



Corporate Law

Practice area

Corporate law is the fundamental regulation that companies are subject to, ensuring the balance between owners as well as and between owners and other stakeholders, including creditors. Corporate law thus fosters trust in companies established in Denmark.

Corporate law forms the legislative foundation on which Danish companies operate. This applies whether it's a joint-stock company, partnership, limited liability company, or entities like limited partnerships or joint ventures.

Corporate law sets forth the basic rules for a company's inception, its life, and ultimately its dissolution, ensuring that transactions occur with due consideration of various stakeholders' interests. These fundamental rules help build trust in Danish companies, making it attractive for both domestic and foreign companies to establish, operate, and invest in businesses in Denmark.

Moreover, certain types of companies are subject to specific requirements due to their nature, including listed companies, financial institutions, and state-owned enterprises.

Corporate law in Denmark is significantly influenced by international regulations, especially EU regulations, resulting in an increasingly complex regulatory landscape.

It's also evident that external expectations of Danish companies and their conduct are steadily rising, reflected through new regulations.

At Plesner, we assist in understanding and complying with Danish corporate law regulations and devise solutions to complex issues, ensuring that corporate law

doesn't hinder but supports commercially sound transactions. We often collaborate with colleagues from other specialized areas, as corporate law, due to its foundational nature, interacts with many other legal domains.

Case News 04.06.2026

Alma Property Partners and Three Lakes Capital acquire 180 residential units in Holbæk

Case News 26.09.2025

Adelis partners with Inforevision and Roesgaard to establish Cedra Denmark

Case News 01.04.2025

RWE sells 49% of the largest offshore wind farm in Denmark - Thor Wind Farm

Case News 16.12.2024

EIB signs EUR 20 mil. venture debt facility with Danish biotech SNIPR Biome

Case News 18.06.2024

Sampo plc announces a public exchange offer to the shareholders of Topdanmark A/S

Case News 13.10.2023

The National Tax Tribunal reverses the case law of the Danish Tax Agency on additional taxation of foundations' tied-up funds on dissolution

Case News 17.05.2023

Leading Supreme Court judgment: Collaboration on concept did not imply ownership in respect of the "Tromborg business"



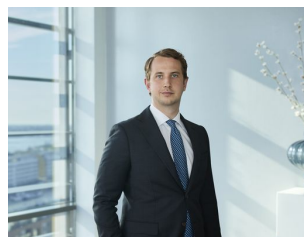
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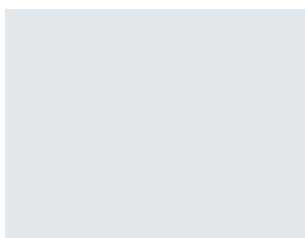
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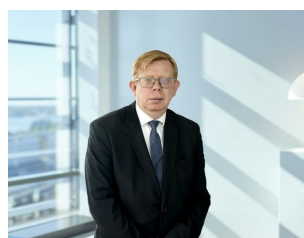
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Within Commercial, Corporate and M&A, Plesner is a first tier firm.

"The team's practice stands out for its combination of deep expertise, client-centric approach and modern ways of delivering legal services. Unlike traditional firms that may still rely on rigid hierarchies and outdated workflows, this practice emphasises adaptability, efficiency and collaboration, both internally and with clients. The focus is not only on legal excellence but also on providing a seamless client experience"

"The Plesner corporate and M&A team in Denmark embodies the highest standards of skill, capability and commitment"

"The team is known for their cross-border capabilities and good communication skills. They are easy and fun to work with. They focus on collaboration with other advisors, which is a key strength. The firm is known for its innovative approach"

CHAMBERS GLOBAL

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Plesner is listed in "Band 1" as regards Corporate/M&A by Chambers Global and Chambers Europe.

"The team are knowledgeable and experienced"

"Plesner have a business-oriented approach to advising clients, and the lawyers are very service-minded"

"Plesner are efficient and offer prompt reactions. The lawyers are skilled and provide clear directions and answers"

"Plesner has a very experienced partner group who are very used to handling complex matters as part of any transaction"

"The team are highly creative and very easy to work with. They understand the client's needs and have strong talent at both senior and junior partner levels"

The LEGAL 500

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Within Commercial, Corporate and M&A, Plesner is a first tier firm.

"A leading, top-tier player in the Danish M&A and ECM market"

"The Plesner M&A team is the best in Denmark, no doubt! Absolutely elite team with high versatility"

"In my opinion, Plesner has the strongest legal M&A team in Denmark"

"The team has the rare ability to combine the highest standards for legal work with strong commercial understanding, guiding us as a client to identify the trade-offs and where relevant strike the right compromises"

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"The team are reliable, hard-working, available and nice to work with"

"The lawyers at Plesner provide top-level quality on legal work while being able to combine this with strong business acumen and understanding"

"Both commercial and technical competencies are well represented by the team"

"Plesner is the firm you want on your side when things gets difficult. Its lawyers will find a solution if at all possible"

The LEGAL 500

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Within Commercial, Corporate and M&A, Plesner is a first tier firm.

"Plesner's capital markets, corporate and M&A team is outstanding"

"Extremely responsive and thoughtful"

"Excellent industry knowledge and depth of experience. Great staffing and proactive legal advice. Pragmatic and business-oriented team"



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Plesner is listed in "Band 1" as regards Corporate/M&A.

"Aside from being extremely legally skilled, they are also very commercial and excellent at understanding our business needs"

"The lawyers provide high-quality work and are very dedicated"

"The team is always available and highly skilled"

"Plesner has a strong team that focuses on solutions. The team members are all insightful, on the ball and respond fast"