

Representative Legal Matters

Gavin Bushell

- Represents Sika AG on its EUR 5 billion acquisition of MBCC Group.
- Represented Chr. Hansen on the sale of its NCD division.
- Represented Lonza AG on the sale of its LSI business.
- Represented Hitachi Ltd on its GBP 11 million acquisition of the ABB Power Grid business before the European Commission as well as coordinating the global merger filing strategy.
- Represented Lonza and Chr. Hansen on their microbiome joint venture before the European Commission.
- Represented Shanghai Jin Jiang International Hotels Group before the European Commission on its EUR 1.7 billion acquisition of the Radisson Group.
- Represented Camso on its EUR 1.7 billion acquisition by Michelin.
- Represented AGFA on its proposed joint venture with LHG.
- Represented one of the largest German airlines and Brussels Airlines on the acquisition of Thomas Cook Airlines Belgium before several national competition authorities.
- Represented Abbott Laboratories on its USD 5.8 billion acquisition of Alere Inc. before the European Commission to secure conditional Phase I clearance in the face of an active complainant and to secure purchaser approval for three divestment businesses subject to an upfront buyer commitment.
- Represented Lonza on its USD 5.5 billion acquisition of Capsugel before the European Commission.
- Represented Safran on the sale of its Morpho Detection business to Smiths Group before the European Commission.
- Represented Abbott Laboratories on its USD 5.8 billion acquisition of Alere, Inc. before the European Commission.
- Represented FedEx on its EUR 4.4 billion acquisition of TNT Express and also represented FedEx before the European Commission to successfully challenge the UPS/TNT merger and before the European General Court in the subsequent UPS v Commission litigation.

- Represented Abbott Laboratories before the European Commission to obtain conditional Phase I clearance of the sale of its Established Pharmaceutical Division in Development Markets to Mylan for USD 5.3 billion.
- Represented Ergon Capital on the sale of Steel Partners/Joris Ide Group to Kingspan Plc, which was cleared by the European Commission in Phase I.
- Represented Ingram Micro on the acquisition of Anov Expansion and obtained unconditional clearance in Phase I in a Simplified Procedure within 17 working days.
- Represented Aegean Airlines before the European Commission to obtain unconditional Phase II clearance of its acquisition of Olympic Air, a significant result given that the first merger attempt was prohibited in 2011.
- Represented Continental Airlines before the European Commission to obtain Phase I clearance on its merger with United Air Lines.
- At his prior firm, Gavin worked extensively for a number of clients, in particular Rio Tinto Alcan (Alcan/Pechiney II, Alcan/Flexpac, Rio Tinto/Alcan, divestiture of flexible packaging, etc) Emirates, and British Nuclear Fuels Limited (including Westinghouse).