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With over 15 years of experience, Ashish Pareek specialises in M&A, Private Equity, JVs, General Corporate and Defence matters. He has advised on foreign investment in India in various sectors, including manufacturing, banking, non-banking financial services, insurance, IT, cloud, and data centre business. Ashish brings domain expertise in the defence and aerospace sectors and has also assisted several foreign defence suppliers on their ongoing/proposed supply contracts with the Government of India. Additionally, he has advised US multinationals on FCPA related compliance audits in India.

Experience

- Partner, AZB & Partners (2019 – Present)

Key Practice Areas

- Corporate / Mergers & Acquisitions
- Private Equity & Venture Capital
- Defence
- E-Commerce & Retail

Recent Work Highlights

- Warburg Pincus on its (i) investment in Good Host Spaces Private Limited; (ii) investment of USD 150 million in Apollo Tyres Limited; and (iii) joint venture (and commitment of USD 200 million) with Runwal Group for the development of mixed-use real estate projects
- Brookfield Asset Management on its acquisition of: (i) the renewable power assets of Emami Power; and (ii) global restructuring of its business operations
- Hero group on multiple transactions in new-age tech companies such as Bluestone Jewellery, Lifelong Online Retail, Karkinos Healthcare and others such TVS Supply Chain, etc.
- Bharti Airtel Limited on Google's equity investment of USD 700 million and other commitments of USD 300 million in Bharti Airtel Limited
- Raytheon in connection with setting up its presence in India for its proposed defence contracts with the Indian Ministry of Defence
- BAE Systems on (i) its joint venture with an Indian defence public sector undertaking; and (ii) the business activities of its wholly owned subsidiary in India

Directorships, Memberships & Affiliations

- Bar Council of Delhi (2011)

Professional Qualifications

- BA, LL.B. (Hons), NALSAR, Hyderabad (2010)