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Practice/s

Corporate & Commercial
Mergers & Acquisitions
Private Equity

Education

B.L., LL.B. (2015) NLSIU, Bangalore

Professional Affiliation/s

Karnataka State Bar Council

Aniruddha Basu is a Partner in the Corporate, M&A and Private Equity practice group in the Bengaluru office. He regularly represents multinational corporations and financial investors in a range of transactions, including private and public cross-border M&A, minority and control investments, structured investments, and strategic partnerships. Aniruddha also specializes in corporate and regulatory advisory for companies in the IT/ITeS, SaaS, fintech, e-commerce, and healthcare sectors.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

In his areas of expertise, Aniruddha has advised and represented clients which include:

M&A and Strategic Investments

- **UST Global** on (a) the sale of UST HealthProof to Bain Capital, and (b) the acquisition of SeviTech Systems.
- **Kingswood Capital Management** on its acquisition of Infotree Global Solutions;
- **Flipkart** on its acquisition of travel aggregator platform Cleartrip;
- **Paypal Inc.** on its acquisition of and consequent triangular merger with Simility;
- **Glance InMobi** in its Series D investment from Jio Platforms, its convertible note funding from Google, and its debt funding from Stride Ventures;
- **Myntra** on its acquisition of fashion e-commerce platform Jabong;
- **Fungible** in its acquisition by Microsoft;
- **Arista Networks** on the acquisition of Mojo Networks and Pluribus Networks;
- **Reliance Industries** on its acquisition of SenseHawk Inc; and
- **WeWork Companies, Inc.** on (a) its pan-India joint venture with Embassy group, (b) SoftBank's investments for its Indian and Korean operations, and (c) its pre-IPO preparations and related agreements ahead of WeWork India's listing on the stock exchanges.

Private Equity & Venture Capital

- **Delos Capital** on the (a) leveraged acquisitions of Sage Metals, Trident Components, and Jayco Manufacturing Group, and (b) merger of Sage Metals and Gluhend India; and

- Several venture capital investments, including (a) **DST Global** in its investments in Cred and Cars24, (b) **Bessemer Venture Partners** in its investments in Nephroplus, Cashify, and Travel Triangle, (c) **Boldfit** in its Series A investment round, (d) **Matrix Partners** in its investment in Avail Finance, and (e) **Nordstar Partners** on its investments in Curefoods and Goat Brands.

Financing

- **Delos Capital** on the financing of its acquisitions of Sage Metals, Trident Components, and Jayco Manufacturing Group, by Olympus Capital Asia Credit and SSG Capital;

- Debt financing extended by **Baring Private Equity Asia** to WeWork India;

- **Caterpillar India** on its equipment finance business and related regulatory matters; and

- **Piramal Capital, Altico Capital,** and **Xander Finance,** on their financings of various assets across India by private placement of listed and unlisted NCDs and loans.