



CORPORATE AND COMMERCIAL



The Corporate and Commercial team at Elias Neocleous & Co LLC is recognised as a market leader in Cyprus. With an extensive and distinguished client base, substantial international experience, and proven expertise across a broad range of industries, we are trusted to advise on many of the island's most significant transactions. We take pride in a reputation built on professional excellence and innovation, and we work diligently to uphold it. This is reflected in the consistently high rankings our lawyers receive from respected independent directories, including The Legal 500, Chambers, IFLR1000, ITR, and others. Clients can depend on our ability to manage all aspects of complex, high-value, and cross-border transactions with the highest levels of efficiency and cost-effectiveness.

BUSINESS & INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES

There are numerous opportunities in Cyprus for solid business proposals, with specific encouragement in several key areas. Cyprus is an ideal location for headquartering and branch establishment initiatives, serving as a gateway for investment into the EU from regions such as the UK, Eastern Europe, Asia, Africa, and America.

Mergers and acquisitions, particularly in the banking, tourism, and hospitality sectors, are encouraged, alongside high-tech relocations and start-ups, which benefit from special government concessions promoting research and development. The energy sector, including both fossil fuels and renewables, as well as projects linked to the liberalisation of the electricity market, also presents significant potential.

Our team is qualified and eager to discuss your business proposals in these, or any other, areas.

CYPRUS BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT

Cyprus is the only EU member state located near three continents, with established trade links to each. Its legal system, while fully incorporating EU Directives, is based on English common law, providing a degree of certainty in legal outcomes. The population is well-educated, highly adaptable, and multilingual. The country has double taxation treaties with 60+ nations, including all major global economies.

Both corporate and individual tax regimes are relatively favourable while fully compliant with EU and OECD standards, including the implementation of EU anti-money laundering procedures. Cyprus also enjoys political stability, with successive governments welcoming foreign investors and businesses.

“It was a pleasure for us to work with the Neocleous team! Their constant support and understanding were very important and led to the successful outcome of the transaction.”



OUR SERVICES

Every client has unique circumstances and objectives, and we take the time to understand what matters most to them. Our advice is clear, practical, and grounded in a thorough understanding of both the law and the commercial realities in which our clients operate. We serve as trusted advisors across a broad range of corporate and commercial matters, including:

CORPORATE

- Public and private mergers and acquisitions
- Takeovers, demergers and disposals
- Corporate reorganisations and restructuring
- Insolvency
- Inward and outward redomiciliations
- Corporate governance
- Public and private offerings
- Purchases and sales of securities
- Regulatory compliance
- Cross-border corporate structuring and transactions
- Establishment, structuring and administration of trusts

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- Commercial agreements
- Joint ventures
- Public tender offers
- Licensing
- Procurement
- Data privacy and protection compliance
- e-commerce regulation and contractual frameworks
- Agency and distribution agreements
- Consultancy agreements
- Concession and operating agreements
- Due diligence (legal, corporate)

Elias Neocleous & Co LLC is one of the largest law firms in Cyprus and a leading firm in the South-East Mediterranean region, with offices located in Limassol, Nicosia, Paphos, Brussels, Budapest, Kiev, and Prague. We are renowned for our expertise and jurisdictional knowledge across a broad spectrum of practice areas, spanning all major transactional and market disciplines, to bring strategic solutions to global clients operating in key industries worldwide.





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