launch event in Liverpool in early May.

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About The Regus Group

The Regus Group is the world's leading provider of pioneering workplace solutions, with products and services ranging from fully equipped offices to professional meeting rooms, business lounges and the largest network of videoconferencing studios. The Regus Group delivers a new way to work, whether it's from home, on the road or from an office.

Clients such as Google, GlaxoSmithKline, IBM, Nokia and Accenture join thousands of growing small and medium businesses that benefit from outsourcing their office and workplace needs to The Regus Group, allowing them to focus on their core business.

Over 200,000 clients a day benefit from Regus Group facilities spread across a global footprint of 950 locations in 400 cities and 70 countries, which allows individuals and companies to work wherever, however and whenever they want to.

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