



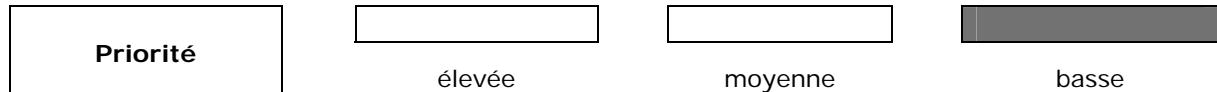
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**Point No. 5 de l'ordre du jour: Rapport sur la situation relative aux correspondants
de l'Institut**

(note préparée par le Secrétariat)

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| <i>Sommaire</i> | <i>Approche radicalement nouvelle pour la nomination des correspondants</i> |
| <i>Action demandée</i> | <i>Voir les paragraphes 3 et 4</i> |
| <i>Documents connexes</i> | <i>C.D. (84) 22</i> |



INTRODUCTION

1. A la lumière des réponses totalement insatisfaisantes reçues à la demande du Secrétariat de soumettre des commentaires sur les sujets proposés pour le Programme de travail triennal, le Conseil a demandé au Secrétariat d'examiner la situation de façon plus approfondie. Le Secrétaire Général a en particulier été chargé d'envoyer une lettre aux correspondants "endormis" leur demandant si le fait de recevoir des communications du Secrétariat était considéré par eux comme une charge et, le cas échéant, s'ils souhaitaient être rayés de la liste des destinataires de documents et communications.

2. Les résultats de cette enquête figurent en Annexe I au présent document. Sur plus de 70 correspondants qui ont reçu ladite lettre, deux seulement ont répondu, l'un demandant d'être rayé de la liste et l'autre de continuer à y figurer.

MESURES A PRENDRE

3. *Le Secrétariat suggère de remédier à cette situation de la façon suivante:*

a) les personnes qui figurent sur la liste en Annexe I avec deux signes négatifs sont supprimés de la liste sans toutefois être privés de leur statut de façon explicite;

b) à la suggestion de M. Widmer, les nominations futures de personnes se feront, en principe, sur la base des mérites réels plutôt que potentiels et, deuxièmement, en préférant des personnes jeunes et "affamées" plutôt que des célébrités débordées de travail;

c) il faudrait examiner la possibilité de créer une catégorie spéciale de correspondants, y compris des personnes morales comme des cabinets d'avocats, des associations représentant des industries particulières, des organisations charitables, etc. qui contribuent de façon importante et pendant un certain délai au financement des activités d'UNIDROIT, par la voie de mise à disposition de personnel au Secrétariat ou de toute autre façon.

4. *Le Secrétariat propose de nommer en tant que premier membre de cette catégorie spéciale le cabinet d'avocats Jenner & Block LLP de Washington, DC. Ce cabinet a financé la présence au sein du Secrétariat de M. Brian Hauck pour l'élaboration du projet de Loi type sur le leasing. Le profil du cabinet figure en Annexe II au présent document.*

ANNEXE I**CORRESPONDANTS DE L'INSTITUT AU 1er MARS 2006**

| | Nom | Pays | Réponse sur le Programme de travail | Autre contact depuis 2003 |
|----|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | ABASCAL ZAMORA José María | Mexique | – | + |
| 2 | ABOUL-ENEIN Mohamed | Egypte | – | + |
| 3 | AGARWAL Vinod K. | Inde | – | – |
| 4 | AKANLE Oluwole | Nigéria | – | – |
| 5 | AUDIT Bernard | France | – | – |
| 6 | AVILOV Gainan | Fédération de Russie | – | + |
| 7 | AZZIMAN Omar | Maroc | – | – |
| 8 | BEL HAJ HAMOUDA Ajmi | Tunisie | – | – |
| 9 | BERAUDO Jean-Paul | France | – | + |
| 10 | BERTHE Abdoul Wahab | Mali | – | – |
| 11 | BEY EI Mokhtar | Tunisie | + | + |
| 12 | BIENVENU Pierre | Canada | – | – |
| 13 | BOELE-WOELKI Katharina | Pays-Bas | – | + |
| 14 | BOGDANOWSKY DE MAEKELT Tatiana | Venezuela | – | – |
| 15 | BOJARS Juris | Lettonie | – | + |
| 16 | BOSS Amelia Helen | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 17 | BROUWER George | Australie | – | + |
| 18 | BOUDAHRAIN Abdellah | Maroc | + | – |
| 19 | BOUTIN I. Gilberto | Panama | – | + |
| 20 | BURMAN Harold S. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | + | + |
| 21 | CALUS Andrzej | Pologne | + | + |
| 22 | CAMINOS Hugo | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | – |
| 23 | CAPRIGLIONE Francesco | Italie | – | – |
| 24 | CHARFEDDINE Mohamed Kamel | Tunisie | – | + |
| 25 | CHIASSON Edward C. | Canada | – | – |
| 26 | CHIAVARELLI Emilia | Italie | – | – |
| 27 | CHIOMENTI Filippo | Italie | – | + |
| 28 | CHURCH Joan | Afrique du Sud | – | – |
| 29 | CLETON Robert | Pays-Bas | – | – |
| 30 | CRAWFORD James Richard | Royaume-Uni | – | + |
| 31 | CREPEAU Paul-André | Canada | + | + |
| 32 | CRESPI REGHIZZI Gabriele | Italie | – | + |
| 33 | CUMING Ronald C.C. | Canada | – | + |

