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KPMG is Ireland's leading professional advisory services firm and works with entrepreneurs and fast growth companies to support the early achievement of business objectives. KPMG has a reputation for continuing these strong relationships, as organisations evolve and grow, based on a passion for business and an unrivalled understanding of the key issues in all sectors of the economy.

KPMG has over 2,500 professionals based in Dublin, Belfast, Cork and Galway providing a broad range of audit, tax and advisory services to clients ranging from dynamic, privately owned businesses to individuals, partnerships and publicly quoted companies.

KPMG first became a sponsor of Going for Growth for the 7th Cycle in 2015 as the focus on encouraging individuals and businesses to be ambitious and fulfil their growth potential aligns precisely with KPMG's long track record of working successfully with entrepreneurs and fast growth companies.

Speaking about KPMG's sponsorship of Going for Growth, Managing Partner, Shaun Murphy, said: *'KPMG is delighted to be associated with the Going for Growth programme. Ireland's economy and prosperity is highly dependent on dynamic entrepreneurial activity. Irish women have a major role to play in delivering the economic benefits and job creation opportunities that successful entrepreneurship can bring'*.

Having seen the impact of Going for Growth on development aspiration and achievement, KPMG decided to extend their support further and become a Starting Strong Supporter, believing that focused early intervention will assist female entrepreneurs to achieve their innovation and growth goals. *'We are supporting Starting Strong as it provides valuable mentoring support for female entrepreneurs at an early stage. It stands to reason that innovation has a better chance of thriving when the environment is positive and the right supports are in place'*.

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