

OUR SERVICES

Obtaining protection documents for intellectual property

- ☑ Comprehensive legal services on registration of intellectual property, entering changes into the State Registers of the Russian Federation, extending the term of rights to such intellectual property.

Full-service protection of a company brand: protection of rights to trademarks, copyrighted works, protection of a company's business reputation against unfair competition.

In particular:

Protection of a company's intellectual property rights at the border of the Russian Federation:

- ☑ Full support with registering trademarks in the Customs Register of Intellectual Property;
- ☑ Representing the company's interests in relations with customs authorities;
- ☑ Support in cases connected with revealing counterfeit goods and parallel import;
- ☑ Litigation on recovering compensation from violators for infringement of rights to trademarks due to import of counterfeit goods and parallel import.

Protection of intellectual property rights in the Russian Federation:

- ☑ Revealing and registration of facts of infringement of a company's intellectual property rights;
- ☑ Pretrial cooperation with violators of exclusive rights (sending complaints and conducting negotiations);
- ☑ Litigation on recovering compensation from a violator for infringement of copyright and rights to trademarks;
- ☑ Protection of intellectual property rights in the event of establishing facts of unfair competition (cooperation with antitrust authorities).

Legal documentation of relations and protection of a company's interests in relations with licensees and distributors of products in Russia, including:

- ☑ Expert assessment of agreements and recommendations on protecting trademarks already registered in the Russian Federation (analysis of license and distributor agreements as to compliance with Russian legislation and analysis of legal risks);
- ☑ Drafting agreements (license and distribution) with partners of a company and their subsequent registration pursuant to Russian legislation.

RECENT EXPERIENCE

Protection of intellectual property of a world-renowned producer of video games and cartoons

Capital Legal Services provides the client a full range of legal services on preventing distribution of counterfeit goods and parallel import. In particular, Capital Legal Services represents the client in relations with customs at all stages: sending to customs authorities requests on taking measures related to protection of the client's brand, letters of consent for import of genuine goods and full support of the case if counterfeit goods are revealed. Capital Legal Services developed and implemented a strategy for protecting IP rights in the Russian Federation, including revealing counterfeit goods and full support in pretrial and court dispute resolution.

Support with registering the client's trademark in the Customs Register of Intellectual Property of the Russian Federation

Comprehensive analysis of procedure for protecting exclusive rights to a trademark by registering the trademark in the Russian Customs Intellectual Property Register and analysis of all possible risks for the rightholder connected with such registration for a major foreign company.

Representation in a court dispute on recovering compensation for infringement of rights to a trademark

Legal support and representation in court of a major European manufacturer of attic windows in protection of its interests in a dispute on infringement of rights to a trademark of a third party. Issues concerning a trademark being confusingly similar, counterfeit goods and calculation of compensation were raised in the course of the court proceedings.

Pretrial and court dispute protection of a company's intellectual property rights

Comprehensive protection of interests of a major Russian company engaged in entertainment, advertising and PR, including preparation of license agreements for copyrighted works; legal support in administrative cases connected with violation of competition law by third parties; pretrial dispute resolution, including preparing cease-and-desist letters and holding negotiations with violators of the company's rights to intellectual property; litigation connected with bad faith use of the company's trademarks.

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