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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Remco M.R. VAN LEEUWEN
Leeway Advocaten/Lawyers
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Nationality: Dutch

EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Master of Laws, Leiden University, Faculty of Law, 1994.
Admitted to the Amsterdam bar, January 1995.

LANGUAGES

Dutch, English

PRESENT POSITION

Partner, Leeway Lawyers.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Partner, Intellectual Property and Information Technology Department, Van Doorne, Amsterdam;
Member of Van Doorne's E-commerce Group;
Head, Intellectual Property Department, Van Doorne, Amsterdam, 2001-02;
Attorney-at-law, IP/IT Department and Litigation & Insurance Department;
Trenité Van Doorne, Advocaten, Notarissen en Belastingadviseurs, Amsterdam, 1994-00.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

International Trademark Association (INTA);
Computer Law Association (CLA);
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European Communities Trade Mark Association (ECTA);
MARQUES (The Association of European Trade Mark Owners);
International Association for the Protection of Industrial Property (AIPPI);
International Literary and Artistic Association (ALAI);
Licensing Executives Society (LES);
Benelux Association of Trademark, Model and Design Law Attorneys (BMM);
Dutch Association for Media and Communications Law (VMC);
Dutch Association for Industrial Property (VIE);
Dutch Association for Copyright Law (VVA);
Dutch Association for Information Technology and Law (NVvIR).

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Intellectual Property law and Information Technology law and its convergence with Internet and Electronic Commerce, and Liability law.

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Commercialization of Intellectual Property assets; counselling and litigation involving Internet and Electronic Commerce related issues, trademarks, trade names, industrial designs, copyrights, database protection, media and advertisements and unfair competition.

EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES

Extensive experience (advise and litigation) in domain name disputes and transactions (over 75 cases).
Member of the Appeals Tribunal of the Stichting Internet Domeinregistratie Nederland (SIDN). (Foundation Internet Domain Registration The Netherlands, the Dutch Domain Name Authority), 1999 - 2001. Under the (old) regulation of the SIDN, which came into force in April 1999 and applied until November 15, 2000, the Appeals Tribunal decided in more than a hundred cases.

Speaker at several seminars and conferences concerning domain names and related topics.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

Co-author, "50 vragen over E-commerce" (50 questions regarding E-commerce), *Kluwer*, 2001.

Several articles on domain names, metatags and hyperlinks.

EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

Extensive experience in summary proceedings and proceedings on the merits of the case before the District Courts, Courts of Appeal and several self-regulatory bodies in The Netherlands, concerning Intellectual Property and Information Technology issues and (general) liability issues (breach of contract and tort).

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

Acted as counsel in several arbitrations, two of which before the Dutch Foundation for the Settlement of Automation Disputes (SGOA).
