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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

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Date of Birth: March 15, 1947

Nationality: Dutch

EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Master of Laws, Catholic University Brabant, Tilburg, 1971;
Ph.D., University of Utrecht, 1991.

LANGUAGES

Dutch, English, French, oral comprehension of German.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Past President, International League of Competition Law (LICD);
International Association for the Protection of Industrial Property (AIPPI) - Executive Committee;
Dutch Government Trademark and Model and Design Law - Standing Advisory Committee;
International Trademark Association (INTA) - Board of Directors;

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Has been Vice Chair, Issues and Policies Committee;
Past Member, Board of Directors, INTA;
Chairman, Special Committee (Q 114) on Biotechnology, AIPPI;
Several intellectual property law associations.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Intellectual property: patents (legal aspects), trademarks, industrial designs, plant breeders' rights, copyright, unfair competition.

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Litigation and advice on intellectual property matters (over 20 years of daily practice);
Three years' experience as professor of intellectual property law.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

Merkenrecht (Trademark Law) (co-author with Wichers-Hoeth), W.E.J. Tjeenk Willink, Zwolle, 1991;

Kwekersrecht (Protection of Plant Breeders' Rights), W.E.J. Tjeenk Willink, Zwolle, 1983;

Introduction to Intellectual Property Law (co-author and editor with Wichers-Hoeth), Kort Begrip van het Intellectuele Eigendomsrecht, W.E.J. Tjeenk Willink, Zwolle, 1993;

Several articles on different intellectual property law subjects.

EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

Twenty years' experience as "advocaat" (barrister) in hundreds of court cases in courts of first instance and courts of appeal in the Netherlands;

Has been involved in coordinating multinational litigation, of which

- 15% concerned patent matters
- 2% plant breeders' rights
- 50% trademarks and tradenames
- 25% copyright and industrial designs
- the remainder concerning unfair competition;

Five years' experience as deputy judge in the Court of Appeal of Amsterdam.

EXPERIENCE IN MEDIATION

Has acted as counsel in a few cases.

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

Has acted as counsel in two International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) arbitrations on intellectual property rights and as arbitrator in one Netherlands Arbitrage Instituut (NAI) arbitration.

ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE**SUMMARY TABLE**

Type	Administering Institution		Role			
	Name	Number of Arbitrations	Presiding Arbitrator	Sole Arbitrator	Co-arbitrator	Counsel
International Arbitrations	AAA					
	ICC	2				2
	LCIA					
	Ad Hoc					
	Others:					
Number of cases: sub-total		2				2
Domestic Arbitrations	NAI	1	1			
Number of cases: sub-total		1	1			
TOTAL		3	1			2