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|----|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 34 | CURTI GIALDINO Carlo | Italie | – | – |
| 35 | DADACHANJI J.B. | Inde | – | – |
| 36 | DATE-BAH Samuel Kofi | Ghana | + | + |
| 37 | DEKOVEN Ronald | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | + | + |
| 38 | DEL DUCA Louis | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 39 | DE NOVA Giorgio | Italie | + | + |
| 40 | DESCHAMPS Michel | Canada | – | + |
| 41 | DIAZ BRAVO Arturo | Mexique | – | + |
| 42 | DROBNIG Ulrich | Allemagne | – | + |
| 43 | DUCHEK Alfred | Autriche | – | – |
| 44 | EL KOSHERI Ahmed S. | Egypte | – | + |
| 45 | FELICIANO Fiorentino P. | Philippines | – | – |
| 46 | FERRAND Frédérique | France | – | + |
| 47 | FERRARINI Guido | Italie | – | + |
| 48 | FINN Paul Desmond | Australie | + | + |
| 49 | FONTAINE Marcel | Belgique | + | + |
| 50 | FRESNEDO DE AGUIRRE Cecilia | Uruguay | – | + |
| 51 | FURMSTON Michael P. | Royaume-Uni | + | + |
| 52 | GARCÍA PUJOL Ignacio | Chili | – | + |
| 53 | GARRO Alejandro | Argentine | + | + |
| 54 | GHATTAS Iskandar | Egypte | – | + |
| 55 | GOLDRING John L. | Australie | – | + |
| 56 | GRANDINO RODAS João | Brésil | – | – |
| 57 | HARTONO Sunaryati, S.H | Indonésie | – | + |
| 58 | HAZARD Geoffrey C., Jr | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 59 | HERBER Rolf | Allemagne | – | – |
| 60 | HERBOTS Jacques | Belgique | – | + |
| 61 | HIROSE Hisakazu | Japon | – | + |
| 62 | HINESTROSA Fernando | Colombie | – | + |
| 63 | HJERNER Lars | Suède | – | – |
| 64 | HONNOLD John | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | – |
| 65 | HUANG Danhan | Chine | – | + |
| 66 | ILLESCAS ORTIZ Rafael | Espagne | – | + |
| 67 | ISSA-SAYEGH Joseph | Sénégal | – | + |
| 68 | IZADI Bijan | Iran | – | + |
| 69 | JAYME Erik | Allemagne | – | + |
| 70 | KAHN Philippe | France | – | – |

