Competition / Antitrust

Competition and antitrust laws are evolving rapidly, with increasing regulatory scrutiny and growing exposure to private enforcement. Our team advises clients on the full range of competition matters, including merger control, antitrust investigations, restrictive agreements, abuse of dominance, state aid and private enforcement.

We have extensive experience in complex, cross-border transactions and work with clients to develop global merger-control and foreign-investment-review strategies. We coordinate filings and engagement with authorities across jurisdictions, combining legal, economic, commercial and political considerations to help clients achieve a successful outcome. We also advise clients on practices infringing consumers' collective interests.

Our clients benefit from a single central point of contact and a consistent service throughout the transaction. We advise clients in a wide range of industries across the full spectrum of competition, regulation and trade-related issues. Some of the areas we typically advise clients include:

- cartels and anti-competitive agreements
- abuse of dominance
- "dawn raids" when clients are being raided by the regulatory authorities
- practices infringing consumers' collective interests
- competition complaints to regulatory authorities
- competition investigations, including leniency applications
- market studies and investigations
- competition litigation, including appealing regulatory decisions and follow-on claims
- merger control, including advising interested third parties and opposing mergers
- joint ventures, strategic alliance and collaborative arrangements
- competition issues in distribution, licensing and franchising
- regulated industry matters

"Ability and experience comparable to that of a large firm, combined with a very personal level of service."
CEO of Wienerberger Ceramika Budowlana Sp. z o.o.

"Brilliant team with fantastic expertise and an unrivalled client experience."
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CEO of Semmelrock Stein+Design Sp. z o.o.

"Very dedicated, organised team, pro-active and knowledgeable - keep things simple."
The Legal 500

Recent examples of our work:

- Advised **Wienerberger AG**, an Austrian-listed building materials group, on the merger control issues and practices infringing consumers' collective interests.
- Advised **DKMS Group**, one of the world's leading nonprofit organisations dedicated to combating blood cancer and blood disorders, on compliance matters and its international development.
- Advised **Farm Frites B.V.** on its Polish operations and a number of competition issues.
- Advised **Saginomiya Seisakusho**, a Japanese-listed manufacturer of industrial equipment, on the restructuring of its Polish operations and related antitrust matters.
- Advised an international client on a high-value cross-border fraud and asset recovery matter involving Polish real estate portfolios and related High Court proceedings in London, including the analysis of complex Polish law, asset ownership, and recovery issues.

International reach

Woźniak Legal is a Polish member of New Circle, an alliance of 13 independent law firms across Europe and Asia. It enables us to coordinate local legal advice when a matter extends beyond Poland.

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