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June's Featured Articles

Role of ESG as Part of Directors' Duties in the Decision Making Process

In Recent years the topic of environmental, Social and governance ("ESG") has been trending. The COVID-19 pandemic further accelerated ESG, especially in the light of issues surrounding forced labour and modern slavery.

Contributed by Zaid Ibrahim & Co (A member of ZICO Law)

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Contributed by <u>Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough</u>

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Chamberlain Hrdlicka – USA

<u>Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas</u> – India

Ulloa & Asociados – Honduras

Q2 global rankings will be live July 31st

Professional Notices

Belgium

Euclid Law

Strengthens its practice with hire of Partner Andrea Zulli to head the Brussels office

Costa Rica

<u>BLP</u>

Awarded Costa Rica Firm of the Year

Czech Republic

PRK Partners

Vaclav Bily has been appointed as a new managing partner of PRK Partners

Ireland

<u>Matheson</u>

Wins Ireland Law Firm of the Year at the Women in Business Law Awards

Japan

Atsumi & Sakai Takafumi Ochiai, Partner, selected as one of the 30 rule makers in Japan

Mexico

Iberbrand Announces Expansion and New Office Opening Nader Hayaux & Goebel Winners of the NET-ZERO TRANSITION Awards 2022

Portugal

SRS Advogados André Alfar Rodrigues launches and presides over Ex Libris

Sweden

Westerberg & Partners Three of the best arbitration Lawyers in Sweden

Turkey

Deris Once More One of the Best Workplaces of Turkey 2022

USA

Bracewell

Leading Pipeline Safety Partners Catherine Little and Annie Cook Join Bracewell's Energy Regulatory Practice

Chamberlain Hrdlicka Ranked in the top ten of U.S. tax law firms

<u>Nelson Mullins</u> Attorneys Selected for 2022 Florida Trend 'Legal Elite'

Vinson & Elkins Recognized as a "Best Law Firm for Women"

Featured Deals

Chile

Prieto Abogados

AD Capital

China

Kobre & Kim Helps PRC Clients Enforce US \$171M Award in BVI

Colombia

Posse Herrera Ruiz Road Infrastructure Investment Platform of Odinsa and MacQuarie Asset management Starts its Operation

Central America

<u>BLP</u>

Advises IDB Invest on the issuance of the first Sustainability Bonds in El Salvador Advises Barentz International on the acquisition of Divsa in Central America Advised IDB Invest on a \$70 million subordinated Ioan to Banco Agrícola S.A. in El Salvador

Greece

Papapolitis & Papaolitis Advised Varde Partners Sale of Lamda Malls

Italy

LED Taxand Assisted Worldline in performing tax due diligence

Mexico

Nader, Hayaux & Glebel Advised Grupo Murano Advised Corporación Andina de Fomento

Norway

HJORT Assists with the approval of state aid to Avinor

Sweden

Cederquist

Advises Millicom International Cellular S.A. on a rights offering of approximately SEK 7.5 billion Legal advisor to BillerudKorsnäs in connection with SEK 3.5 billion rights issue

Switzerland

Schellenberg Wittmer

Advises Julius Baer Group Ltd on its sale of Fransad Gestion SA Advises Credaris AG on its acquisition of credit intermediary Milenia SA

Popular Articles in June

Africa

Libya

Itkan Law An Overview Of Law No.1 Of 2013 Regarding The Prohibition Of Interest-Based Transactions In Libya

Asia

China

East & Concord Brief Analysis on Revision of PRC Anti-Monopoly Law and its Implication

India

L&L Partners An Analysis of the Evolving Law of Abortions in Light of Roe v. Wade Judgment Assured increase of FDI in the insurance sector

Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas Rise in pharma sector & what it means for India The Practical Lawyer

Solomon & Co Parent company liable to repay dues of its wholly owned subsidiary: NCLT Kochi

<u>Tuli & Co</u> <u>Registration of insurance companies</u> <u>Arbitrator Cannot Rewrite the Contract Between the Parties</u>

Japan Oh-Ebashi LPC and Partners Merger Control Regulations in Japan

Malaysia

Zaid Ibrahim – ZICO Law Role of ESG as Part of Directors' Duties in the Decision Making Process

Europe

Belgium

Liedekerke Recent Developments Regarding the Belgian "Labour Deal"

Van Olmen & Wynant Updates Regarding the Telework Cost Compensation

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Bulgaria

<u>Kinstellar</u> <u>IBuy Now, Pay Later solutions on the rise – regulatory aspects in Bulgaria</u>

Czech Republic

PRK Attorneys at Law 'Doing Business in the Czech Republic, 2022'

Greece

POTAMITISVEKRIS Report on Greece's' New Climate Law.

Ireland

Matheson <u>Future is a collaboration between man and machine</u> <u>SFDR / Taxonomy Implementation – Further Regulatory Guidance</u>

Italy

<u>IP Law Galli</u> <u>Industrial property code, how many doubts: why it is urgent to improve the text</u> <u>Revision of Italian IP code</u>

LED Taxand Private equity and beneficial ownership: will the Italian Supreme Court confirm a look-through approach?