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| 72 | KASIRER Nicholas | Canada | – | + |
| 73 | KEMELMAJER de CARLUCCI Aida R. | Argentine | – | + |
| 74 | KOH Kheng-Lian | Singapour | – | – |
| 75 | KONIGSBERG Alexander S. | Canada | – | + |
| 76 | KÖNKKÖLÄ Mikko | Finlande | – | + |
| 77 | KOUMANTOS Georges | Grèce | – | – |
| 78 | KOZOLCHYK Boris | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 79 | KOZUKA Souichirou | Japon | – | + |
| 80 | KRAMER Ernst A. | Suisse | – | – |
| 81 | KREUZER Karl | Allemagne | – | + |
| 82 | KRINGS J. Ernest | Belgique | – | + |
| 83 | KULSHRESHTHA V.D. | Inde | – | – |
| 84 | LALIVE d'EPINAY Pierre | Suisse | – | + |
| 85 | LANDO Ole | Danemark | + | + |
| 86 | LEANZA Umberto | Italie | – | – |
| 87 | LEFEBVRE Guy | Canada | – | + |
| 88 | LIBRANDO Vito | Italie | – | – |
| 89 | LIEBMAN Lance | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 90 | LOHOUES-OBLE Jacqueline | Côte d'Ivoire | – | – |
| 91 | LONGO Giovanni | Italie | – | – |
| 92 | de MAGALHÃES José Carlos | Brésil | – | – |
| 93 | MARCHISIO Sergio | Italie | – | + |
| 94 | MARKESINIS Basil S. | Royaume-Uni | – | + |
| 95 | MARTYNOV Anatoli S. | Fédération de Russie | – | – |
| 96 | MASKOW Dietrich | Allemagne | – | – |
| 97 | McKENDRICK Ewan G. | Royaume-Uni | – | + |
| 98 | MEDINA Maria do Carmo | Angola | – | – |
| 99 | MENDELSON Martin | Royaume-Uni | – | + |
| 100 | MICALLEF Joseph A. | Malte | – | – |
| 101 | MOONEY Charles W., Jr. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 102 | MORAN BOVIO David | Espagne | – | + |
| 103 | MOURA RAMOS Rui Manuel | Portugal | – | + |
| 104 | MUTUNGI Onesimus K. | Kenya | – | – |
| 105 | NAGANO Osamu | Japon | – | – |
| 106 | NANARE Damienne | République centrafricaine | – | – |
| 107 | NDIAYE Youssoupha | Sénégal | – | – |

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| 108 | NESGOS Peter D. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 109 | NGOMO Angéline Florence | Cameroun | – | – |
| 110 | OKANI ABENGUE Rachel-Claire | Cameroun | – | – |
| 111 | ORLEANS G.A. | Ghana | – | – |
| 112 | ORTIZ SOBALVARRO Alfonso | Guatemala | – | + |
| 113 | OYEKUNLE Tinuade | Nigéria | – | + |
| 114 | OZSUNAY Ergun | Turquie | – | – |
| 115 | PAMBOUKIS Charalambos | Grèce | – | + |
| 116 | PANEBIANCO Massimo | Italie | – | – |
| 117 | PARK Nohyoung | République de Corée | – | – |
| 118 | PERTICONE Giacomo | Italie | – | – |
| 119 | PETER Fritz | Suisse | + | + |
| 120 | PFUND Peter H. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | – |
| 121 | PIAGGI VANOSSI Ana Isabel | Argentine | – | – |
| 122 | PINHEIRO FARINHA João de Deus | Portugal | – | – |
| 123 | PROTT Lyndel V. | Australie | – | + |
| 124 | RAJSKI Jerzy | Pologne | – | – |
| 125 | RAKOVER Nahum | Israël | – | + |
| 126 | RAMBERG Jan | Suède | – | + |
| 127 | RAZAFINALAMBO Edilbert | Madagascar | – | – |
| 128 | REICHELT Gerte | Autriche | – | + |
| 129 | REISMAN Albert F. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | – |
| 130 | RESCIGNO Pietro | Italie | – | – |
| 131 | RIVERA Julio César | Argentine | – | + |
| 132 | ROGNLIEN Stein | Norvège | – | + |
| 133 | ROSEN Howard | Royaume-Uni | – | + |
| 134 | SACCO Rodolfo | Italie | – | – |
| 135 | SAFARIYAN Abbas | Iran | – | – |
| 136 | SAJKO Kresimir | Croatie | – | – |
| 137 | SALEHABADI Amélia | Canada | – | – |
| 138 | SAMSON Claude | Canada | – | – |
| 139 | SÁNCHEZ-GAMBORINO Francisco José | Espagne | – | + |
| 140 | SA NTOS Gonzalo T., Jr | Philippines | – | – |
| 141 | SCHIAVONI Giorgio | Italie | – | + |
| 142 | SCHIPANI Sandro | Italie | – | + |

