

Partner Daniel Vázquez to head Dentons' Environment and Natural Resources practice in Spain

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Dentons has recruited Partner Daniel Vázquez to develop its Environment and Natural Resources practice in Spain and strengthen its Public Law practice. He joined the Madrid office on 9 January 2017.

Prior to his move to Dentons, Vázquez worked at Uría Menéndez for 17 years, where he advised national and foreign companies, public administrations and regulatory bodies on environmental issues, including regulations on air, water, waste, contaminated soils and industrial emissions, as well as greenhouse gas emissions trading. He has a long history of leading commercial transactions with an environmental component, including industrial asset M&A, financing of energy projects, and listing of companies in the environmental sector.

Vázquez also has extensive experience in mining projects, and has advised major market players on royalties contracts, mining rights concessions, permits, and the management of environmental liabilities of large mining complexes.

José María Buxeda, Managing Partner of Dentons in Spain, highlighted, "The area of public and environmental law is of increasing international importance and offers strong growth potential here in Spain. We are pleased to welcome a lawyer of Daniel's experience to build up the Firm's environmental service offering in Spain, particularly for clients from the energy and natural resources sector."

Daniel Vázquez commented, "In deciding to take a new step in my career, I was excited by the opportunity to develop Dentons' Environment and Natural Resources practice here in Spain. I feel confident that my clients will benefit from the Firm's global presence and market-leading Energy practice in Europe."

With the addition of Vázquez, Dentons now has a total of 10 partners in Spain.

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