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Bar Admission

Québec 2018

Law School

Université de Sherbrooke

Practices

Competition/Antitrust & Foreign Investment

Julien Beaulieu is an associate in our Competition/Antitrust & Foreign Investment Group in Montréal. His practice focuses on competition law and foreign investment, including mergers and acquisitions, abuse of dominance, criminal and civil investigations, and regulatory compliance.

Some of the transactions in which he has been involved include:

- Olymel and La Coop fédérée's acquisition of pork and milling assets from F. Ménard
- Noverco's C\$1.1 billion agreement to acquire Valener
- Le Groupe Maurice's sale of an 85% interest in its Canadian senior housing portfolio through its partnership with Ventas
- Morningstar's US\$669 million acquisition of DBRS, the world's fourth largest credit ratings agency
- The acquisition by an investor consortium led by ANTA Sports of Amer Sports for US\$5B
- Gestion MAC's sale of a 55% stake in its building materials businesses to Groupe BMR

Julien completed his bachelor's degree in civil law (LL.B.) and a master's in business administration at Université de Sherbrooke in 2017. During his studies, he did an internship as an officer in the Mergers Branch of the Competition Bureau. He also studied European Union competition law during a semester at Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne. Featured three times on the dean's list of his law faculty, Julien is also a two-time recipient of U SPORTS' Governor General's Academic All-Canadian Commendation.

Following his studies, Julien articulated at an international firm specializing in litigation and insurance law. He is a member of the Canadian Bar Association and the Young Bar Association of Montréal. He was called to the Québec Bar in 2018.

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Recent Experience

- **Innergex and Hydro-Québec enter a Strategic Alliance and Private Placement**
February 06, 2020
- **Noverco acquires Valener for C\$1.12B**
September 27, 2019
- **Gestion MAC sells majority stake in operating businesses to Groupe BMR**
September 01, 2019
- **Le Groupe Maurice to partner with Ventas through sale of 85% interest in its Canadian senior housing portfolio**
July 03, 2019

Recent Insights

- **Walking the Talk: Canadian Competition Bureau Reiterates and Demonstrates Commitment to Active Enforcement**
May 09, 2019
- **Competition Bureau Releases Updated Enforcement Guidelines on Abuse of Dominance and Intellectual Property**
March 15, 2019
- **Competition Bureau Discontinues Pharma Abuse of Dominance Investigation**
January 25, 2019
- **Competition Bureau Refers to TREB in Updated Draft IP Guidelines**
December 28, 2018