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| 143 | SCHULZ Albrecht | Allemagne | – | + |
| 144 | SIEHR Kurt | Allemagne | – | + |
| 145 | SHI Zhaoyu | Chine | – | – |
| 146 | SHYLLON Folarin Olawale | Nigéria | – | + |
| 147 | SIQUEIROS José Luis | Mexique | – | + |
| 148 | SOHN Kyung Han | République de Corée | – | – |
| 149 | SOLIMAN Mahmoud A. | Egypte | – | – |
| 150 | SOMMER Heinrich Johannes | Allemagne | + | – |
| 151 | SONO Kazuaki | Japon | – | – |
| 152 | STOICHEV Krassen | Bulgarie | – | – |
| 153 | STURMS W.W. | Pays-Bas | – | – |
| 154 | STÜRNER Rolf | Allemagne | + | + |
| 155 | SUCHARITKUL Sompong | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | – |
| 156 | SVIDRON Ján | Slovaquie | – | + |
| 157 | SYNVET Hervé | France | – | + |
| 158 | TALLON Denis | France | – | – |
| 159 | TOLENTINO Arturo | Philippines | – | – |
| 160 | TSAMBASSY Tania | Grèce | – | – |
| 161 | VAGTS Detlev F. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | – |
| 162 | VEYTIA Hernany | Mexique | – | + |
| 163 | VILLAÇA AZEVEDO Álvaro | Brésil | – | – |
| 164 | WALLACE Don, Jr. | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 165 | WALTER Gerhard | Suisse | – | – |
| 166 | WEINBERG DE ROCA Inés M. | Argentine | – | + |
| 167 | WEITZEL Albert | Luxembourg | – | + |
| 168 | WINSHIP Peter | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 169 | WOOD Philip R. | Royaume-Uni | – | + |
| 170 | WOOL Jeffrey | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 171 | XERRI Alessandra | Italie | – | – |
| 172 | ZEIDMAN Philip | Etats-Unis d'Amérique | – | + |
| 173 | ZIEGEL Jacob | Canada | – | – |
| 174 | ZOLEZZI Lorenzo | Pérou | – | – |
| 175 | ZUMBO Frank | Australie | – | + |

ANNEXE II**CONTRIBUTION DU CABINET JENNER & BLOCK LLP
A UNIDROIT**

Sur les encouragements de M. Ronald DeKoven, correspondant d'UNIDROIT depuis de nombreuses années, le cabinet Jenner & Block LLP a décidé au printemps 2005 de mettre un jeune avocat à disposition de l'Institut pendant une période de neuf mois à compter du 1^{er} octobre 2005, au cours de laquelle il assisterait l'Institut dans l'élaboration d'une loi type sur le *leasing* avec les fonctions de Secrétaire du Comité consultatif chargé de suivre la rédaction de la loi type, et d'assistant du Rapporteur, M. DeKoven.

Le soutien du cabinet Jenner & Block LLP pour l'élaboration de la loi type a été fondamental pour progresser. En effet, le Conseil de Direction ayant décider que la préparation de la loi type sur le *leasing* ne devait pas avoir de répercussion sur le budget de l'Institut, ce projet n'a pu avancer que grâce à des sources extérieures de financement. Si les membres du Comité consultatif offrent leurs services et prennent en charge leurs propres frais, ou trouvent le financement ailleurs, la question restait ouverte de savoir comment le Secrétariat pourrait faciliter la procédure sans enlever des ressources aux autres projets importants de l'Institut. L'avocat du cabinet Jenner & Block LLP a contribué à tous les aspects de l'élaboration de la loi type: préparation des textes à soumettre au Rapporteur, recherche sur des questions posées par les membres du Comité consultatif, coordination de la préparation des trois sessions du Comité consultatif.

En partie grâce à la générosité du cabinet Jenner & Block LLP à travers cette mise à disposition d'un avocat, l'élaboration de la loi type sur le *leasing* est allée de l'avant très rapidement comme l'a demandé le Comité consultatif en raison de l'urgence d'une telle loi dans certains Etats. En moins de six mois à compter de la première session le 17 octobre 2005, le Comité consultatif s'est réuni à trois reprises à Rome, a examiné et commenté divers projets de texte et convenu d'un texte qu'il a recommandé au Conseil de Direction. Les services fournis par le cabinet Jenner & Block LLP à l'Institut ont ainsi aidé à promouvoir les objectifs stratégiques de l'Institut tout en maintenant l'engagement du Secrétariat à l'égard de ses autres projets.

Le cabinet Jenner & Block LLP est également très actif sur la scène internationale en assistant ses clients sur des questions de droit privé dans le monde entier. Un échantillon représentatif de ses activités internationales figure ci-après (en anglais seulement).

