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Richard Taylor has experience in intellectual property, technology and commercial law.

Richard advises on transactions and disputes for entities ranging from major corporates to SMEs, including enterprises in the life science and technology sectors, brand and design-rich companies, public bodies and HEIs.

Professional Qualifications

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales

Prior Experience

2003 to date, Partner, DLA Piper

1998 to 2003, Partner, Canadian based business law firm

1994 to 1998, Assistant Solicitor, Canadian based business law firm

1992 to 1994, Trainee Solicitor, London based international law firm

Education

- London University, LL.M Law
- Oxford University, MA English

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DLA Piper is advising Philip Morris International (PMI) on its recommended public offer for Vectura Group plc, a public limited company whose shares are listed on the Official List of the London Stock Exchange (Vela). PMI's bid values Vectura at approximately GBP1 billion.

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