

Pharmaceutical Industry Expertise

Capital Legal Services is a leading Russian law firm providing support for major foreign and Russian companies since 1999. The firm has offices in Moscow, St. Petersburg and Helsinki. Chambers & Partners, Legal 500, Best Lawyers and Pravo – 300 have noted the high level of the firm's expertise, large scale and broad geography of projects implemented by the associates of Capital Legal Services.

Capital Legal Services advises clients on a broad spectrum of matters ranging from business development and group restructuring to routine day-to-day issues pharmaceutical companies face.

Among our clients are major international and Russian manufacturers and distributors of drugs, suppliers of medical products, equipment and devices for medical and diagnostic centers, as well as for laboratories engaged in clinical research.

Our pharmaceutical industry team is comprised of attorneys who know the industry from the inside and have significant expertise in general consulting and in representing both government and private entities. This enables us to propose to our clients the most cost-effective solutions for issues that arise from the perspective of market specifics and particularities of doing business.

OUR SERVICES

- Support for international pharmaceutical companies in creating and developing business in Russia (opening representative offices and branches, tax planning, support of M&A transactions, support in obtaining relevant licenses, consulting on labor and migration issues, etc.)
- Legal support on commercial issues (analysis and development of various agreements, participation in negotiations, etc.)
- Legal regulation of circulation of medical goods and medical services.
- Registration of drugs and medical goods including biosimilars
- Consulting on issues of conducting clinical research of pharmaceuticals.
- Issues of marking and importing drugs.
- Licensing of medical activity, activity in manufacture and maintenance of medical equipment, drug manufacture and pharmaceutical activity.
- Taxation of medical activity, pharmaceutical activity and circulation of medical goods.
- Legal regulation of advertisement for medical goods and medical services.
- Regulation of the activity of medical organizations.
- Doctor-patient privilege and protection of personal data of patients at medical organizations.
- Interaction with the system of mandatory medical insurance.
- Protection of rights of patients and consumers of medical services.
- Registration and protection of intellectual rights in the pharmaceutical field.
- Legal regulation of circulation of dietary supplements.
- Elaboration of agreements (supply, distribution, services, etc.)
- Antitrust regulation.
- Localization of manufacturing.
- Representation in courts (including arbitration and commercial arbitration courts).

EXPERIENCE HIGHLIGHTS

Representing a major global producer of medical oxygen in an antitrust case

Legal support for the client on construction of a pharmaceutical manufacturing plant in one of the Russian regions

Optimization of a distributor interaction scheme for a major pharmaceutical wholesaler in Russia Legal support for a major pharmaceutical company in several FAS cases alleging a cartel agreement

Legal support for a
Russian company
supplying
pharmaceutical
products on matters
which FAS considered
to be unfair competition

Development of a trade policy in compliance with antitrust regulations for a pharmaceutical company Comprehensive legal support in optimizing business and corporate restructuring for a major international chemical company subject to sanctions

Successful representation of one of the largest pharmaceutical companies in Russia producing natural medicines, in a dispute with a Russian state agency

Assistance in conducting an advertising campaign for a blood glucose meter for a leading manufacturer of medical equipment

Successful protection of interests of a major pharmaceutical company in 10 interrelated trademark court disputes regarding 4 trademarks registered in Russia

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