

MOSCOW

Advancing Global Business in and From the CIS



Regional Insight, Global Perspective

Companies operating in Russia face a complex and uncertain political and economic landscape that can make advancing their business objectives a challenge.

King & Spalding's Moscow team brings together decades of experience in the region, a deep understanding of its legal and cultural issues, and the perspective and resources of a global firm to help clients navigate past these challenges and capitalize on business opportunities coming into and out of Russia and the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS).

Since opening our Moscow office in 2011, we have built a team designed to meet the needs of investors from Russia and the CIS seeking to expand and diversify globally, as well as those of multinational corporations investing in the region. And with the backing of more than 1,200 lawyers worldwide, we bring global sophistication and an international network of practitioners to help serve our clients wherever their needs arise.



*“King & Spalding LLP
‘successfully combines
the excellent network
of connections and
high standards of an
international firm with
the experience and
understanding of the
Russian commercial
market.’”*

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Fueling the Industries That Fuel the Region's Economy

Helping clients succeed in the CIS requires a deep understanding of the commercial drivers and business pressures that specific industries face in doing business here.

Our Moscow lawyers have decades of success helping leading corporations in the region's growth industries execute transactions, address sanctions-related issues, resolve cross-border disputes and make high-risk investments that enable their businesses to thrive.

In addition to our legal capabilities across practice areas, our lawyers bring diverse perspectives and insights to the table for our clients. Our team includes a law school lecturer, former in-house lawyers, a pioneer in the practice of Russia technology, media and telecommunications (TMT) law, a former diplomat, and current and former leaders of international industry organizations, among others.



FINANCIAL SERVICES



REAL ESTATE AND CONSTRUCTION



LIFE SCIENCES AND PHARMACEUTICALS



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ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES



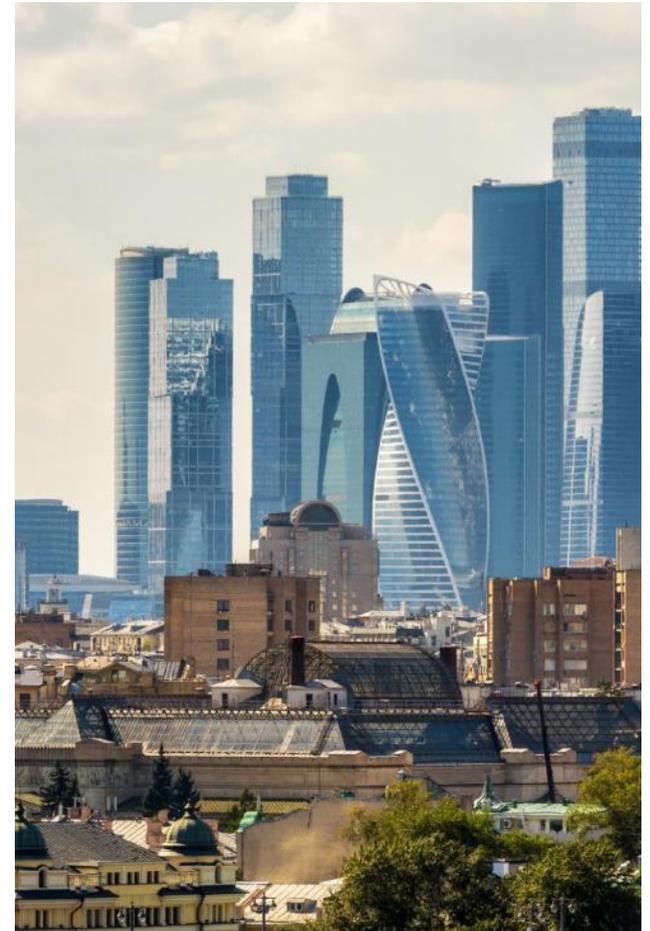
AUTOMOTIVE, TRANSPORTATION AND MOBILITY



FINTECH



TECHNOLOGY, MEDIA AND TELECOM



Legal Capabilities and Business Acumen to Help Our Clients Succeed in the Region

Clients rely on our Moscow team for a wide range of capabilities spanning practice areas and industries – and for our ability to find and execute the legal strategies that help them grow their businesses and keep them on track in the always evolving regulatory and economic environment in Russia and the CIS.

