

PRESS RELEASE

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Benoît Charrière-Bournazel

joins CBR

CBR is pleased to announce the arrival of Benoît Charrière-Bournazel as a partner, effective 4 January 2010.

Benoît Charrière-Bournazel is admitted to the bars of Paris and New York and is also a solicitor of the Supreme Court of England and Wales. He practiced in New York and London with Covington & Burling before joining Debevoise & Plimpton in Paris in 2007. He is specialised in mergers and acquisitions, commercial transactions, international investments and capital markets transactions. With his international experience, he is able to work on high profile cross-border transactions.

With the arrival of Benoît Charrière-Bournazel, CBR reinforces its expertise in mergers and acquisitions, in which the firm is already well-known and highly regarded. CBR intends to maintain this development strategy in 2010, while at the same time retaining the reactivity and flexibility for which it is well known in both national and cross-border transactions.

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