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KEY PRACTICE(S)

Corporate & Commercial
Advisory

Regulatory and Compliance

Foreign Direct Investment

Employment

Mergers & Acquisitions

QUALIFICATIONS

Chulalongkorn University,
LL.B. (Hons)

Benyapa focuses on corporate and commercial law and has extensive experience advising businesses across a wide range of industries. Her experience encompasses mergers and acquisitions (M&A), joint ventures, corporate governance, and a wide range of agreement and contractual transactions.

Benyapa is particularly focused on guiding foreign investors seeking to establish or expand operations in Thailand. She advises on foreign direct investment (FDI) regulations and alternative options, including promoted activities under the Board of Investment (BOI) and industrial estate solutions. Her practice also extends to labour laws, general transactional matters related to public companies, and various aspects of securities regulations.

Benyapa holds a Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) degree with honours from Chulalongkorn University.

WORK HIGHLIGHTS

- Advised Equatorial Space, a global developer of rockets and low-earth orbit space launch vehicles, on its expansion into Thailand, including the establishment of a wholly foreign-owned subsidiary and securing investment promotion under the Thailand FastPass programme. The matter involved navigating Thailand's regulated aerospace sector and coordinating with key government agencies to support the company's research, development and regional launch services operations.
- Advised Morning Global (QS) Holding Limited (Morning Global) on the acquisition of PT Quantum Solutions Logistics Indonesia, as part of Morning Global's complete acquisition of the Quantum Solutions group across five Asia-Pacific countries and territories.
- Advised Humanica Plc. on its acquisition of a Singapore-domiciled software development holding company with operations in Vietnam.

- Acted for a leading airport and mass travel technology services provider in Thailand, on a strategically significant share restructuring and joint venture reorganization.
- Represented a newly established green energy and carbon credit advisory platform on the structuring of their joint venture arrangement.
- Assisted in conducting legal due diligence and land searches for a company to establish EV showrooms across 40 branches in Thailand.
- Assisted a listed company in the acquisition of business and assets of a target company operating in communication devices and technology products valued at approximately US\$30 million and provided comprehensive advice, including implement anti-trust related laws in Thailand.
- Assisted a foreign-owned company in operating a hotel and acquiring land under the Board of Investment (BOI) promoted activity in Thailand for approximately US\$15 million with funding sourced from an overseas private fund.
- Assisted in drafting and negotiating a joint venture agreement to form a new company engaged in manufacturing parts used for computer and mobile devices for global distribution in an investment amount approximately US\$100 million.
- Provided legal advice to a commercial bank, originally based overseas, in applying for a derivative dealer license with the SEC.