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AMSTERDAM

Keizer Advocaten

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This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff;
- They are affiliated to Bar Association Amsterdam, Dutch Criminal Bar Association, European Bar Association, Brussels Bar Association;
- Specialisations are in National criminal law, European criminal law, international criminal law, extradition cases, European Arrest Warrant, repatriation cases;
- They have experience of representing British nationals, member and NGO of Fair Trails International London (FTI), the senior partner is patron of FTI;
- They can provide legal aid
- They can offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak Dutch, English, French and German;
- They cover all courts in Holland and Belgium;
- Have international offices in Belgium, Germany, France, Italy, Spain;

De Roos & Pen BV

Keizersgracht 332, 1016 EZ Amsterdam, Tel: 0031 (0) 20 6275411, Fax: 0031 (0) 20 6226577, Email: info@deroosenpen.nl Website: www.deroosenpen.nl

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff
- They are not affiliated
- Specialisations are in, Financial criminal law, Fraud investigation, Internal investigations /audits, Criminal tax law, General criminal law, International criminal law, Confiscation cases, (Air) traffic criminal law, Environmental criminal law, Cassation proceedings in criminal cases
- They have experience of representing British nationals
- They can provide legal aid
- They can offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak Dutch, English, German, French, Spanish
- Don't have international offices

Russell Advocaten B.V.

Reimersbeek 2, 1082 AG Amsterdam, Tel: 0031 (0) 20 301 55 55, email: info@russell.nl website: www.russell.nl

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking lawyers and staff
- They are affiliated to the Dutch Bar Association
- Specialisations are in: Corporate law, Labour / Employment law and dismissal, Real estate and lease, Corporate litigation, arbitration and mediation, Contracts, Franchise, distribution and agency, Liability, Boardroom counselling, Second opinion, Administrative and environmental law, IT and intellectual property, Art and Law, Marriage and divorce (private wealth restructuring)

The law firm of Russell Advocaten assists clients in all facets of their day-to-day business operations. We can provide legal advice on all aspects of business enterprises and in every sector.

Sectors: Retail (food/non-food), Fashion & luxury, Real Estate, Fine Arts, Gaming & lotteries, IT/ICT/Social Media, Industry, Hospitality, Embassies & Consulates, Expats

- They have experience of representing British nationals
- They can't provide legal aid
- They can't offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak **English, French, German, Dutch**
- They cover the whole world
- *Russell Advocaten is part of Primerus, a worldwide network of 200 law firms in 40 countries which ensure the best possible quality.*

International offices are located worldwide

Spong advocaten

**Keizersgracht 278, 1016 EW Amsterdam, Tel: 0031 (0) 20 330 5409 Fax: 0031 (0) 20 330 4666, E. info@spongadvocaten.com
www.spong.nl**

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff
- They are not affiliated to any organisation, but an independent law firm.
- Specialisations are criminal law, supreme court proceedings, extradition proceedings, family law (Haarlem)
- They do have experience of representing British nationals
- They can provide legal aid
- They can't offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak Dutch and English
- They cover the Netherlands and the Netherlands Antilles
- Don't have international offices. One associated office on Curacao, SMS Attorneys at Law.
- Do you have international offices? If yes please provide details.

Wieringa Advocaten

IJdok 17, 1013 MM Amsterdam, PO Box 10100, 1001 EC Amsterdam, Tel: 0031 (0) 20 531 3028, Fax: 0031 (0) 20 627 2278

www.wieringa.nl

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff
- They are affiliated to Netlaw, a Dutch network of independent law firms
- Specialisations are in company/commercial (including insolvencies and receivership), public and private employment, and building and zoning
- They have extensive experience of representing British nationals and companies
- They can't provide legal aid
- They can't offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak English, French, German, Italian (depending on members of the staff)
- They cover the entire Netherlands
- Have no international offices, but have intensive working relations with law firms throughout Europe, Asia and the Americas through dependable networks

THE HAGUE

BarentsKrans

Lange Voorhout 3, P.O. Box 30457, 2500 GL, The Hague, 0031 (0) 70 376 0606, email: info@barentskrans.nl, website: www.barentskrans.nl

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff
- They are affiliated to The Hague Bar (Nederlandse Orde van Advocaten -> attorneys-at-law); and to the Royal Dutch Notarial Society (Koninklijke Notariële Broederschap ->notaries)
- Specialisations are in Civil Law
- They have experience in representing British nationals
- They can provide legal aid
- They can't offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak Dutch, English, some German and French
- They have one office, in The Hague, The Netherlands.

Kaarl's Strafrechtadvocaten

Eisenhowerlaand 136, 2517 KN The Hague, Tel: 0031 (0) 70 762 0290, email: info@kaarlsadvocaten.nl website in English: www.criminaldefense.nl

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff

- They are affiliated to Dutch Bar Association (Nederlandse Orde van Advocaten), Dutch Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (NVSA); European Criminal Bar Association (ECBA)
- Specialisations are Criminal Law
- They have experience of representing British nationals
- They can provide Legal aid
- They can offer a Pro Bono Service
- Staff speak Dutch, English, German and French
- They cover the whole country
- Although they do not have international offices, they have good contacts in different countries

ROTTERDAM

Loyens & Loeff

Blaak 31, 3011 GA Rotterdam, Tel: 0031 (0) 10 224 62 24, Fax: 0031 (0) 10 412 58 39, website: www.loyensloeff.com email: info@loyensloeff.com

This company has told us the following things:

- They have English speaking staff
- They are an independent law firm.
- Specialisations are in full-service (inter)national legal and tax practice
- They have experience of representing British nationals

- They can provide legal aid
- They can offer a Pro Bono service
- Staff speak Dutch, English, French, German, Arabic, Russian, Spanish, Italian, Japanese, Chinese, Portuguese, Polish.
- They cover Dutch, Belgian and Luxembourg law.
- Have international offices in Belgium, Luxembourg, Switzerland, Paris, London, New York, Dubai, Hong Kong and Tokyo, Singapore, Curacao and Aruba

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