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Megha Hoon is an Associate in the firm's Litigation department. Her practice focuses on complex commercial litigation and employment law. From 2019 to 2020, Ms. Hoon served as a law clerk to the Hon. Denis R. Hurley of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York. Prior to clerking, Ms. Hoon worked as an associate at an international law firm in New York.

Representative Matters

Representing a multinational pharmaceutical company in Lanham Act litigation regarding the counterfeiting of prescription medication.

Advising employers on employment compliance issues, including employment and separation agreements, personnel policies, employee handbooks, and disability and accommodations.

Represented a multinational pharmaceutical company in arbitration arising out of manufacturing and contractual disputes.

Represented a multinational pharmaceutical company in action for trade secret misappropriation against competitor.

Represented a business process management software company in action for trade secret misappropriation against a major competitor.

Represented a national real estate investment trust company in a trade secrets misappropriation and breach of fiduciary duty case that resulted in a favorable settlement for our client.

Conducted internal investigations into allegations of workplace discrimination and financial impropriety on behalf of non-profit organizations, hospital system, and law firm.

Pro Bono

Represented a group of nursing home residents in the Eastern District of New York challenging constitutional and statutory violations in the administration of the Nursing Home Transition and Diversion Waiver Program by the New York State Department of Health and its contractor.

Represented individual in appeal against New York City agency, resulting in favorable settlement for our client.

Admissions

- U. S. District Court, Southern and Eastern Districts of New York
- New York

Professional Activities

MEMBERSHIPS:

Member, New York County Lawyer's Association Pro Bono Committee

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS:

"Interplay between Short-Term Disability, Long-Term Disability, Paid Family Leave and Family Medical Leave Act," Patterson Belknap Employment Law CLE (November 8, 2023)

"Employee Theft of Property," Patterson Belknap Employment Law CLE (September 14, 2021)

"New York Practice: The What, Where & How of Commencing a Lawsuit and Serving Parties," New York City Bar CLE Webinar (July 15, 2021)

Publications

- Co-Author, "First National Vaccine Law Conference: Papers and Proceedings," *American Bar Association* (February 23, 2024)
- Co-Author, "Upside For Advertisers After 2nd Circ. False Ad Suit Revival," *Law360* (June 27, 2023)
- Contributor to Misbranded Blog
- Co-Author, "Is Daubert Now A Dirty Word?," *American Bar Association* (Spring 2022)
- Co-Author, "Expert Witness Testimony Rule Changes Would Serve Justice," *Bloomberg Law* (January 5, 2022)
- Co-Author, "NY's New Marijuana Law: Implications for False Advertising and Products Liability Lawsuits" *New York Law Journal* (May 26, 2021)

Education

- Cornell Law School (J.D., 2016)
 - Senior Articles Editor, *Cornell International Law Journal*
- Hamilton College (B.A., 2011)

Speaking Engagements

- "Responding to a Demand Letter and Pre-Complaint Settlement Strategies," Patterson Belknap's 2024 Employment Law and Employee Benefits CLE Series (October 1, 2024)