



Overview

We provide solutions to complex regulatory issues, domestically and internationally, impacting consumer goods and services. Our team regularly uses sophisticated antitrust analysis to minimize transaction risk, break down regulatory barriers to distribution, or ensure fair competition in a global marketplace. Our lawyers are experts in state, federal, European Union and European national regulations implicating competition and unfair competition.

Our regulated industries practice attorneys grasp the intricacies of antitrust risk that a regulatory regime imposes on licenses, contracts, transactions and sales. Our counseling on these types of matters involves a deep understanding of the industries and the impact that regulations have on the competitive environment. Because of this, we provide practical and useful solutions to expand your business and reduce your risks.

Our experience in regulated industries covers many countries and continents in industries including: Pharmaceutical, medical device, biotechnology, diagnostics and testing, healthcare and wellbeing, agriculture, commercial aviation, alcohol and tobacco, consumer banking, fintech and baby care products.

Representative Experience

- Successfully steered acquisition of health savings accounts through DOJ review
- Successfully steered acquisitions of Medicare Advantage and Medicare Supplemental plans through significant DOJ investigations
- Successful defense of collusion and abuse of dominance claims in an EC investigation against a heartburn medication manufacturer
- TTB administrative litigations charging exclusionary behavior
- Recovered for illegal Greek beer market foreclosure in Dutch damages action
- Defense in Italian court of abuse of dominance in commercial air travel
- EC and national merger control approvals for baby care products acquisition
- Appeals in EU courts of state aid decisions in commercial air travel

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