

Overview

The energy industry is one of the most important economic sectors in Bolivia, and it has seen profound shifts during the last 50 years. During this time, our team of lawyers has played an active role in the domestic energy market, having participated as advisors to the public entities in charge of all facets of energy exploration and exploitation during the state-owned era, as well as advisors to the private companies who engaged in limited partnerships with these public entities; being part of the drafting committee for the new electricity and hydrocarbons law when the government decided to privatize all operations; preparing the bidding documents and criteria and later serving as advisor to proponents during this privatization efforts; advising new energy operators in their daily operations as well as in the financing of new projects de expand capacity; advising these same private players when the state reversed the privatization measures, including negotiation with the government, arbitrations and dismantling the operation and all of its implications (labor and employment issues, tax issues, security issues, etc).

The breadth of our capabilities and experience will help you meet any challenge in this complex environment. Our team of lawyers are deeply familiar with:

- Energy market reform
- Conventional generation
- Transmission and distribution
- Retail electricity and natural gas supply
- Pipeline and maritime transportation
- Exploration and Exploitation Agreements
- Government procurement in electricity and oil and gas
- Real Estate matters
- Mergers and acquisitions of energy companies and assets
- Infrastructure, including construction, project financing, permits, compliance, etc
- Asset acquisitions
- Energy operations
- Litigation and dispute resolution

Our lawyers have garnered an outstanding reputation amongst energy clients working in various sectors, including power, water, oil and gas, and renewables. Our work on a wide range of projects and facilities, including some of the largest and most significant petrochemicals and refinery projects, as well as hydroelectric and thermal electrical projects, makes us the perfect advisors to help you achieve your business goals regardless of where on the energy value chain you operate, and where in the world you want to invest.

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