JENNER & BLOCK

Several of Jenner & Block's corporate clients are large companies headquartered in Europe, Japan and Latin America. Our long-standing relationships and experience with these corporations allow us to provide key insights and experience in the context of cross-border transactions. We assist our international clients with joint ventures and acquisitions in the United States as well as compliance with applicable United States regulatory requirements. We work closely with partners in our tax, intellectual property, regulatory and litigation practice to assist international clients with a wide array of disciplines.

Additionally, the transactions we engage in for our domestic clients increasingly involve significant international components, including non-U.S. securities compliance, anti-competition issues, tax structuring and planning, lien perfection matters, transfer pricing and other local law issues that arise in the context of acquisition and loan transactions. In connection with those matters, we coordinate with correspondent firms around the world. A number of our partners have been resident in Japan and the United Kingdom on multiple-year assignments. Those in Japan have been visiting members of a prominent Tokyo law firm. We have also regularly hosted visiting lawyers seconded to us from abroad.

International matters handled by our attorneys include:

Corporate Matters

- Establishing, restructuring and terminating joint ventures between Japanese multi-nationals and U.S. companies.
- Tender offer acquisitions in Australia and Ireland.
- An international (U.S., Japan and Europe) secondary securities offering of a Japanese automobile manufacturer's common stock, the acquisition of oil and gas fields in Ecuador.
- The acquisition of the protective and flexible packaging businesses of NV Koninklijke KNP TST, including negotiations and closing of the transaction in the Netherlands, Great Britain, Germany, Italy, France, Egypt, Poland and Belgium, with aggregate consideration in excess of approximately U.S. \$400 million.
- A restructuring of the existing financing of a Japanese multi-national corporation for Nippon Credit Bank.
- An international acquisition by Tenneco Inc. of Autocan, a Mexican catalytic converter and exhaust pipe assembly manufacturer.
- A U.S. \$200 million international asset acquisition by a U.S. based multi-national which had simultaneous closings in 15 countries.
- Restructurings of an automobile manufacturer's operations in Brazil, Mexico, the U.K. and Australia.

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- A joint venture between a U.S. automobile component manufacturer and a Czech company for manufacture of components in the Czech Republic.
 - A number of joint ventures between U.S. corporations and companies throughout Europe.
 - An international debt restructuring in excess of U.S. \$1 billion.
 - The recovery of assets and establishment of a distribution network in Japan for a U.S. client after its long-time, exclusive distributor in Japan filed for bankruptcy.
 - The establishment of a distribution arrangement in Mexico for a U.S. company and a U.S. subsidiary of a Netherlands multi-national corporation.
 - Structuring a series of investments in U.S. companies for Neste Oy, Finland's national oil and chemical corporation, as well as restructuring of certain of its U.S. and Canadian subsidiaries.
 - A joint venture project in Russia on behalf of a U.S. manufacturer of telecommunications equipment involving U.K. and Canadian joint venture partners.
 - Establishment of a joint venture between Mitsubishi Electric and NEC Corporation with respect to their North American computer monitor businesses.

Cross-Border M&A Capabilities

We are accustomed to serving as “deal counsel” for U.S. based companies in cross-border M&A transactions.

- Several partners have practiced abroad for extended periods—London, Tokyo
- One member of the Firm is currently based in London—with extensive cross-border leasing expertise
- Relationships with local counsel throughout the EU and Asia-Pac
- Longstanding practice of hosting visiting transactional lawyers

Cross-border transactions that our partners have led include:

- Sale of American Tool Company to Newell Rubbermaid
- Exide Technologies acquisition of the GNB Battery business
- Acquisition by Motorola of the Force Computers business of Solelectron Corporation
- Disposition of the pacemaker manufacturing operations of Pacific Dunlop Limited
- General Dynamics acquisition of GM Canada

International Arbitration Experience

- We represented Ticona (formerly Hoechst Celanese Corporation) in the arbitration of an insurance coverage dispute against an offshore insurer. The three-member arbitration panel, which sat in London and was chaired by a member of England's House of Lords, awarded our client in excess of \$90 million, including policy limits and an award of pre-judgment and post-judgment interest.
- We represented General Dynamics in an ICC arbitration in Geneva, Switzerland concerning a dispute over a contract to build military combat vehicles. Our client prevailed and was awarded all of its costs and attorneys' fees.
- We successfully represented Lockheed Martin in an international arbitration against Thomson CSF concerning alleged defects in an anti-aircraft missile.
- We represented the owner of a hotel in the Cayman Islands in an international arbitration before a three-member tribunal concerning insurance coverage for a property loss caused by a hurricane. We prevailed in the arbitration, in which the insurer attempted to void the policy based on a misrepresentation in the policy application process.
- We represented a Venezuelan petrochemical company against London insurers in an arbitration before the Law Society of London. Our client obtained a substantial award.

