Robert Nešpůrek
Partner

Robert Nešpůrek is one of the founding partners of our law firm and currently manages the firm's Commercial, IP & TMT practice group.

Throughout his professional career in law, Robert has specialized, among others, in contract law, information technology law, intellectual property law, and personal data protection. In the area of information technology, he advises clients on software law, IT delivery and implementation projects, IT outsourcing and resolution of disputes arising from complex IT projects. In intellectual property law, in addition to trademarks, designs, know-how protection, copyright and unfair competition, Robert also deals with, for example, market entry issues, international IP strategies, and commercialization of IP. He has had a long-term interest in personal data protection and has led a large number of GDPR implementation projects. He is also responsible for providing the outsourcing of Data Protection Officer services.

Transactions has always been a significant part of his practice, and particularly transactions with a strong technology or IP rights transfer elements and he has advised strategic investors, investment funds and selling owners on numerous M&A deals involving tech companies or start-ups. Robert also frequently advises on complex commercial contracts and out-of-court settlement of disputes arising out of such relationships, and has also represented clients in arbitrations in the Czech Republic and abroad.

Before establishing our law firm, Robert worked at the Prague and subsequently London offices of a global law firm. He obtained an LL.M. degree in European Business Law from Radboud University Nijmegen in the Netherlands.

Recommendations of international publications

According to the independent international publication Who's Who Legal, Robert Nešpůrek is ranked among the leading recognized experts in *Information Technology*, *Telecoms&Media*, *Data Privacy and Protection*, *Trademarks* and *Franchise*. The publication Chambers and Partners recommends him as a leading expert in TMT. According to the publication World Trademark Review, Robert is a recommended expert in trademarks.

Projects

- advising a major mobile telco operator in connection with the acquisition of a telecommunications company providing fixed telephony services
- sale of a group of automotive companies
- acquisition of a home building savings bank by its major competitor
- acquisition of a leading ammunitions manufacturer by a foreign investor
- sale of a major manufacturer of consumer goods for the construction industry by a private equity fund
- advising a global strategic investor on the acquisition and sale of several food companies
- acquisition of shareholdings in several telecommunications and tech companies by a private equity fund
- advising one of the leading global IT service providers in connection with a number of projects in the Czech Republic
- advising an international IT solutions provider in connection with a number of IT outsourcing projects
- advising foreign media companies in connection with film production in the Czech Republic
- advising one of the leading producers of food and consumer products in connection with cartel proceedings in the Czech Republic
- advising a major consumer goods retailer on market entry, including securing related IP rights for the territory of the Czech Republic
- advising a biotechnology company on international patent protection
- advising dozens of companies in connection with GDPR implementation and continuing advice on personal data protection
- representing a number of global corporations in disputes arising out of contractual relationship and in several international arbitrations

HAVEL & PARTNERS

CONNECTED THROUGH SUCCESS

Membership in professional associations

Czech Bar Association

Languages

Czech, English

Education

Radboud University Nijmegen, the Netherlands (1998), LL.M. in European Business Law
Charles University, Faculty of Law, Prague, Czech Republic (1997), Mgr. (Master of Laws)

E: robert.nespurek@havelpartners.cz
T: +420 255 000 949