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POLITIS & PARTNERS
Law Firm

Nikolaos is a Partner in the firm's **Litigation & Arbitration, Banking & Finance, Energy and Commercial Law** practices. He advises domestic and international clients on complex disputes, project finance, banking transactions, energy projects, commercial contracts and regulatory matters.

Nikolaos is highly regarded for combining strong courtroom advocacy with a pragmatic understanding of transactional and regulatory issues. He regularly represents clients before the Greek courts, including higher-instance courts, and advises on disputes and transactions involving banking, energy, healthcare, technology, public procurement, industrial operations and cross-border commercial relationships.

His practice is particularly valued in matters requiring both litigation strategy and sector-specific expertise, including project finance disputes, public hospital and public procurement claims, distribution and agency disputes, shareholder and corporate conflicts, and renewable energy projects.

Banking & Finance



Nikolaos advises banks, leasing companies, investment funds, borrowers and corporate clients on banking, finance and investment transactions. His work includes project finance, bond financings, leasing finance, venture capital investments, convertible instruments, security documentation, due diligence and finance-related corporate approvals.

He is particularly experienced in lender-side project finance mandates, venture and growth investment documentation, and financing structures in the energy, hospitality, healthcare and technology sectors

Recent Notable Cases

- Advised a bank on the financing of a large-scale wind park, including legal due diligence, bond documentation, security arrangements and hedging-related documentation.
- Advised a foreign bank on a cross-border bond financing for the renovation and operation of a landmark hotel in central Athens.
- Advised venture capital investors on seed and pre-seed financings in biotechnology, healthcare and technology companies.
- Advised on healthcare-sector investment transactions involving legal due diligence, capital increase mechanics, shareholder arrangements and investor protection provisions.

Energy



Nikolaos advises on renewable energy, project development, energy finance and related disputes. He supports clients across the lifecycle of energy projects, including due diligence, licensing and permitting review, project documentation, financing support, commercial contracts and dispute resolution. His energy practice combines transactional, regulatory and contentious experience, enabling him to advise lenders, developers, investors and project companies on both project implementation and risk management.

Recent Notable Cases

- Advised on the financing of a wind park with a total nominal capacity of approximately 40 MW.
- Acted on renewable energy project documentation, including photovoltaic project development, acquisition and disposal arrangements.
- Advised on disputes arising from technical due diligence, grid connection and project-related contractual obligations.
- Supported clients on regulatory and commercial issues relating to renewable energy projects in Greece and abroad.

Litigation & Arbitration



Nikolaos has extensive experience in commercial, civil, administrative and employment-related disputes. He represents clients in high-value litigation, appellate proceedings, arbitration-related matters, ADR processes, public procurement disputes and enforcement proceedings. His work often involves complex contractual disputes, distribution and agency arrangements, supplier and customer claims, public-sector payment disputes, shareholder conflicts and disputes arising from regulated industries.

Recent Notable Cases

- Represented a multinational healthcare group in significant distribution-related litigation involving claims for damages, lost profits and goodwill indemnity following termination of a commercial relationship.
- Represented an international technology company in employment litigation initiated by a former senior executive, securing favourable outcomes at both first instance and appeal level.
- Represented a healthcare company in administrative litigation against public hospitals and public bodies in relation to unpaid invoices under public supply contracts.
- Acted in a cross-border commercial dispute involving distribution arrangements and arbitration-related issues between entities in Greece and Malta.
- Represented a shareholder in a high-value dispute involving corporate control, usufruct rights and real estate assets exceeding €15 million.

Memberships



- Athens Bar Association
- International Bar Association

Education



- LL.M., International Finance and Business Law, University of Pennsylvania Law School
- Postgraduate studies in European Union Law, King's College London
- LL.B., School of Law, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens