



## Rahul Singh

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### Practices:

Competition/Antitrust Law

### Education:

L.L.M., Harvard Law School,  
Cambridge, USA (2004)

B.A. LL.B. (Hons.),  
National Law School of India  
University, Bangalore, India  
(2003)

Rahul Singh is a Partner in the Competition Law Practice Group in the Bengaluru office. Rahul has expertise in the interdisciplinary methodology of competition law-and-economics. Between 2012 and 2016, Rahul worked as a counsel and (national) head of competition practice at a large Indian law firm.

Rahul has worked with the Competition Commission of India, New Delhi as a Member of the Advisory Committee on Regulation. In this capacity, he has trained scores of officials at the Competition Commission of India in the inter-disciplinary competition law-and-economics.

Rahul has significant experience in Competition Law. He has advised and represented clients (including as an arguing counsel) in contentious as well as non-contentious matters.

### Representative Matters:

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

#### Merger Control:

- **Telenor** (i) on their first ever (precedent setting) appeal arising out of merger control at the competition appeal tribunal, and (ii) on their investment in an Indian mobile service provider entity;
- **True North** on an investment in the food and nutrition market;
- **Denso** on a joint venture partnership with Subros;
- **Hindustan Colas Limited** on the first ever gun jumping (precedent setting) case on issues related to pre-payment of consideration; and
- **Standard Chartered Bank** on purchase of certain assets.

#### Antitrust:

- **Google** on a litigation strategy to be adopted at Competition Commission of India;
- **Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited** on their competition dispute with co-branded card partners;



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- **A client in the railways sector** on India's first ever competition case on leniency; and
- **Flipkart** on a precedent-setting, first ever case re electronic commerce market.

#### **Recognitions and Accomplishments:**

- Rahul was a "Dana Scholar" and was awarded 100% financial aid during his LL.M. at Harvard Law School; and
- Has received 4 Gold Medals by the Chief Justice of India for exceptional academic excellence including for being the 'Best Outgoing Student'.

#### **Publications and Presentations:**

- Rahul is often invited as a keynote speaker at conferences and academic seminars in India as well as abroad; and
- He is currently working on his book titled '*Indian Competition Law-and-Economics*'.