



Den Haag, 28 juni 2011

Voortouwcommissie: **vaste commissie voor Europese Zaken**
Volgcommissie(s): algemene commissie voor Immigratie en Asiel
vaste commissie voor Buitenlandse Zaken

Activiteit: **Gesprek**
Datum: woensdag 7 september 2011
Tijd: 14.00 - 15.00 uur
Openbaar/besloten: openbaar

Onderwerp: gesprek met de minister van Justitie van Roemenië

Mede met het oog op de bespreking van de CVM-rapporten over Roemenië en Bulgarije tijdens het AO RAZ op 8 september a.s., brengt de Roemeense minister van Justitie, de heer Cătălin Predoiu, op 7 september een bezoek aan Den Haag (C.V. zie bijlage).

De CVM-rapporten staan dit jaar extra in de belangstelling omdat er een verband is gelegd tussen deze rapporten en de besluitvorming over de eventuele toetreding van Roemenië en Bulgarije tot "Schengen". Dat onderwerp staat geagendeerd voor de JBZ-raad van 22 en 23 september. Het AO voorafgaand aan deze Raad vindt plaats op 15 september 2011. Mede daarom worden de leden van de commissie I&A uitdrukkelijk ook uitgenodigd voor dit gesprek.

Voertaal: Engels

Aanmeldingen voor deze activiteit s.v.p. via Parlis met de knop "Inschrijving" op het tabblad "Deelnemers" van deze Parlisactiviteit.

Griffier: J.J.P. Nijssen

Activiteitsnummer: 2011A03024

CURRICULUM VITAE

Last Name: Predoiu
First Name: Cătălin – Marian
Date of Birth: August 27, 1968
Place of Birth: Buzău, Romania
Citizenship: Romanian
Marital Status: Married, 2 children

Education

- University of Bucharest, Faculty of Law (Ph. D. degree in Commercial Law, summa cum laudae, 2004)
- Caen Bar, France, Training Program in Commercial Law Practice (1994)
- University of Bucharest, Faculty of Law (B.A. in Law, 1991)
- National College BP Hașdeu (1986)

Academic Position

- University of Bucharest, Faculty of Law, Lecturer, Commercial Law (1994 – 2007)

Publications & Awards

- "Romanian Companies Law", third revised edition, Bucharest, 2006, co-author
- "Considerations on the Notions of Banking Activity and Bank Credit", Bucharest, 2003
- "The Banks within the Context of Anti-criminal Legislation. Special legal liabilities", Bucharest, 2003
- "Romanian Companies Law", first edition, Bucharest, 2001, co-author
- "The Credit Operations Inside a Group of Companies", Bucharest, 1996
- "Simion Bărnuțiu" Award granted by the Romanian Academy, for a law book on commercial companies, 2003, co-author
- "I.L. Georgescu" Award granted by the Romanian Jurist Association, for a law book on commercial companies, 2001, co-author

Professional Background

- Minister of Foreign Affairs (ad-interim since October 2009)

- Minister of Justice (since February 2008)
- Senior Partner of Zamfirescu Racoți Predoiu SCA (since 2005)
- Founding partner of Racoți – Predoiu SCA (1995-2005)
- Individual Practitioner (1991 – 1995)

Professional Experience

- Legal counseling in a wide range of general and specific corporate commercial matters, including structuring of corporate groups and sophisticated commercial transactions.
- Solid practice concerning the banking sector, including counseling and representation of both lenders and borrowers in cross-border loan agreements and guarantee agreements, drafting of legal opinions on cross-border loan agreements and guarantee agreements, counseling and representation on building banking corporate structures, bank acquisition and bank privatization and other various banking operations, drafting of bank regulations, civil law regulations and economic legislation.
- Counseling and representation in project finance and private – public partnerships.
- Active involvement in mergers and acquisitions projects, representing bidders, targets, financial advisors, merchant bankers, and other parties in deals ranging from small, privately negotiated transfers of shares or assets to major takeovers, companies' reorganization in important industry fields.

Rankings

- **Chambers Global 2008:**

Corporate/ M&A: Leading Individuals: 2nd band

- **Chambers Global 2007:**

Corporate/ M&A: Leading Individuals: 2nd band

- **Chambers Europe 2007:**

Corporate/ M&A: Leading Individuals: 2nd band

- **Chambers Europe 2008:**

Nominated for: Corporate/ M&A and Employment (to be announced in May)

- **PLC Cross-border Mergers & Acquisitions Handbook 2008/09**

Recommended Lawyer

Professional & Association Memberships

- Permanent Commission of National Association of the Romanian Bars (since 2007)
- CEC SA Board of Directors (since 2007)
- Bucharest Bar, Member of the Bar Council (2003 – 2007)

- Bucharest Bar, Romania (since 1991)
- National Association of the Romanian Bars (since 1991)
- International Bar Association (1999)

Languages

- Romanian
- English
- French