Dear Clients and Friends

Drew Network Asia (DNA) is delighted to present our webinar, "Merger Regulation – Updates from Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines and Singapore", on Friday, 19 August 2022, from 2.30 pm to 6 pm (SGT/MYT/PHT); 1.30 pm to 5 pm (WIB).

The webinar will consist of an update on merger control in Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines and Singapore.

The webinar will feature Competition Law practitioners from market-leading firms under the DNA umbrella. The full programme can be found below.

The webinar will be presented online through Zoom. To register, please click <u>here</u>. Further details of how to access the webinar will be sent to you after registration and closer to the date of the webinar. Registration closes on 17 August 2022, 5 pm (SGT/MYT/PHT); 4 pm (WIB).

We look forward to seeing you. In the meantime, please stay safe and healthy.

Best regards Drew Network Asia





WEBINAR

MERGER REGULATION
INDONESIA - MALAYSIA - PHILIPPINES - SINGAPORE

Speakers:



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Programme (SGT/MYT/PHT)

2.30 pm: Opening and Introduction

2.40 pm: Updates on Merger Regulation in the Philippines

3.25 pm: Introduction of Merger Control in Malaysia

4.15 pm Updates on Merger Regulation in Indonesia

5.00 pm: Updates on Merger Regulation in Singapore

5.45 pm: Q&A

6.00 pm: End

The webinar will consist of an update on Merger Regulations in Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines and Singapore. Hear from leading Competition Law practitioners from market-leading firms under the DNA umbrella.





By invitation only

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About Dr Corinne Chew

Dr Corinne Chew is the Deputy Head of the Drew & Napier's Competition Law & Regulatory practice.

Corinne's competition law experience extends to all areas of competition law practice, including assisting clients in the filing of merger notifications to the Competition and Consumer Commission of Singapore (*CCCS*), leniency applications and assisting clients with CCCS investigations.

Corinne has also assisted multi-national and local companies in setting up competition law compliance and audit structures, dawn raid and whistle-blowing programmes and conducting audit checks for companies in a wide range of industries in Singapore and other jurisdictions in the ASEAN region.

Corinne has also assisted in the drafting of sectoral competition codes and guidelines and has advised regulators and industry on sectoral competition codes in the telecommunications, media, energy, aviation, transport and financial services sectors.

Corinne has been recognised by the Asia Pacific Legal 500 as a Leading Individual for Antitrust and Competition, Best Lawyers (Competition/Antitrust Law) and Who's Who Legal as one of Singapore's foremost competition practitioners under the age of 45.

About Lia Alizia

Lia is a talented lawyer, litigator, a leading advisor to many top businesses worldwide, and also one of Indonesia's foremost legal practitioners, having been involved in some of the most high-profile matters over the years.

She is a Partner in the Corporate, Commercial, and Litigation and Dispute Resolutions departments of M&T. She provides expert advice and oversight in large, complex corporate negotiations, and brings more than 20 years of experience in managing legal aspects of commercial, transactional and corporate governance matters including anti competition regulations and policies.

Lia adheres to strict ethical principles when representing clients before Indonesian courts and arbitration panels. Her practice does not only focus on litigation but also aims to provide advice to clients on how to minimize potential risks related to employment, anti bribery, anti corruption and litigation issues.

She is a sworn translator, author of a number of significant publications, an instructor faculty member in TRACE Anti-Bribery Specialist Accreditation, and often speaks at local and overseas seminars and training programs on employment, litigation and corporate matters.

About Anand Raj

Anand is the Co-Head of Shearn Delamore & Co's Competition and Antitrust Practice Group. He regularly represents and advises MNCs, GLCs, foreign and Malaysian enterprises on Competition Law in industries as diverse as aviation industry, financial services, telecommunications and multimedia, pharmaceuticals, insurance, logistics, hospitality, FMCG, manufacturing and the automotive sector, amongst others. In 2021, Anand and team handled the filing of the notice and application of an anticipated merger between two international airlines which was also the first ever successful under any statute or regime in Malaysia. He also is actively engaged in conducting competition law audit and review exercises for clients and in reviewing documentation, practices, and compliance and risk levels.

Anand's competition clients come from sectors as diverse as consumer goods and services, financial services, oil and gas, pharmaceuticals, telecommunications and manufacturing and distribution. Much of the work for these clients has been general compliance work and investigation defence work.

Anand regularly conducts trainings and workshops for clients and event organisers and is also active in providing feedback to the relevant authorities and agencies on issues relating to Competition Law in Malaysia. Anand has successfully handled several competition law investigations resulting in closures without findings of infringement including for Giga Shipping and Nexus Mega Carriers, amongst others. Anand has been recognised as an

"Expert" (2013-2018), a "Global Leader" (2019-2021) and National Leader (Southeast Asia) (2021 and 2022) in Competition by Who's Who Legal. Asialaw's Client Service Excellence (2021) recognised Anand as the "Highest Rated Lawyer to Work With" in Competition/Antitrust. Asia Business Law Journal also (2020-2021) recognised Anand as one of Malaysia's Top 100 Lawyers in Competition Law & Antitrust. Anand was also recognised by Asialaw Leading Lawyers as an "Elite Practitioner" (2020 – 2022) in Competition/Antitrust and a "Leading Lawyer" (2015 – 2019) in Competition & Antitrust. Anand is ranked by Legal 500 Asia-Pacific (2019 – 2022) as a "Leading Individual" in Antitrust and Competition.

Anand has vast experience in corporate and investment work and has extensive experience in all aspects of tax and revenue law advisory, structuring, planning, litigation, transfer pricing, audit and investigation work. Anand regularly appears as Counsel for taxpayers before the Special Commissioners and the superior courts of Malaysia and many of his cases have been reported and are landmarks in Malaysian tax law.

About Manuel Gonzalez

Manuel heads Martinez Vergara Gonzalez & Serrano's Capital Markets and Projects & Energy practice groups.

Manuel is an expert in the field of Capital Markets. His track record over the recent years proves that he is much sought after by issuers who intend to go public or wish to raise additional capital, industry practitioners, including underwriters and investment banks, as advisor for IPOs, rights offers, tender offers and private equity transactions. His advice and guidance have likewise in the past been sought by regulators, including the Philippines Securities and Exchange Commission and the Philippine Stock Exchange, in the formulation of rules and regulations relating to the registration and listing of securities.

Manuel is likewise an expert in the field of public infrastructure projects, which include the area of project finance. He has advised publicly-listed Megawide Construction Corporation in its winning bid for five Public Private Partnership (PPP) projects of the Philippine Government, including the financing required for the projects. These include the Php12.8 billion ten-year contract granted to the Citicore Megawide Consortium, Inc. (CMCI) for the School Infrastructure

Project of the Department of Education, including CMCI's Php6.5 billion corporate notes issuance to fund the construction of the project; the Mactan-Cebu International Airport (MCIA) construction and rehabilitation project including the 23.3 Billion Philippine Peso and US Dollar project financing facility; the modernization of the Philippine Orthopedic Center; and the construction and operation of the Integrated Terminal System for Southwest (Metro Manila).

Manuel likewise completed the following financing transaction in recent years: (a) Php6.5 billion term loan facility in favor of DoubleDragon Properties Corp. to partly finance capital expenditures, primarily for the development of the Meridian Park, the Dragon8 Shopping Center, Skysuites and the roll-out of the first twelve CityMalls; (b) Php4.0 billion maiden corporate notes issuance of Megawide; and (c) US\$10.0 million issue of corporate notes by Cirtek (PLC).

About Drew Network Asia

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