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## BIO

#### MAIRA IS COUNSEL IN THE PROJECT & STRUCTURED FINANCE GROUP.

Maira specialises in project and structured finance, mergers and acquisitions and regulations within the energy sector.

She has extensive experience in the Greek energy market and related regulations, environmental law and land rights, as well as advising on corporate structures and corporate governance.

Since joining the firm in 2007, she has worked on numerous complex share sale and acquisition transactions in the Greek energy and infrastructure sectors, as well as in privatisations.

Maira is recognised as a rising star in Energy by Legal 500 EMEA and an Up and Coming Lawyer by Chambers & Partners Europe and is described as "an increasingly prominent lawyer who receives praise from the market for her experience in the renewable energy sector, as well as her handling of finance mandates".

# **EXPERIENCE**

Advising Cubico Sustainable Investments on its acquisition of K-Wind Kitheronas Energy S.A., which owns and operates the 21 MW Kitheronas onshore wind farm in central Greece, from Intracom Holdings S.A.

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Acting for WPD in the sale of its interests in two Greek companies, each owning an approximately 5 MW photovoltaic generation project, to Enel Green Power Hellas SA. Acting for a subsidiary of EDF EN Greece on the Greek bond loan refinancing of two 24 MW capacity onshore operating wind farms in Fokida and Viotia with Eurobank Ergasias SA as agent and arranger. Advising Hellenic Republic Asset Development Fund on drafting the contract for the €915m sale of the entire shareholding of Hellinikon S.A., the company holding the development rights to the six million m2 former Athens airport site. Advising Hellenic Republic Asset Development Fund on the sale and lease back of 28 state buildings with a sale value of €261m. **INSIGHTS PRESS** WFW ADVISES ON SALE OF MAJORITY STAKE IN UNAGI TO MORE www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-on-sale-of-majority-stake-in-unagi-to-more/ **PRESS** WFW ADVISES VALOREM ON 27 MW MAGOULA WIND FARM FINANCING www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-valorem-on-27-mw-magoula-wind-farm-financing/ **PRESS** WFW ADVISES IMPAX ON SOLAR PV JOINT VENTURE WITH WATT+VOLT www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-impax-on-solar-pv-joint-venture-with-wattvolt/ ARTICLE HYDROGEN IN GREECE www.wfw.com/articles/hydrogen-in-greece/

PRESS WFW ADVISES BLUE ELEPHANT ON ACQUISITION OF LARGE GREEK SOLAR

**PARKS** 

www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-blue-elephant-on-acquisition-of-large-greek-solar-parks/