new partners & senior associates

The firm is pleased to announce the admission of Ms. Pang Jia Ling and Ms. Ling Wenny as Partners of the firm with effect from 1st January 2023.



Pang Jia Ling

Partner

Corporate and M&A Department

Jia Ling obtained a Bachelor of Laws (Hons) degree from Multimedia University in 2009.

She chambered with the firm of Sidek Teoh Wong & Dennis, where she mainly handled general litigation and banking litigation matters, and was admitted to the Malaysian Bar on 25 June 2010. She was then retained in the conveyancing department of Sidek Teoh Wong & Dennis, where she handled property and banking matters until June 2011, when she joined the firm of Naqiz & Partners in July 2011. At Naqiz & Partners, she took conduct of mergers & acquisitions (M&A) matters as well as property matters and review of banking documentation.

Jia Ling joined MKP as an Associate in April 2013 and has been handling M&A, capital markets and real estate matters since joining the firm. She was promoted to the position of Senior Associate on 1 February 2017.

Notable recent transactions that Jia Ling has handled include the listings of Senheng New Retail Berhad and Powerwell Holdings Berhad on the Main Market and ACE Market of Bursa Malaysia respectively and the corporate regularisation plan undertaken by Comintel Corporation Berhad.

Areas of Practice

- Banking and Finance
- Capital Markets
- Corporate and Commercial Advisory
- Corporate and Securities Regulation
- Corporate Finance
- Cross Border Investments
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Projects and Ventures
- Property and Real Estate

Education

• Bachelor of Laws (Hons), Multimedia University, 2009

Professional Affiliations

• Malaysian Bar, 2010

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Ling Wenny

Partner Corporate and M&A Department

Wenny was conferred a Bachelor of Laws (Hons) from the University of Reading (UK) in year 2009 and a Postgraduate Diploma in Professional Legal Skills (BVC) from City University London. She chambered with the firm of Azman Davidson & Co and was admitted to the Malaysian Bar on 9 March 2012. She practiced with Azman Davidson & Co subsequent to her call to the Malaysian Bar, handling corporate and commercial law matters. She has handled various forms of M&A, capital markets and real estate matters since joining MKP as an Associate in October 2014. She was promoted to the position of Senior Associate on 1 January 2018.

Amongst the recent transactions that she has handled are the RM200 million acquisition by Gamuda Berhad of a 30% equity stake in ERS Energy Sdn Bhd (a Malaysian solar EPCC company), the acquisition by ASX-listed Domino's Pizza Enterprises Ltd (the largest franchisee for the Domino's Pizza brand in the world) of 240 stores in Malaysia via its acquisition of Dommal's Food Services Sdn. Bhd., the acquisition by a subsidiary company of Grab Holdings Ltd of Jaya Grocer Holdings Sdn. Bhd. and the listing of Optimax Holdings Berhad on the ACE Market of Bursa Malaysia as well as its subsequent Main Market transfer of listing status exercise.

Wenny is quite an accomplished pianist, holding a Diploma of the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music (DipABRSM), Licentiate of the Royal Schools of Music in Piano Performing (LRSM) and Associate in Piano Solo Recital, Trinity College London (ATCL – Diploma).

Areas of Practice

- Banking and Finance
- Capital Markets
- Communications and Technology
- Corporate and Securities Regulation
- Cross Border Investments
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Projects and Ventures
- Property and Real Estate

Education

• Bachelor of Laws (Hons), University of Reading, UK, 2009

Professional Affiliations

- The Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn, UK 2010
- Malaysian Bar, 2011

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The firm is pleased to announce the elevation of Ms. Kong Pei Yin and Ms. Wong See Qi as Senior Associates of the firm with effect from 1st January 2023.



Kong Pei Yin
Senior Associate
Corporate and M&A Department

Pei Yin graduated with a Bachelor of Laws (Hons) degree from the University of Malaya, Malaysia in 2016. She chambered with MKP and was called to the Malaysian Bar in July 2017.

Pei Yin has been a member of the Corporate and M&A Department of the firm since the very beginning of her legal career. During her time with MKP, her work portfolio has comprised primarily of mergers & acquisitions transactions and general corporate and commercial advisory and property matters, as well as capital markets matters.

Some of the recent transactions she has worked on include the acquisition by Sunway Holdings Berhad of a majority equity stake in Multicare Pharmacy, the RM347.6 million share acquisition and subsequent mandatory general offer by Eller Axis Sdn Bhd in respect of Can-One Berhad, the RM1.0 billion disposal by Can-One Berhad of the entire share capital of F & B Nutrition Sdn Bhd to Wholesome Dairies Pte Ltd (a subsidiary of Southern Capital) and the listing of Vestland Berhad on the ACE Market of Bursa Malaysia.



Wong See Oi
Senior Associate
Corporate and M&A Department

See Qi graduated with a Bachelor of Laws (Hons) degree in 2015 from the University of London, United Kingdom and obtained the Certificate of Legal Practice (CLP). She chambered with MKP and was called to the Malaysian Bar in September 2017.

See Qi has been a member of the Corporate and M&A Department of the firm since the commencement of her legal practice. Her work portfolio over the years has comprised of mergers & acquisitions transactions, capital markets matters and general corporate and commercial advisory and property matters.

Notable recent transactions that she has worked on include the RM585 million share acquisition by Amazing Parade Sdn Bhd of shares in Eastern & Oriental Berhad from Sime Darby Berhad and the subsequent mandatory general offer by Amazing Parade Sdn Bhd to acquire all the remaining equity interest in Eastern & Oriental Berhad that it and persons acting in concert with it does not already own, as well as the listing of Agmo Holdings Berhad on the ACE Market of Bursa Malaysia.

The Partners of the firm warmly welcome Jia Ling and Wenny to the ranks of the firm's Partners and congratulate Pei Yin and See Qi on their well-deserved promotions to the position of Senior Associate.

It is particularly pleasing for the Partners to note that each of the newly-admitted Partners and newly-promoted Senior Associates have been with the firm for several years and grown their own respective practices and expertise as members of our Corporate and M&A Department during their time with the firm. Their new positions represent the natural next progression in their roles with the firm and lends further strength to the position of MKP as a leading Malaysian corporate and commercial law firm.

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