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Bar Admission

Ontario 2017

Law School

McGill University

Practices

International Trade & Investment

An associate in the firm's International Trade & Investment Law Group in Toronto, Gajan is known for his personable and practical approach to advising clients on a wide range of regulatory, compliance and trade matters.

Gajan's regulatory practice is tailored to supporting clients at each stage of the regulatory continuum: from the earliest stages of product formulation and development, to packaging and labelling requirements, ensuring compliance with mandatory standards, obtaining requisite permits and licenses, and through to responding to regulatory enforcement actions. Gajan also has significant experience in advertising matters, advising on marketing rules surrounding a variety of products, including regulated products such as cosmetics, natural health products, and foods.

Through his international trade practice, Gajan advises multinational and domestic businesses on how Canada's laws related to trade with foreign countries may impact their business. Specifically, he has advised on customs issues, public procurement, treaty compliance and on market access concerns. He also has significant experience assisting clients with complex economic sanctions matters, including matters before the Federal Courts. He has also represented clients in front of the Canadian International Trade Tribunal, and has significant experience assisting companies in the retail and oil and gas sectors with issues related to anti-dumping duties and customs compliance.

Gajan was called to the Ontario bar in 2017 after receiving his LLB and BCL from McGill Law. He sits on the executive of the International Law Section of the Ontario Bar Association and is a member of the Canadian Bar Association.

Recent Experience

- **Silver Lake, a global technology investment firm, makes US\$6.4B equity investment in Vantage Data Centers**

March 6, 2024

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- **Rio Tinto enters into Matalco aluminium recycling joint venture with Giampaolo Group for US\$700M**

November 30, 2023

- **Otsuka Pharmaceutical acquires Mindset Pharma for C\$80M**

October 26, 2023

- **JV between Dream Industrial REIT and GIC acquires Summit Industrial Income REIT for C\$5.9B**

February 17, 2023

Recent Insights

- **Public Safety Canada Issues Updated Guidance on the Application of the Supply Chains Act and its Reporting Requirements**

March 19, 2024

- **Mining Companies Take Note: May 31st 2024 Modern Slavery Legislation Reporting Deadline**

March 14, 2024

- **Modern Slavery: A Guidebook on the Reporting Requirements Under the Fighting Against Forced Labour and Child Labour in Supply Chains Act**

February 28, 2024

- **Long-Awaited Guidance Released on Canada's New Modern Slavery Legislation and its Reporting Requirements**

December 21, 2023