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Education

Master II, University of Paris X - Nanterre, 2013

J.D., American University Washington College of Law, 2013

Master I, University of Paris X - Nanterre, 2011

License, University of Paris X - Nanterre, 2010

Bar Admissions

New York
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Languages

French
English

Amaury Sibon advises on all aspects of competition law, including merger control, cartel investigations and behavioral matters.

Mr. Sibon has experience handling complex multijurisdictional mergers and in-depth investigations before the European Commission and other international competition agencies. He has worked with clients from a broad range of industries, including technology, media and telecommunications, manufacturing, financial services, pharmaceuticals, transportation and consumer goods.

Mr. Sibon was named one of *Best Lawyers' 2023 Ones to Watch* in America. He also was named a Future Leader by *Who's Who Legal: Competition* in 2020 and 2021, in which clients commended "his ability to explain complex concepts in simple terms and advise clearly on the potential risks associated with each filing or potential filing." Notable examples of his merger control work include:

- **Proofpoint, Inc.** in its \$12.3 billion acquisition by private equity investment firm Thoma Bravo;
- **Veritas Capital** in its \$2.8 billion acquisition of Cubic Corporation;
- **Cardinal Health, Inc.** in the \$1 billion sale of its Cordis business to Hellman & Friedman, LLC;
- **ABB Ltd** in its \$7.8 billion sale of an 80.1% stake in its Power Grids division to Hitachi, Ltd.;
- **Visa Inc.** in its proposed but terminated \$5.3 billion acquisition of Plaid Inc.;
- **Wesco Aircraft** in its \$1.9 billion merger with Platinum Equity affiliate Pattonair;
- **NXP Semiconductors** in its \$1.8 billion acquisition of Marvell's wireless connectivity portfolio and its proposed but terminated \$47 billion acquisition by Qualcomm, Inc.;
- **StandardAero, Inc.** in its acquisitions of Vector Aerospace Holding SAS and the Global Engine Services business from Signature Aviation, as well as its subsequent sale to The Carlyle Group;
- **Stryker Corporation** in its \$1.6 billion acquisition of K2M Group Holdings, Inc.;
- **CommScope** in its \$7.4 billion acquisition of ARRIS International;
- **Key Safety Systems, Inc.** in its \$1.6 billion acquisition of Takata Corporation's assets;
- **EMC Corporation** in its \$67 billion acquisition by Dell, Inc.;
- **Broadcomm Corporation** in its \$37 billion acquisition by Avago Technologies Limited;
- **Intel Corp.** in the \$4.2 billion acquisition of its McAfee Security business by TPG Capital;
- **Freescale Semiconductor, Ltd.** in its \$11.8 billion acquisition by NXP Semiconductors NV; and
- **DSV Group** in its \$1.34 billion acquisition of UTi Worldwide Inc.

His experience in competition law is strengthened by his involvement in various antitrust investigations before the European Commission. Mr. Sibon joined the firm in February 2015 and was a resident in Skadden's Brussels office from 2015 to 2018. Prior to joining Skadden, Mr. Sibon trained in the Paris office of another international law firm and served as a research fellow at the American Antitrust Institute in Washington, D.C.