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Seminar will be held in English language

16 APRIL 2013 - RADISSON BLU HOTEL, BUCHAREST



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The seminar comprises presentations and working sessions to take place on 16th of April.

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Time	Subject	Speakers
09:00 - 09:30	Registration	
09:30 - 09:45	Bilingual Welcome and Introduction (in Romanian and English language)	- Calin-Andrei Zamfirescu, Honorary President, U.N.B.R. - Prof. Dr. Jörg K. Menzer, Senior Vice-Chair of the European Regional Forum/IBA, Managing Partner at Noerr, Bucharest, Romania - Cornel Popa, Partner, Ţuca Zbârcea & Asociaţii
09:45 - 10:45	A Private M&A Transaction: Structure and Key Documents - Share deal vs. asset deal - Standard structure of a private M&A transaction (one-on-one and auction process); timetable and sequence of events - Role of the lawyer (how to work with other advisors, in particular corporate finance/investment bank) - Key transaction documents (Engagement letter; NDA, LOI or MOU, SPA or APA, Disclosure Letters, etc.)	- Freek Jonkhart, Co-Chair of the European Regional Forum/IBA Partner at Loyens & Loeff, Rotterdam, The Netherlands - Rabbe Sittnikow, Senior Vice-Chair of the IBA M&A Law Committee, Partner at Hannes Snellman, Helsinki, Finland - Mihai Macelaru, Senior Associate, Coordination M&A practice, Noerr, Bucharest, Romania - Cristina Daianu, Local Partner, Dentons (former Salans), Bucharest, Romania
10:45 - 11:15	Coffee break	
11:15 - 12:00	Due diligence in a private M&A Transaction: How to do it and what to do - Do's and Don'ts Physical data room vs. virtual data room Cooperation with financial, environmental, tax and other experts Due diligence report and disclaimers (limitation of liability?) Work product of due diligence: - Reliance letters - How to integrate the results in the SPA/APA?	- Cristian Radu, Managing Associate, Țuca Zbârcea & Asociații
12:00 - 12:30	Current private M&A market trends	- Ileana Glodeanu, Counsel, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest, Romania
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 - 14:15	Introduction to the Working Sessions Participants will be split up in three groups, attending three working sessions on a rotating basis, so that each participant attends each of the three working groups in one separate session (e.g. one participant attends working group A in the first session, while in the second session attends working group B and then working group C) The working sessions are interactive and require active involvement of the participants.	- Freek Jonkhart, Co-Chair of the European Regional Forum/IBA Partner at Loyens & Loeff, Rotterdam, The Netherlands
14:15 - 15:00	Working Session 1 Working Group A: Discussion of key provisions in an SPA (price adjustment mechanisms, representations and warranties, covenants, limitations of liability, applicable law and jurisdiction, etc.) Working Group B: Key provisions in important transaction documents (other than SPA) Working Group C: Selected issues of shareholders agreements	Moderators Group A: - Freek Jonkhart, Co-Chair of the European Regional Forum/IBA Partner at Loyens & Loeff, Rotterdam, The Netherlands - Cristian Radu, Managing Associate, Juca Zbârcea & Asociații Moderators Group B: - Ileana Glodeanu, Counsel, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest, Romania - Mihai Macelaru, Senior Associate, Coordination M&A practice, Noerr, Bucharest, Romania Moderators Group C: - Rabbe Sittnikow, Senior Vice-Chair of the IBA M&A Law Committee, Partner at Hannes Snellman, Helsinki, Finland - Cristina Daianu, Local Partner, Dentons (former Salans), Bucharest, Romania

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15:00 - 15:45	Working Session 2 Working Group B: Key provisions in important transaction documents (other than SPA) Working Group C: Selected issues of shareholders agreements Working Group A: Discussion of key provisions in an SPA (price adjustment mechanisms, representations and warranties, covenants, limitations of liability, applicable law and jurisdiction, etc.)	Moderators Group A: - Freek Jonkhart, Co-Chair of the European Regional Forum/IBA Partner at Loyens & Loeff, Rotterdam, The Netherlands - Cristian Radu, Managing Associate, Ţuca Zbârcea & Asociaţii Moderators Group B: - Ileana Glodeanu, Counsel, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest, Romania - Mihai Macelaru, Senior Associate, Coordination M&A practice, Noerr, Bucharest, Romania Moderators Group C: - Rabbe Sittnikow, Senior Vice-Chair of the IBA M&A Law Committee Partner at Hannes Snellman, Helsinki, Finland - Cristina Daianu, Local Partner, Dentons (former Salans), Bucharest, Romania
15:45 - 16:15	Coffee break	
16:15 – 17:00	Working Session 3 Working Group C: Selected issues of shareholders agreements Working Group A: Discussion of key provisions in an SPA (price adjustment mechanisms, representations and warranties, covenants, limitations of liability, applicable law and jurisdiction, etc.) Working Group B: Key provisions in important transaction documents (other than SPA)	Moderators Group A: - Freek Jonkhart, Co-Chair of the European Regional Forum/IBA Partner at Loyens & Loeff, Rotterdam, The Netherlands - Cristian Radu, Managing Associate, Ţuca Zbârcea & Asociații Moderators Group B: - Ileana Glodeanu, Counsel, Wolf Theiss, Bucharest, Romania - Mihai Macelaru, Senior Associate, Coordination M&A practice, Noerr, Bucharest, Romania Moderators Group C: - Rabbe Sittnikow Senior Vice-Chair of the IBA M&A Law Committee Partner at Hannes Snellman, Helsinki, Finland - Cristina Daianu, Local Partner, Dentons (former Salans), Bucharest, Romania
17:00 - 18:00	Bilingual Concluding Remarks (in Romanian and English language)	

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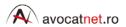




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