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Languages: French, Dutch, English, German

Practice areas

Public Law, Health and Lifesciences

Education

- Université Catholique de Louvain, UCL (Law Degree, 2000)
- Solvay Brussels School of Economics and Management, ULB (Postgraduate Marketing and Advertising, 2001)

Why recommended

Before joining CMS DeBacker's Public Law department in August 2002, Pierre worked for two years in a commercial job.

He specialises in constitutional and administrative law, in particular constitutional litigation, social security, public health inclusive regulatory matters, hospitals, medical equipment, food and nutriments and other lifescience matters. He also acts in regulatory matters for chemicals (including REACH-regulation).

Relevant experience

- Assisting several hospitals in acquiring medical equipment, including material subject to authorisation and agreement by competent authorities (e.g. PET-scanners, Magnetic Resonance Imaging, ...)
- Assisting a company to set up a telemedicine structure
- Advising several companies in launching and getting approval from Medical Devices
- Advising the sponsor of clinical trials regarding medical devices
- Advising several companies for the approval of medical products
- Advising companies for the distribution of nutriments and other health-care products
- Assisting several companies for choosing the appropriate qualification of their medical products regarding the applicable regulation

Relevant publications

- «*La directive 2011/24/UE relative à l'application des droits des patients en matière de soins de santé transfrontaliers : bien plus qu'une codification*» (with B. Fonteyn), *European Journal of Consumer Law*, Larcier, n° 1/2012, p. 61-79
- «*Vers une Europe de la santé*», JDE, May 2011, p.125
- «*Indemnisation des dommages résultant de soins de santé : le Fonds est mort, vive le Fonds !*», (with B. fonteyn and C. Poupez), J.T., 14 May 2011, n° 6437, p. 373 à 380.

- *“L’utilisation de matériel corporel humain à des fins scientifiques: commentaires à propos de la loi du 19 décembre 2008”, J.T., 2009.*
- *“Les clauses sociales dans les marchés publics”, L’entreprise et le Droit, 2005.*
- *“Les modes de réparation et le principe de proportionnalité”, Amén. 2004, 13-20.*

Other relevant experiences

- Assisting companies in setting up a price-structure for their products
- Assisting health-care companies in getting the compliance of their packaging with legal requirements
- Advising public authorities on drafting and implementing social security policies with regard to the needs of the lifescience sector
- Assisting a Swiss IT company to validate a medical device and related database for the measuring of compliance when conducting clinical trials