

## Representative Legal Matters

Seiji Tomimoto

### Turkey/Middle East

- Acted as the lead associate in representing Marubeni Corporation in its acquisition of 49% of the shares of Turkey-based Temsa Is Makinalari Imalat Pazarlama ve Satis A.S.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing Hitachi, Ltd. in its acquisition of 75% of the shares of Kurt & Kurt, a Turkish medical device manufacturer and healthcare services provider.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing Hitachi Kokusai Electric Inc. in its acquisition of BCS, a Turkish broadcasting equipment business, as a consolidated subsidiary.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing a major Turkish home appliance manufacturer in its potential acquisition of a major Japanese home appliance manufacturer.
- Represented Acibadem Healthcare Group, a Turkish healthcare institution, in its acquisition of a hospital business in Bulgaria from Tokushukai Group.
- Advised various Japanese corporations considering Turkish market entry on the establishment of companies, branch offices and representative offices, as well as the formation of joint ventures.
- Advised various Japanese corporations operating in Turkey on labor issues.
- Advised various Japanese corporations operating in Turkey on agency and distributorship agreements.
- Advised Japanese financial institutions operating in Turkey on financial regulations.
- Advised Japanese corporations operating in Turkey on exit procedures including corporate liquidation and the closing of representative offices.
- Provided Japanese corporations operating in Turkey with compliance training.
- Advised Japanese corporations on the effects of the relaxation of economic sanctions on Iran.
- Advised a Japanese listed wind/water power equipment manufacturer on its establishment of an Abu Dhabi office.
- Advised a Japanese listed corporation on anti-bribery regulations in the UAE.
- Advised a Japanese listed corporation on its establishment of a branch office in Egypt and on potential contract production.

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- Advised a Japanese listed corporation on agency laws in Egypt.
- Advised a major Japanese manufacturer on anti-bribery regulations in Saudi Arabia.
- Advised a Japanese listed corporation on agency laws in Qatar.

## **Other Regions**

- Acted as the lead associate in representing Dentsu Inc. in its JPY 390 billion acquisition of Aegis Group PLC, a UK listed media planning firm.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing MS&AD Insurance Group in its acquisition of 100% ownership of a Japanese joint venture with MetLife.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing Sumitomo Life Insurance Company in its acquisition of 40% of the shares of Indonesia-based PT BNI Life Insurance.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing Nissha Printing Co., Ltd. in its acquisition of AR Metallizing Group.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing Next Co., operator of the real estate portal site "HOME's," in its acquisition of Trovit, a Spanish company.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing KISCO Ltd. in its acquisition of US-based Specialty Coating Systems Inc.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing en-japan inc. in its acquisition of New Era India Consultancy in India.
- Acted as the lead associate in representing TDK in its public takeover of Epcos AG in Germany for approximately JPY 200 billion.
- Acted for Rakuten, Inc. on its acquisition of play.com, a UK-based e-commerce company.
- Acted for Schneider Electric SA in France on its establishment of a joint venture in Japan with Fuji Electric Co., Ltd.
- Acted for Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company on its joint acquisition of Warta, a Polish Insurance Company, with Talanx AG, its strategic partner in Germany.
- Acted for Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company on its joint TOB for Europa Group, a Polish listed insurance group, with Talanx AG, its strategic partner in Germany.
- Acted for a major Japanese financial institution on its acquisition of a minority stake in a UK-based investment management business with a Japanese subsidiary.
- Acted for various foreign-affiliated companies, including a major auditing firm, film company and engineering trading company, on corporate reorganizations in Japan.
- Advised a variety of domestic and international companies on labor issues.