



BHAVIN SHAH

*Indian Qualified Lawyer
Intellectual Property Rights
Professional*

QUALIFICATION

- **LL.M.** (2008-2010)
University of Mumbai
*Laws of Intellectual Property Rights
and Information Technology*
- **LL.B.** (2005-2008)
Government Law College
*Intellectual Property Laws, Banking
Laws & Negotiation Instrument Act*
- **B. COM.** (2000-2005)
Kishinchand Chellaram College

REGISTRATION / ADMISSIONS

- Bar Council of Maharashtra & Goa, India.
- Registered Trademark Agent, India.

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Mirandah Asia (Singapore) Pte Ltd, Singapore

Head of Trademark Department (June 2019 till August 2021)

Trademark Specialist (July 2016 till May 2019)

AZB & Partners, Mumbai, India

Associate (February 2013 till March 2016)

Kochhar & Co., Mumbai, India

Associate (December 2011 till January 2013)

Manoj Menda, Advocate, Mumbai, India

Associate (August 2008 till March 2011)

Paralegal (July 2005 till August 2008)

WORK PROFILE

- Indian qualified lawyer with over a decade of experience in handling Intellectual Property Right matters;
- Heading and overseeing the Trademark Department. In-charge of the India Desk for Trademark matters;
- Managing trademark portfolios for multi-national companies;
- Advising on prosecution, registration, enforcement and commercial exploitation of trademark rights in the ASEAN region, including India;
- International Registration of Trademarks through the Madrid System;
- Advising on assignment and licensing of Intellectual Property Rights in the ASEAN Region, including India;
- Advising on Trademark, Copyright and Design infringement matters;
- Effectively handled various IPR related due diligences for mergers, acquisitions, and private equity transactions.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Effectively defended one of the leading private banks in India against trademark passing off action initiated against them before the High Court, and successfully negotiated settlement.
- Active part of the team defending a trademark and design infringement suit filed against one of the finest stationery makers in India.
- Effectively handled the Intellectual Property section of the due diligence for one of the biggest acquisition in the cement sector.
- Extensively advised one of the leading and well-known cigarette brand owner with regard to its licensing and ownership issues.
- Conducted Intellectual Property due diligence for a private equity investment in one of the leading e-commerce website selling garments.
- Secured international registration of trademarks through the Madrid Protocol route for one of the leading e-commerce website selling lenses.
- Conducted successful market investigation on a pan-India basis, tracing the infringing and counterfeit products being sold for one of the well-known international garment manufacturing company.
- Advised on cross-border licensing arrangement for one of the well-known international garment manufacturing company.
- Effectively managed the IPRs portfolio, which included trademarks, patents, copyrights and designs in India and various jurisdictions across the globe, for a company manufacturing patented valves, being a leader in its category.
- Advised and represented a U.S. educational institution in a trademark infringement issue being faced by them in India, and effectively ensured settlement of the same.
- Efficiently and successfully ensured non-performance of a musical event which infringed upon a trademark right of an event management company, being a leader in the classical music industry.
- Conducted extensive trademark searches and provided registrability opinions for a brand proposed to be launched by a well-known international denim manufacturer.
- Handled trademark and copyright portfolio for a well-known cartoon character.
- Advised a designer on commercialization of its innovative chair design.