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Daniel Hemli regularly advises clients on complex antitrust issues relating to mergers, acquisitions and joint ventures and advocates before federal, state and foreign antitrust authorities. He has experience representing both buyers and sellers in connection with investigations of numerous national and multinational acquisitions and joint venture transactions across a broad range of industries, including oil and gas, electric power, chemicals, commercial and industrial equipment, waste services, construction materials, consumer goods, healthcare, technology and financial services. He has advised on transactions in a variety of contexts, including negotiated deals, hostile takeovers and distressed situations. Dan also counsels clients on a broad range of antitrust matters arising out of their day-to-day operations and assists clients in designing and implementing antitrust compliance programs. He prides himself on having a thorough understanding of his clients' business operations and objectives and providing very practical and business-focused advice.

Before joining Bracewell, Dan practiced with the New York law firm Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz.

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Credentials

Education

- New York University School of Law, Master of Laws, 2004
- University of Oklahoma, B.Sc., 2000
- University of Oklahoma, Bachelor of Laws, 2000

Bar Admissions

- New South Wales, Australia
- New York

Chambers USA

- New York Antitrust, 2016 – 2017

The Legal 500 United States

- Antitrust – Merger Control, 2016 – 2019; Energy: Transactions, 2014

Delinian Limited

- *IFLR1000 Financial & Corporate and M&A Guide*, 2019 – 2024

Thomson Reuters

- *New York Metro Super Lawyers*, 2021 – 2023
- *New York Metro Super Lawyers*, Rising Stars, 2015 – 2016

Lawdragon Inc.

- *Lawdragon 500 Leading Global Antitrust & Competition Lawyers*, 2025

Resources

Antitrust Agencies Issue Final New Guidelines for Vertical Mergers

Update

DOJ Issues New Merger Remedies Manual, Emphasizes Structural Remedy Preference

Update

FTC Announces 2024 Increase in HSR Notification Thresholds and Filing Fees

Update

HSR Notification Thresholds Decrease Slightly for 2021

Update

Khan Confirmation to FTC Foreshadows More Aggressive Antitrust Agenda

Update

President Signs Executive Order Directing Federal Agencies to Promote Competition and Increase Antitrust Enforcement

Update

Stalemate at FTC Leads to Contested Merger Closing

Update

Antitrust Agencies Aim to Strengthen Merger Guidelines Amidst Broader Scrutiny of M&A Activity

Update

HSR Notification Thresholds Increase for 2022

Update

Congress Enacts Major Overhaul to HSR Filing Fees for M&A Deals

Update

FTC Pursues Crackdown on Employee Noncompetes

Update

FTC Announces 2023 Increase in HSR Notification Thresholds and Effective Date for Increased Filing Fees

Update

FTC Proposes Sweeping Changes to US Merger Filing Requirements

Update

What Once Was Old Is New Again: DOJ and FTC Issue Draft New Merger Guidelines

Update

FTC Acts to Remedy Interlocking Director and Information Exchange Concerns in Oil & Gas Transaction

Update

DOJ and FTC Finalize New Merger Guidelines

Update

Increasing Antitrust and Potentially Other Scrutiny for Defense M&A Deals

Update

FTC Finalizes Major Rewrite of HSR Filing Requirements

Update

FTC Imposes Record Fine on Oil Companies for Illegal Pre-Merger Conduct

Update

FTC Announces 2025 HSR Notification Threshold and Filing Fee Increases

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Publications & Speeches

- "Criminal Prosecutions over No-Poaching Arrangements Are Coming," *Society for Human Resource Management*, April 5, 2018.
- "Reassessing and Optimizing the Value of an Effective Compliance Program," *2016 Oil & Gas Regulatory Symposium*, Bracewell LLP, October 6, 2016.
- "Beating the Competition: Antitrust Issues in Mergers & Acquisitions," *Recycling Today*, May 2016.
- "Navigating the Turbulent Waters of Aggressive Antitrust Merger Enforcement," *Association of Corporate Counsel Greater New York Chapter*, July 23, 2014.
- "FTC Broadens Notification Requirements for Transfers of Pharmaceutical Patent Rights," *IP Today*, January 2014.
- "Deal Makers Take Note: Recent Trends in Merger Enforcement at the U.S. Antitrust Agencies," *Ethics & Compliance Officers Association Annual Conference*, Sept. 25-27, 2013.
- "Shining a Light on the Middle Market," *AM&AA Summer Conference*, July 9-11, 2013.
- "The United States," *The Design of Competition Law Institutions: Global Norms, Local Choices*, 329-383 (Oxford University Press, 2013).