



Partner | Advocate (Thailand)

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KEY PRACTICES

Corporate, Commercial & