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Plesner is market leading in Denmark within M&A, typically advising clients on midsize to large-scale mergers, acquisitions, and investments. We have extensive experience advising private equity, industrial and institutional investors as well as state-owned companies and public authorities. Our track record in handling the most complex transactions, including cross-border deals, is second to none in Denmark.

PRACTICE AREAS

M&A

Hans heads our Corporate Finance team, and in addition to advising on M&A transactions in general, he specialises in advising private equity funds and private equity owned businesses.

Hans has extensive experience from more than 25 years as a partner in our Corporate Finance team and has been involved in more than 100 transactions, both in Denmark and abroad - but always with an international angle to the transaction.

A number of Hans' private equity clients has had a buy and build strategy which, in addition to the core M&A advice, has also required extensive advice on corporate and contract law as well as incentive programmes and shareholder agreements.

The many transactions have covered a vast number of sectors, including industrial, retail, it, life science, shipping, financial institutions and automotive.

Hans' career originally started in our Insolvency Law and Restructuring team, and

he has therefore also carved out a special niche in advising on matters involving M&A in relation to distressed assets.

Hans has a Master's degree in Law from the University of Copenhagen. Hans is admitted to the High Court of Denmark.

The transactions Hans and his team have been involved in have more or less without exception involved multidisciplinary and multinational teams of advisors. This requires great project management and straightforward legal advice - always combined with an understanding of the commercial realities of the transaction. We always strive to deliver this.

Selected cases

Case News 12.12.2024

Dansk Ejerkapital, three professional investors and management to acquire Creativ Company

Case News 06.12.2024

emagine acquires Boost IT

Case News 15.11.2024

Nobilis Group GmbH set to acquire TMC Nordic A/S

Case News 06.11.2024

Sønderborg Varme og Broager Fjernvarme sammenlægges

Case News 29.10.2024

Wellvita Group acquires Natupharma A/S and becomes market leader in the Nordics

Case News 28.10.2024

Aarstiderne sold to Dagrofa

Case News 25.10.2024

7N sold to Polaris Private Equity

Case News 24.10.2024

Puzzel to acquire Capturi

Case News 11.10.2024

emagine to acquire Allgeier Experts

Case News 10.10.2024

Digital Group acquires XDC Gruppen

Case News 20.09.2024

Ford to divest Ford Motor Company A/S and its Danish import business to Nic. Christiansen Group

Case News 13.09.2024

Copilot Capital acquires Danish SaaS company PriceShape

Case News 05.09.2024

Jyske Finans acquires Opendo's private leasing and fleet management portfolio

Case News 23.08.2024

Axcel-backed Tic elkas/Eegholm/Elcor group acquires Elektro Aros Elautomation

Case News 22.08.2024

Ramboll to acquire K2 Management to strengthen global wind division

Case News 12.07.2024

Standard Motor Products to acquire Nissens Automotive

Case News 18.06.2024

Sampo plc announces a public exchange offer to the shareholders of Topdanmark A/S

Case News 10.06.2024

Magellan Capital Holdings acquires majority stake in Danmarks Skibskredit A/S

Case News 03.06.2024

Bridgepoint acquires MyDefence

Case News 14.05.2024

Wegener to acquire the Danish steel business Ib Andresen Industri

Case News 30.04.2024

Dürr Group sells Agramkow Fluid Systems A/S to Solix Group AB

Case News 27.02.2024

Edenred to acquire Spirii

Case News 08.02.2024

Solina group to acquire the premium culinary brands, OSCAR and Puljonki

Case News 01.02.2024

Plesner advises on the successful sale of Parcel4You to Link Logistics

Case News 29.01.2024

The largest merger in Danish history completed today

Case News 25.01.2024

Capidea invests in Digital Group

Case News 13.12.2023

Novozymes and Chr. Hansen obtains competition clearance in Phase I

Case News 04.12.2023

SKAKO Concrete divests its Concrete division to Zefyr Invest IV

Case News 28.11.2023

Ahlsell has entered into an agreement to acquire Bacher Work Wear

Case News 28.11.2023

Emerson invests in Frugal Technologies

Case News 28.11.2023

SAS enters into investment agreement as part of its reorganization process

Case News 13.11.2023

General Atlantic acquires majority stake in Joe & the Juice

Case News 09.11.2023

Deutsche Börse AG successfully completes takeover of SimCorp A/S

Case News 09.11.2023

Nets enters into an agreement to divest its eID business to IN Groupe

Case News 26.10.2023

Agilitas completes sale of the Reconor Group

Case News 16.10.2023

Teledyne Technologies acquires Xena Networks

Case News 07.07.2023

Plesner advised Nordic Solar with EUR 300m flexible credit facility

Case News 30.06.2023

IK Partners to sell Løgismose

Case News 27.06.2023

PenSam Pension divests subsidiary PenSam Forsikring

Case News 08.05.2023

Funds advised by Agilitas complete the buy-out of NNIT's IT infrastructure outsourcing business

Case News 24.03.2023

Capidea divests Obsidian Group

Case News 17.03.2023

AnaCap Financial Partners to divest Oona Health and Dansk Sundhedssikring for DKK 2.25bn

Case News 23.02.2023

First Camp Group acquires CampOne

Case News 08.02.2023

Novo Holdings and Industriens Pension participate in consortium developing The Railway District (Jernbanebyen) in Copenhagen

Case News 07.02.2023

Erhvervsinvest acquires Danish company Estron

Case News 02.02.2023

FSN Capital acquires Alvent A/S as part of the establishment of InstallatørGruppen

Case News 13.01.2023

Realkreditkonsulenterne sold to financial advisory house NORTH

Case News 12.01.2023

Eduhouse acquires the Danish company GoLearn

Case News 22.12.2022

IK Partners and Løgismose Meyers Holding ApS to divest Meyers

Case News 13.12.2022

SecureDevice acquired by Swiss IT Security Group

Case News 12.12.2022

Novozymes and Chr. Hansen to combine and create leading global biosolutions partner

Case News 02.11.2022

emagine Consulting to acquire Peak Consulting Group

Case News 25.10.2022

Seapeak to acquire Evergas from Jaccar for USD 700 million

Case News 05.10.2022

Noble Corporation completes business combination with Maersk Drilling

Case News 27.09.2022

Mutares purchases Arriva Group's businesses in Denmark and Serbia as well as its bus business in Poland

Case News 24.06.2022

Adelis Equity Partners acquires NetIP A/S

Case News 22.06.2022

Enics AG merges with GPV International A/S

Case News 22.06.2022

Agilitas signs agreement to back the buy-out of NNIT's IT infrastructure outsourcing business

Case News 21.06.2022

Egiss A/S acquires Refurb A/S

Case News 03.06.2022

PGGM and EDF to acquire a minority stake in Norlys

Ratings



2019 - 2024 IFLR1000

Hans Hedegaard is listed as a Leading Lawyer (Highly Regarded) as regards M&A.

"Excellent and precise work, great project management, and good commercial input" (2021/2022)



2019 - 2024 The Legal 500

Hans Hedegaard is recommended as regards Commercial, Corporate and M&A.



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Hans Hedegaard is recommended as a Global Leader as regards M&A and Corporate Governance.