



SEMINAR & LUNCHEON

ON THE COMMON INVESTMENT LAW & THE UNIFIED ENTERPRISE LAW — WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOUR BUSINESS



On July 1, 2006, the foundations of Vietnamese company law will change when the Unified Enterprise Law and the Common Investment Law enter into effect. Replacing the long-established Law on Foreign Investment and Law on Domestic Investment, these new laws will create new opportunities and challenges for anyone operating a business in Vietnam. Among other things, investors will need to decide whether they wish to convert their enterprises into one of the forms of doing business provided for under these new laws.

The Hong Kong Business Association in Vietnam, in cooperation with several other business groups, has organized a half-day workshop to introduce the new laws and assess their impact on the business community.

The principal Government drafters of each law will be there to explain the intent underlying the laws and how business should prepare for their entry into effect. Lawyers with experience in this area will speak on the practical aspects of the pending changes.



- **Mr. Dung Pham - Director General of the Legal Department of the Ministry of Planning and Investment**
The Common Investment Law : Overview of Impact on Investor

- **Mr. Nguyen Dinh Cung, Head of Marco Economic Division of Central Institute of Economic Management**
The Unified Enterprise Law : Overview of Impact on Enterprises

- **Ms. Dao Nguyen, Partner, Johnson Stokes & Masters**

*Unified Enterprise Law : ♦ Impact on ownership and management structure
♦ New Capital Raising Possibilities*

- **Mr. Nguyen Huu Phuoc, Managing Partner, Luat Viet Legal Consultants**

*Common Investment Law : ♦ New Two-Step Registration / Approval Concept
♦ "Restricted" and Conditional Fields ♦ Impact on the Private Sector*

- **Mr. Tuan A Phung, Managing Partner, VCI Legal**

♦ Comparison with law on Foreign Investment, Law on Domestic Investment and Enterprise Law

- **Mr. Fred Burke, Managing Partner, Baker & McKenzie Vietnam**

Consequences For Existing Businesses:

- ♦ *Should your Company convert?*
- ♦ *How long do you have to decide and what do you need to do?*
- ♦ *What must your company do if you chose not to convert?*

DATE : Wednesday, February 15th, 2006

TIME : Seminar 8:00 am - 12:00 noon
Luncheon 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

VENUE : New World Hotel Saigon,
76 Le Lai St., District 1

Ticket For Member & Co-sponsors' Member:

Seminar only : US\$ 25.00
Seminar & Luncheon : US\$ 40.00

Ticket For Non-Member:

Seminar only : US\$ 30.00
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