

Ivan Peeters

Senior Counsel

Brussels

Biography

Ivan Peeters has established a solid reputation in the area of financial transactions and financial regulations. He has developed a banking & finance practice at two other leading firms, accruing wide experience in a highly varied range of financial transactions and the associated regulatory framework. His work as in-house counsel at one of the largest Belgian banks gives this experience an extra dimension. He provides services to financial institutions (creditors), investors, borrowers and government authorities in relation to their financing needs or their service provision regarding third parties.

He has contributed considerably to the development of relevant Belgian legislation (including in relation to covered bonds, collateral arrangements, the Belgian Companies Code, residential mortgage lending and securities). A particular focus is to assist more complex financial transactions and structured finance (securitisation, asset-based financing), cross border acquisitions and restructuring. During the financial crisis he was involved in the rescue operations of various Belgian banks.

Ivan is a member of the editorial board of the Belgian specialised review "Banking and Finance" ("Bank- en Financieuzen") and of TBH/RDC ("Revue de Droit Commercial").

Representative experience



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Languages

Dutch
English
French

Practices

Asset Finance
Banking and Loan Finance
Capital Markets
Financial Services
Leveraged and Acquisition Finance
Real Estate
REITs
Investment Funds

Industries

Assisting originators, arrangers and dealers on ABS (incl. car loans, consumer loans, credit cards, investories and SME loans) and RMBS transactions.

Assisting Belgian credit institutions, arrangers and dealers on covered bond programmes and issuances.

Assisting various bank lenders, asset-based facility lenders, private equity funds or debt funds, as well as companies, in relation to acquisition financing structures.

Assisting a client with secured revolving facilities to Belgian credit institutions.

Assisting a leading Belgian bank in setting up of a group wide TLTRO financing.

Assisting Belgian and foreign financial institutions in relation to various collateral arrangements (including repo's, securities lending, pledged securities accounts) and netting arrangements.

Designing and implementing the Belgian legislation on covered bonds, acting for the leading Belgian banks and the National Bank of Belgium.

Designing and implementing the Belgian legislation on "mobilization" of receivables in the financial sector.

Member of the working party for the design and implementation of the Belgian legislation on security interests in movable assets (incl. consistency with the financial collateral legislation).

Awards and rankings

- Band 2 in Banking & Finance, *Chambers Europe*, 2023
- Band 4 in Capital Markets, *Chambers Europe*, 2023
- Hall of Fame in Banking, Finance and Capital Markets, *Legal 500 EMEA*, 2023
- Global Leader, *Who's Who Legal*, 2023
- Market leader in Banking Capital Markets Financial Services Regulatory and Restructuring & Insolvency, *IFLR 1000*, 2021

Financial Institutions

Insurance

Private Capital

Areas of focus

Banking Services

Sustainable Finance & Investment

Consumer Finance

Dealing with Financial Services
Regulators

Investment Products and Services

Education and admissions

Education

Law Degree and Masters of Law,
Leuven University, 1986

Bar admissions and qualifications

Brussels

Latest thinking and events

- News

- EU Non-Performing Loans Directive: Potential impact of implementation in some key Member States

- News

- UK-EU MoU on regulatory cooperation in financial services: towards a more constructive relationship?

- Sponsorships and Speaking Engagements

- The 27th Annual Global ABS Conference

- News

- Global Payments Newsletter, April 2023

- News

- Global Payments Newsletter, February/March 2023

- News

- Global Payments Newsletter, January 2023