

## **28Feb2002 GERMANY: German stocks - Factors to watch on Feb 28.**

FRANKFURT, Feb 28 (Reuters) - The following German stocks may be affected by newspaper reports and other factors on Thursday:

### **BERTELSMANN**

**A group representing minority shareholders of European broadcaster RTL said on Wednesday it was taking Bertelsmann to court because it deemed the German media group's buyout offer unacceptable. Investas, a Luxembourg association that represents the rights of minority investors, said it had also recommended RTL shareholders not accept the offer.**

**Bertelsmann owns 89 percent of Luxembourg-based RTL and is seeking to buy out the remaining 11 percent from minority shareholders for 44 euros a share.**

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