26 May 2008 – International Medical Device Compliance Congress

1.00 pm - 4.00 pm Preconference II - Dawn Raids

1.00 pm Introduction - Luc Gyselen, Arnold & Porter

Presentation of the European Commission's enforcements activities with a focus on:

- Cartel enforcement as the Commission's top priority
- How the Commission copes with the workload
- The Commission's cartel enforcement tools
- Globalisation of cartel enforcement and co-operation within the EU with national authorities
- Deterrents to anti-trust infringements

1.20 pm A Day in the Life of a Dawn Raid Victim - Anne Federle, Linklaters

- The Investigators Arrive
- The First Hour
- The Office Search
- At the End of The Day
- How to Manage the Dawn Raid Risk

2.00 pm Dawn Raids and the issue of Legal Privilege - Kristina Nordlander, Sidley Austin LLP

- Legal privilege and in-house lawyers: the Akzo case
- Scope of protection and procedural safeguards
- EU vs Member State Rules
- Practical advice for preserving privilege

2.30 pm Dawn Raid - follow-up issues - David Hull, Covington & Burling

- Leniency and Fines
- Settlements
- Private damages actions

3.10pm Competition Law Compliance Programmes - Catriona Hatton, Hogan & Hartson

- How to devise and implement an effective compliance programme
- In-house training modules
- Anti-trust audits and mock dawn raids

3.30 pm Q&A and panel discussion