



# Satu-Anneli Kauranen has been appointed as Partner at DLA Piper Finland as of April 1, 2025



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**Satu-Anneli Kauranen** has been appointed as a partner at DLA Piper Finland, effective from April 1, 2025. Kauranen brings international, extensive and diverse experience, particularly in the fields of competition law and compliance, as well as strong expertise in several specifically regulated sectors.

Kauranen advises our clients on matters such as distribution systems and cooperation between companies. She has acted as a competition law advisor in numerous significant merger control processes and has provided guidance on other regulatory issues related to transactions. Seamless collaboration between our corporate and competition law experts is crucial as the regulatory framework governing businesses continues to expand. This enables us to support our clients in a comprehensive and wide-ranging manner. Kauranen's expertise aligns excellently with the firm's goal of being the primary and trusted advisor for companies in all their local and global business law needs.

Satu-Anneli Kauranen is a recognised expert in her field, having been ranked in the EU & Competition Law category by both Chambers & Partners and Legal 500 for several years.

**Ilkka Liljeroos**, Managing Partner, DLA Piper Finland comments:

"We are delighted to welcome Satu-Anneli as a partner at our firm. She has demonstrated to both our clients and colleagues her exceptional expertise in competition law, compliance, and regulated industries. She has represented clients in some of Finland's most challenging merger control processes before the Finnish Competition and Consumer Authority and the Market Court. In addition, Satu-Anneli's international experience from Brussels and London is highly valuable in supporting DLA Piper's international clients in cross-border arrangements."

"I'm excited and motivated by the opportunity to continue developing our services across practice groups as a partner at DLA Piper. Our domestic and global teams consist of top professionals in their fields, and it's a pleasure to serve our Finnish and international clients in an even more international role," says Kauranen.

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