Litigation

Semiconductor Cases

- We represented Hitachi in a patent infringement suit filed in August 2000 concerning three patents relating to DRAM and SDRAM technology.
- We represented Hitachi in patent infringement litigation concerning 8 Rambus patents on synchronous memory devices, including DDR SDRAM and memory controllers. The litigation, which was prosecuted simultaneously in 2000 in federal court, in the ITC, and in a German court, involved counterclaims asserting patent misuse, antitrust violations and unfair licensing practices.
- We represented Hitachi in 2001 and 2002 in infringement and breach of contract cases involving the parties' memory patents.
- We represented Hitachi in an action involving charges of patent infringement of a number of the parties' DRAM patents.
- We represented Hitachi in patent infringement litigation concerning microprocessor and memory technology.
- We are representing the plaintiff in a patent infringement suit filed in December 2003 concerning seven patents relating to DRAM and SDRAM technology.

Television/CRT Technology

- We represented Funai in patent infringement litigation concerning 3 patents on TV and VCR tuner technology.
- We represented Hitachi in a patent infringement case involving several Hitachi patents on cathode ray tube (CRT) displays.

Other Patent Litigation Engagements

- We represented SEL in infringement litigation involving SEL patents covering thin film transistors used in the manufacture of LCDs.
- We represent SEL in infringement litigation involving SEL patents covering the process used in manufacturing low temperature polysilicon thin film transistors used in LCD devices.
- We represented Mitsubishi Electric in a patent infringement case concerning patents covering industrial sewing machines.
- We represented Namco America Inc. in patent infringement litigation concerning 2 patents on video game technology.
- We represent Mitsubishi Electric in patent infringement litigation involving sensors used to activate air bag safety systems used in automobiles.

Other Matters

- We represent Schunk GmbH, a German electrical carbon products manufacturer, in a Sherman Act class action pending in New Jersey, which is in the process of a nationwide settlement. We are also defending claims by opt-outs from the settlement and a parallel state court antitrust suit in California.
- We represented several Japanese companies in negotiations with the U.S. Department of Justice in situations where the U.S. Government threatened to indict our clients for alleged violations of the antitrust laws.
- We represented several Japanese defendants in civil antitrust litigation in various courts in the U.S. and in Canada.
- We represented a number of U.S. subsidiaries of Japanese companies in litigation involving employment disputes, claims of patent infringement, charges of breach of contract, distributorship terminations and product liability.

**International
Bankruptcy
Experience**

- We recently advised a steering group of Hungarian banks in relation to English law intercreditor and security aspects of an \$140 million out-of-court restructuring for NABI Rt. (a Hungarian bus manufacturer) and its American subsidiary, North America Bus Industries, Inc.
- We represent TXU Europe Ltd., a British utility company that is under administration in the High Court of Justice of England and Wales. We recently obtained a permanent injunction for TXU Europe Ltd. in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York in Manhattan that blocks U.S. creditors from taking legal action against TXU Europe Ltd.'s assets in U.S courts. We are also assisting the administrators in their attempt to recover amounts due to TXU Europe Ltd. from U.S. entities.

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| Practices | Antitrust and Trade Regulation Appellate and Supreme Court Practice Arbitration: Domestic and International Association Practice Bankruptcy, Workout and Corporate Reorganization Class Action Litigation Commercial Law and Uniform Commercial Code Complex Business Litigation Construction Law Corporate Corporate Finance Defense and Aerospace Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation Entertainment and New Media Environmental, Energy and Natural Resources Law ERISA Litigation Estate Planning and Administration Family Law Government Contracts Health Care Law | Insurance Litigation and Counseling Intellectual Property Labor and Employment Litigation & Dispute Resolution Practice Media and First Amendment Practice Mergers & Acquisitions Pharmaceutical, Biotech and Medical Device Private Equity and Emerging Companies Products Liability and Mass Tort Defense Professional Liability Litigation Public Policy Real Estate Real Estate Securities Practice Reinsurance Practice Securities Securities Litigation Tax Practice Tax Controversy Practice Telecommunications Trade Secrets and Unfair Competition White Collar Criminal Defense and Counseling |
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