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SECTORS: Energy, Mining and Commodities, Airports, Oil and Gas, Infrastructure, Power,

LNG and Offshore, Ports and Terminals

SERVICES: Joint Ventures and Strategic Alliances, ECA Finance, Construction, Hotels and

Hospitality, Project Finance

BIO

EMMANUEL IS A PARTNER IN THE LONDON PROJECTS GROUP.

He has a particular focus on the development, acquisition and financing of energy and infrastructure assets, both in the primary and secondary markets. He regularly acts for contractors, sponsors and lenders with special expertise in the renewable energy sector (solar, onshore and offshore wind, biomass, energy from waste and hydro projects).

Emmanuel has also been independently recognised for his expertise by leading legal directory Chambers UK 2022, where he is ranked for non-contentious construction matters. He has also been recognised in Legal 500 UK, where clients said, "Emmanuel Ninos has been central to the success of major contracts and we look forward to continuing to work with him".

EXPERIENCE

Advising the lenders to DIF Capital Partners, via its DIF Infrastructure VII fund, on the financing of a 540 MW portfolio of colocated UK solar generation and battery storage assets comprising seven ready-to-build sites.

Burbo Extension Ltd, a consortium of Ørsted A/S, Danish pension provider PKA and KIRKBI A/S, on the construction aspects of the sale of transmission assets valued at approximately £193m to Diamond Transmission Partners BBE Limited pursuant to the OFTO regime.

National Bank of Greece on a >10 year €371m non-recourse acquisition financing to a consortium comprising Snam, Enagás and Fluxys to fund its acquisition of a 66% stake in the Hellenic Gas Transmission System Operator S.A. for €535m.

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Vortex, a European renewables platform managed by the private equity arm of EFG Hermes, on its circa £470m acquisition of a 365 MW UK solar PV portfolio from TerraForm Power, one of the largest UK solar portfolios.

A BlackRock owned project company on the EKF-backed construction financing for the 160 MW Tellenes wind farm in Norway, including the PPA with Google, listed as one of Inspiratia's top ten most significant renewables deals of 2016.

EDUCATION

2001 - 2004 University of Newcastle Upon Tyne, Law LL.B

2004 - 2005 College of Law York, LPC

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Law Society of England and Wales

INSIGHTS

ARTICLE THE FUTURE OF EV CHARGING: SPOTLIGHT ON UNITED KINGDOM

www.wfw.com/articles/the-future-of-ev-charging-spotlight-on-united-kingdom/

ARTICLE JAPANESE OFFSHORE WIND - STATUS AND RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

www.wfw.com/articles/japanese-offshore-wind-developments/

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www.wfw.com/articles/energy-act-2023-enabling-ccus/

ARTICLE BACKGROUND TO THE ENERGY ACT 2023: REMA – REVOLUTION, NOT

EVOLUTION

www.wfw.com/articles/background-to-the-energy-act-2023-rema-revolution-not-evolution/

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