



INDUSTRY EXPERTISE

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Leading the Way in Russian Law

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Lidings is a leading legal advisor to the automotive industry sector in Russia. Our team has accumulated invaluable experience in advising the market leaders: service providers, manufacturers of cars and automotive components on all aspects of Russian legislation.

OUR SERVICES

- Legal assistance in establishing joint ventures with foreign participation, integrated support of expansion of foreign automotive companies in the Russian market
- Structuring and support of M&A, D4E transactions in the automotive industry, conducting full scope legal due diligence of the target company
- Advising on all aspects of corporate regulation to elaborate and implement effective operational strategy throughout Russia



Court representation, legal advice on claim procedures and general corporate regulation

General Motors



Advising the client on reorganization of its business in Russia

Autoliv



Advising in relation to establishment of a joint venture in Ulyanovsk region for the production and sale of BAW trucks

BAIC Group



Legal advice in relation to a debt financing transaction

KIA Motors



Advising a Turkish investor on legal aspects of sale and maintenance of heavy trucks in Russia

Koluman



Trakya Cam

Advising a major Turkish producer of flat glass for the automotive industry in relation to establishment of a joint venture for production of goods located in a Special Economic Zone (SEZ) of the Russian Federation

Trakya Cam Sanayii A.Ş.



- Legal assistance to companies engaged in production of automotive components in accordance with the «industrial assembly» regime, advising on preferential customs and tax regimes
- Protection of intellectual property rights of the automotive companies, registration of title, transactional structuring of IP projects
- Legal assistance in establishment and expansion of dealer networks including acquisition of land and premises and advice in relation to lease issues
- Processing consumer complaints, representing interests of automobile companies in the courts of general jurisdiction, liaising with state authorities on behalf of the clients
- Comprehensive legal support of marketing activities in the automotive industry, legal analysis of ongoing and planned marketing campaigns and customer loyalty programmes
- Legal defense against unfair competition and advertising, liaising with the FAS of Russia, dispute resolution and court representation
- Resolution of individual and collective labor disputes, interaction with trade unions of industrial enterprises, liaising with state authorities carrying out surveillance in the workplace



Advising large Chinese auto manufacturer on all aspects of its operations related to setting up a production site in Russia

Geely International Corporation



Due diligence in the process of acquisition of five land plots and real estate objects in various Russian regions

Zeppelin Russland



Advising a large automotive flat glass manufacturer in relation to labor disputes; court representation in debt recovery disputes with contractors based in the CIS

AGC Flat Glass



Advising in relation to establishment of the largest trade center for the sale of used vehicles in the Moscow region

AAA Auto



Legal assistance to the Russian representative office of Korean car manufacturer in a US\$15m loan transaction with Korea Development Bank; advising on termination of contracts on provision of logistic services

Hyundai Mobis



Legal advice in relation to establishment of automotive production in the city of Cherkessk in partnership with a large Russian car manufacturer

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ABOUT US

Lidings is a leading independent national law firm advising Russian and international companies with different industrial background on all legislative aspects of doing business in Russia and CIS.

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