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OVERVIEW

Soo Guo Sheng is an associate in the firm's Finance practice. He advises financial institutions, aircraft leasing companies, airlines, investors and other corporations on aviation finance, aircraft leasing and trading, and corporate and other financing transactions.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Prior to joining the firm, Guo Sheng was an associate at a Singapore law firm, where his practice focused on banking and finance, mergers and acquisitions and general corporate and commercial transactions.

EDUCATION

- LL.B., National University of Singapore, 2020

ADMISSIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, Singapore
- Senior Courts of England and Wales

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Aviation Finance

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Sustainability-linked financing of three Airbus A321neo aircraft on lease from CCB Financial Leasing to Pegasus Airlines.

- Acted for a Japanese bank in its financing of an Airbus A321-217NX under a Japanese Operating Lease with Call Option (JOLCO) structure. The debt amount was US\$46 million and the equity amount was US\$15.7 million.
- Acted for a subsidiary of a multimodal freight provider in its acquisition of a logistics company for cash consideration of S\$5.5 million.
- Acted for a global real estate development, investment, capital, and property management company on its obtaining of US\$120 million revolving credit facilities from the Singapore branch of a Malaysian bank, for general working capital and corporate funding purposes.
- Acted for a bank in its grant of approximately US\$176 million loan facilities to subsidiaries of a private equity group for the acquisition of hotel resorts in the Maldives.
- Acted for YTL Power International Berhad in its acquisition of the Tuaspring Power Plant through its subsidiary, Taser Power Pte. Ltd., part of the YTL PowerSeraya group, and its refinancing of the associated approximately S\$1.9 billion loan facilities.
- Acted for the founders and shareholders of a carpark management company in their sale of 100% of the shares in the company for cash consideration of S\$16.4 million.