

Representative Legal Matters

Belle Chiou

Pharmaceuticals & Healthcare

- Assisted Reber Genetics in relation to its launch of veterinary drugs in Asia.
- Assisted VSense MedTech Limited in its medical device business and licensing deal with National Taiwan University.
- Advised TaiGen Biotechnology Co. Ltd. on compliance issues for its licensing deal with Chinese company Zhe Jiang Medicine Co. Ltd.
- Acted for Merz Asia Pacific Pte. Ltd. in relation to its distribution arrangements within Taiwan.
- Advising many multinational pharmaceutical or medical device companies on corporate compliance, FCPA, ethics and corporate social responsibility, and marketing and advertising activities.
- Negotiating clinical trial arrangements for high-profile CROs and pharmaceutical companies with over 40 medical centers and hospitals in Taiwan.
- Represented Danish multinational company Novo Nordisk in a clinical trial lawsuit filed by a patient.
- Represented Jen-Chi Hospital in the outsourcing of its dialysis center to Asia Renal Care Taiwan Branch.

Mergers & Acquisitions

- Acted for Stryker in relation to its proposed acquisitions of a Taiwan-based company and a subsidiary located in Nanjing, China.
- Assisted MetLife in selling its insurance business to Chinatrust Financial Holding Co.
- Acted for MetLife in relation to the proposed sale of its insurance business to Waterland Financial Holdings.
- Assisted Advanced Semiconductor Engineering Inc., J&R Holding Limited and ASE Test Limited in their acquisition of 82 percent shares of Universal Scientific Industrial Co. Ltd. by tender offer.
- Acted for DSM Engineering Plastics BV in its acquisition of Tai Young Nylon Co. Ltd.

- Acted for Cathay Financial Holdings in its bid for Nan Shan Life.
- Assisted Eaton Corporation in its acquisition of Phoenixtec Power Co. Ltd. by tender offer.
- Assisted Chang Hwa Commercial Bank in its proposed share swap with Taishin Financial Holding Co. Ltd.
- Assisted Chinatrust Financial Holding Co. in selling its shares to Morgan Stanley.
- Acted for Aegon International NV in relation to its joint venture with Taishin Financial Holding Co.
- Assisted Aegon in its acquisition of 49 percent shares of Taishin Insurance Agency Co. Ltd.
- Assisted ABN AMRO in its assumption of Taitung Enterprise Bank.
- Assisted American International Group in its acquisition of Central Insurance Co. Ltd.
- Assisted Auer Media & Entertainment in its acquisition of Sound Era's assets.
- Assisted Yuanta Core Pacific Securities Co. in its share swap with Fuhwa Financial Holding Co.
- Assisted Sino Pac Financial Holding Co. in its acquisition of the International Bank of Taipei.

Insurance

- Advised Standard Chartered Bank on its exclusive bancassurance business partnership with Prudential Life.
- Assisted Volkswagen Financial Services Taiwan in establishing its insurance agency business.
- Advised Carrefour Broker on its insurance agency business.
- Advising AIG Germany, AIU Taiwan, Allianz Group, Cigna Taiwan, MetLife, New York Life, Prudential Swiss Life and Zurich Insurance on insurance products, reinsurance business, offshore insurance, private banking, investment, and regulatory matters.