“Understands the complexities of doing business in Russia.”

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Legal Capabilities and Business Acumen to Help Our Clients Succeed in the Region (cont'd)

CORPORATE, FINANCE AND INVESTMENTS

Energy, Industrial and Infrastructure Projects

King & Spalding has highly qualified lawyers on the ground in Moscow who have deep experience working on significant energy projects and transactions (oil and gas, power, renewables, etc.). We have advised clients on several projects in the major seaports in the Black Sea region and provided advice on construction of the public-private railway.

Technology, Media, Entertainment

Our Moscow lawyers have decades of experience advising clients on structuring deals in various technology industries, telecommunications and mobile services, and e-commerce. Our lawyers also assist clients in establishing local operations for global media and content production companies.

Corporate/M&A

Our Moscow team advises on a wide range of transactions, including mergers and acquisitions (M&A), private equity, investment and asset acquisition transactions, joint ventures, reorganizations, and restructurings in various industries, including energy, mining, petrochemicals, telecom, real estate, retail and corporate governance matters.

Related Capabilities

- Construction and Procurement
- Corporate Governance
- Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation
- Finance and Securitization
- Real Estate
- Retail

Ranked by Legal 500 among leading law firms for commercial, corporate and M&A matters in Russia as well as experience in the TMT and real estate sectors.

Legal Capabilities and Business Acumen to Help Our Clients Succeed in the Region (cont'd)

REGULATORY

Regulatory Advice and Support

Our team has managed numerous filings with local regulatory authorities, including obtaining approval for foreign investment deals, foreign acquisitions of shares in strategic Russian companies, and local registrations and licenses for various types of activities. We help our clients ensure compliance with local regulatory requirements in a wide range of industries, such as foods and biologically active food supplements, cosmetics, media, and transportation. Our lawyers have extensive experience advising clients on Foreign Corrupt Practices Act compliance, employment issues, internal policy compliance and internal investigations.

Life Sciences

We advise our clients in pharma and medical device industries on various issues in relation to clinical trials, including: agreements on the conduct of clinical trials with hospitals and with principal investigators; the transfer of patients to other clinical sites during COVID-19; and privacy issues related to patients' consents and transfer of personal data.

Data Privacy and Security

Our Moscow lawyers have experience performing audits of companies' systems and practices to evaluate personal data compliance and provide relevant advice and compliance training to clients and their employees. Our team meticulously tracks the ever-changing approaches to regulation of information and data transfers and exploitation.

Related Capabilities

- Antitrust
- Environmental Health and Safety
- Fintech
- Intellectual Property Counseling
- Technology and Media

“They provide really user-friendly services; they have been doing this for a long time, and we have had a lot of good experiences with them.”

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CLIENT TO CHAMBERS EUROPE

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TRIAL AND GLOBAL DISPUTES

Cross-Border and Local Litigation

Our team of lawyers with experience and knowledge of U.S., UK and local procedures and requirements supports our other offices with disputes work involving Russian parties and manages disputes in Russian courts, including commercial disputes and bankruptcy cases.

International Arbitration

Our Moscow team provides support in international arbitration cases involving Russian elements, such as assisting with representations of Russian clients or providing relevant expertise and translations with respect to Russia-based assets.

Related Capabilities

- Bankruptcy and Insolvency Litigation
- Commercial Litigation
- International Arbitration Support
- Labor and Employment

Chambers and Legal 500 have consistently ranked our Moscow practices among the top practices in Russia for corporate/M&A, energy and natural resources, TMT, finance, dispute resolution, and real estate.

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