Macchi di Cellere Gangemi

A Record Conviction for a Former Coca Cola Employee for Trade Secrets Theft in the US Compliance Obligations Related to Video-Surveillance Systems Negativa Sunt Probanda!" St. Peter's Dome Hasn't Collapsed and the Tiber Isn't Dry!

Portolano Cavallo

Latest News on Italian Beneficial Ownership Regulation:

Trifiró & Partners

The Constitutional Court still intervenes on the art. 18: reinstatement and manifest lack of justified objective reason

Luxembourg

Elvinger Hoss

Calculation of fines under the GDPR: draft guidelines by and for the authorities

CSSF Circular 22/811 on UCI Administrators

Next wage indexation postponed to 1st April 2023

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Norway

Hjort

End of the general right to hire temporarily Marriage restricts property rights

Portugal

<u>SRS Advogados</u> REPOWER EU initiative in the UNIO

Spain

Curell Sunol Metaverse: Trademarks on the Internet 3.0

Jacobacci | Abril

<u>A law against academic plagiarism, will it be the solution?</u> The Spanish Supreme Court Denies Art Status to Football

Perez Llorca

Commentary on the Judgment of the Court of Justice of the European Union of 20 June 2022, Case C 700/20 The growing role of private debt investors in Spain

Sweden

Fenix Legal Sweden Country Report Women in IP Leadership

Westerberg & Partners

<u>Re-boxing of parallel traded medicinal products under EU Falsified Medicines Directive</u> <u>Use of IT forensic evidence in copyright and trade secret litigation in Sweden</u>

Switzerland

<u>Schellenberg Wittmer</u> <u>Unexpected Severe Events – Learnings from the Pandemic for Swiss Law M&A Transactions</u>

Turkey

Deris

Registration with customs is a powerful option for brand owners

<u>Gókce</u>

Record Breaking Fine from Hungarian Data Protection Authority for Unlawful Use of Artificial Intelligence

Ukraine

Kinstellar

The potential inclusion of the Russian Federation in the 'FATF Blacklist' – Part I The potential inclusion of the Russian Federation in the 'FATF Blacklist' – Part II

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Latin America

Argentina

Wiener Soto Caparros Se Flexibiliza el Cepo Cambiario con Relación al Cobro de Servicios al Exterior

Novedades cambiarias de junio 2022

Bolivia

BAQSN Granting of Legal Personalities:

Indacochea & Asociados The Migratory Statute of the Andean Community Enters Into Force

Brazil

Machado Associados The Limits of the Director's Performance as Per Law 14195/2021

Chile

<u>Carey</u> New interpretative circulars from Sernac on the processing of personal data

Prieto Abogados What happened in 2021 in Free Competition?

Colombia

Posse Herrera Ruiz

President Duque Announces that This Month Ends Health Emergency Due to COVID

Costa Rica

<u>Arias</u>

Basic Questions and Answers on Properties in the Maritime Zone for Hotel Investments in Costa Rica

<u>BLP</u>

Regulation for competition in the telecommunications market in Costa Rica: a paradigm shift

Guatemala

<u>Arias</u>

Is Electronic Commerce Subject to Taxes

<u>Consortium</u> <u>Representatives of Foreign Companies</u>

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Mexico

Chevez Ruiz Zamarripa Focus on: IP in Mexico

Dumont Post-grant possibilities

Iberbrand Copyright lawsuits against world renowned artists won't stop!

Nader Hayaux & Goebel Initiation of an investigation regarding the probable existence of barriers to competition and/or essential inputs

Nicaragua

<u>Arias</u> <u>New national Climate Change Policy in Nicaragua</u>

Consortium The proof: friend or enemy?

Peru

<u>Gálvez, Risso, Zegarra & Asociados</u> <u>Se establecen nuevas medidas para el restablecimiento de la vida social</u>

Uruguay

Bergstein Abogados "An Apple A Day Keeps Doctors Away" - Productos Orgánicos – Certificación de Calidad Conduciendo a Miss Daisy: Importación de Vehículos Libre de Impuestos

Guyer&Regules Día Mundial del Medio Ambiente

Canada

<u>CILF-Corporate Immigration Law Firm</u> United States Ending Covid-19 Testing Requirements For International Travelers

United Kingdom

Kobre & Kim The Differences Between UK and EU Russian Sanctions

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USA

California

Vinson & Elkins Power Play: The State of Electric Vehicle Charging Station Finance

Georgia

<u>Chamberlain Hrdlicka</u> <u>Five Tips for Negotiating Insurance Provisions in Commercial Leases</u>

Nelson Mullins Effective Oversight of FinTech Partnerships

New York

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Pennsylvania

Chamberlain Hrdlicka

Avoiding Errors In Establishing Basis In Business Interests Philadelphia Mayor, City Council Seek to Offset Property Tax Increases

South Carolina

<u>Nelson Mullins</u> Transgender Youth and Access to Healthcare

Texas

Bracewell Marijuana and Workplace Safety

Chamberlain Hrdlicka "War! What Is It Good For? Joining the Team: Three Steps to Successfully Adding New Legal Staff

<u>Vinson & Elkins</u> Three Things to Watch in Development of U.S. Offshore Wind

Washington DC

Bracewell Summary Outline of SEC's Proposed Rule on Climate-Related Disclosure and Accounting

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