

Turkish Color of the Month

Born in Elazığ on the South East of Turkey, Saim Dursun, depicts, with the warm liveliness of light and color on his spatula, the true Anatolian picture uncovering the strong willpower of Turkish people and their joy of life despite hardship.



By Saim Dursun ©

RTUK's Supervising and Monitoring Authority Extended to Internet Broadcasts

Technology, Media and Telecom

By Hande Hançar Çelik and Baran Güney

The Law on Amendment to Tax Laws, Some Laws and Decree-Laws ("Law") which brings amendments to RTUK Law no. 6112 was approved by the President, was published in the Official Gazette numbered 30373bis on March 27, 2018.

Newsroom



Turkey's New IP Code and Key Changes for Trademarks Seminar

The seminar was hosted by Gün + Partners in İstanbul on Apr 13, 2018. Uğur Aktekin, Hande Hançar Çelik, Barış Kalaycı and Güldeniz Doğan Alkan, partners in our IP practice shared their experiences.



AIPPI Turkey - Sertaç Köksaldı 5th Intellectual Property Law Seminar

Zeynep Seda Alhas, partner in our IP practice, was part of the Trademark - Design - Artistic Works Mock Trial as a counsel for the defence on during the Sertaç Köksaldı - 5th Intellectual Property Law Seminar hosted by AIPPI Turkey in İstanbul on Apr 06, 2018.



IAPP Global Privacy Summit

Ozan Karaduman, partner in our TMT practice, was the panelist at IAPP Global Privacy Summit in Washington, DC on Mar 27-28, 2018. He discussed on data breach response in the Asia Pacific region with varying regimes and degrees of awareness.

New Regulation Regarding the Food Advertisements

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Pursuant to the Regulation published in the Official Gazette dated March 27, 2018 and numbered 30373 "Regulation on Procedures and Principles of Broadcasting Service" was amended.

Invalidity Attack Blocks Precautionary Injunction Demand

Patents and Utility Models

By Selin Sinem Erciyas

The Court considered the retroactive impact of a barely pending invalidation action at a quite early stage with a belief that the patent may be invalidated and therefore it should not be benefited from the patent protection today.

Istanbul District Court Granted Preliminary Injunction

Trademarks and Designs

By Zeynep Seda Alhas and Baran Güney

Istanbul District Court, implementing Article 155 of the IP Code, held in its decision that a registration will not create immunity to its owner against infringement unlike the Court of Appeals precedents which set forth that the use of a registered right would not create infringement

Criminal Liability of an Executive under Turkish Law

Business Crimes and Anti-Corruption

By Filiz Toprak Esin and Ömer Bayman

A company executive in Turkey may be exposed to various types of risks during daily course of business which may cause his/her personal criminal liability. This article aims to provide a general overview of these possible risks.