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Practices:

Dispute Resolution
Corporate and Commercial
Mergers & Acquisitions
Private Equity
Real Estate

Education:

Attorney-at-Law , Calcutta High Court, 1976

Professional Affiliations:

Bar Council of West Bengal
Incorporated Law Society,
Kolkata

Sectors:

Financial Services
Manufacturing

Padam Kumar Khaitan is a Senior Partner in the Dispute Resolution and Corporate and Commercial practice groups in the Kolkata office. Although, Padam specialises Dispute Resolution and Corporate matters, his expertise also lies in advising clients on real estate transactions, mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures, private equity deals, domestic and international arbitrations and private client advisory matters. He is also a Director in various listed companies.

Padam regularly appears before the state high courts, the Supreme Court of India, the various National Company Law Tribunals and represents clients in international and domestic arbitration proceedings.

Representative Matters:

In his areas of expertise, Padam has represented and advised the following clients:

Mergers and Acquisitions:

- **McLeod Russell India Ltd.** on the acquisition of Williamson Tea Holdings Plc., Moran Tea Co. Ltd. and Doom Dooma Co. Ltd including drafting, negotiation and finalising all transaction documents;
- **The purchaser** (an Indian entity) on acquisition of Grob Tea Co Ltd., a plantation company;
- **McNally Bharat Engineering Co Ltd.** on the acquisition of an engineering company, Sayaji Iron & Engineering Ltd.;
- **Borelli Tea Holdings Ltd.**, a UK company on the acquisition of Phu Ben Tea Co. Ltd., a plantation company based in Vietnam and other plantation companies in Uganda and Rwanda; and
- **MBE Mineral Technologies Pte Ltd** on the acquisition of German engineering company and workshop and another South African company.

Real Estate:



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- **Kilburn Engineering Ltd** on the sale of factory land in Bhandup, Mumbai including drafting of all transaction documents pertaining to the same;
- **Eveready Industries India Ltd** on the sale of factory land in Thane including drafting of all transaction documents pertaining to the same; and
- **Various promoters and landowners** on joint development agreements in Calcutta and Howrah.

Private Equity:

- **Ramkrishna Forgings Ltd** on a private equity placement by UTI;
- **McNally Bharat Engineering Ltd.** and **McNally Sayaji Engineering Ltd.** on a private equity placement of EIG Mauritius in McNally Sayaji Engineering; and
- **Calcom Cement and its promoters** on a private equity placement by DEG-Deutsche Investitions and Nederlandse Financierings in Calcom Cement.