

## Türkiye Legal Update

December 2021

### Turkish Color of the Month

Born in Elazığ on the east of Türkiye, 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. Painter Saim Dursun passed away in August 13, 2021 at the age of 62.



By Saim Dursun ©

### Changes to the Enforcement and Bankruptcy Law under the 5th Judicial Reform Package

Dispute Management

By Beril Yayla Sapan, Asena Aytuğ Keser and Kardelen Dorken

5th Judicial Reform Package amended the Enforcement & Bankruptcy Law, introducing changes like shifting auctions to electronic portal, re-shaping the valuation of registered properties, granting debtors the power to sell seized properties.

### News and Events



#### Özge Atılğan Karakulak was the moderator of the IBA's "Patents in a Pandemic" panel

Özge, as co-chair of IBA - IP and entertainment law committee, was the moderator of the "Patents in a Pandemic" panel at IBA's Online Event



#### Barış Kalaycı Spoke at Automechanika Academy and OSS Panel

He spoke on "Battle Against Counterfeit Products" at the panel.



#### Webinar: Advertisement Board Decisions - V: Advertisements Related to Health Institutions

Hande Hançar, Dicle Doğan and Baran Güney spoke on the important Advertisement Board decisions on ads related to health institutions.



#### Mutlu Yıldırım Köse and Havva Yıldız Spoke on "Non-Fungible Tokens (NFT)" at İstanbul Bilgi University

They spoke on NFT and its relation to copyrights at the Data-Based Economics Lab of İstanbul Bilgi University.

### Updates on NPP Products in Turkey

Life Sciences

By Dicle Doğan and Fatma Sevde Tan

New Guidelines on NPP has been published and the products to be evaluated for considering whether they shall remain in the List has been announced.

### Advertisement Board and Hygienic Products Ads

Technology, Media and Telecom

By Hande Hançar and Baran Güney

Due to increase of the advertisements related to hygiene and health care products during Covid-19 pandemic the Advertisement Board conducted strict inspections. It is positive development for protection of public health and consumers.

### Permanent Injunction on the Infringing Pharmaceutical Products on the NPP List

Patents and Utility Models , Life Sciences

By Aysel Korkmaz Yatkın and Fatma Sevde Tan

Patent rights are effectively protected via a permanent injunction granted on the infringing pharmaceutical products on the NPP List.

### Appeal Court Issues Significant Decision on Jurisdiction in Case of Online Infringement

Trademarks and Designs

By Güldeniz Doğan Alkan and Dilan Sıla Kayalica

The Regional Court of Appeal held that, in case of online infringement of a registered trademark, the owner of the trademark may initiate a court action against the infringer anywhere in Turkey.



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