

Dentons Rodyk strengthens Energy practice and South East Asia regional practice with new hire John Dick

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Singapore —Dentons Rodyk & Davidson LLP, part of the world's largest law firm, Dentons, is pleased to announce that John Dick has joined the Firm as part of its Energy, Resources and Infrastructure practice and its South East Asia regional practice.

John brings 27 years of legal experience, particularly in South East Asia. During his career he has advised on a wide range of matters, including:

- All aspects of mining projects across South East Asia and Australia, with a particular emphasis on Indonesia
- Exploration for and development of oil and gas resources
- Development of captive, independent power producer (IPP) and merchant power projects, as well as power sales and purchase agreements and construction and procurement contracts
- Projects in telecommunications, water and waste, social infrastructure development, road and rail, port development and industrial park development
- Mergers and acquisitions involving investments in numerous industries across the region, including energy, infrastructure, fast-moving consumer goods, pharmaceuticals, heavy industry and services

John's involvement in South East Asia began at Freehills (now Herbert Smith Freehills), where he helped set up and run offices in Vietnam and Singapore. He joins Dentons Rodyk after four years at Ernst & Young.

"We are thrilled to have John join us, as he brings with him a deep legal understanding of the energy, resources and infrastructure sectors in the growing economies of South East Asia," said Philip Jeyaretnam S.C., Global Vice Chair and CEO of Dentons Rodyk. "With the region's energy and infrastructure development needs expected to grow significantly in the next 10 years, John and his team will be instrumental in providing in-depth legal advice to our clients."

John said, "I am delighted to be given the opportunity to join Dentons Rodyk and to be a part of Dentons' highly regarded Energy practice. I am confident that, with my extensive experience in the sector and in the South East Asia region, I can provide the legal capabilities and support our clients need to succeed in their projects."

In addition to building on Dentons Rodyk's achievements in energy and infrastructure, John will draw on the extensive resources of Dentons' global Energy practice to support clients as they venture across borders.

John has been named in the *International Who's Who of Mining Lawyers* and the *Energy and Project Finance & Infrastructure Sections of Best Lawyers, Singapore*. Dentons Rodyk has been consistently ranked in *The Legal 500 Asia Pacific* (Projects & Energy), *Asialaw Profiles* (Energy & Natural Resources) and the *IFLR1000* (Energy & Infrastructure). The *IFLR1000* also ranked Dentons as a top-tier firm in its *2016 Guide to Energy and Infrastructure*.

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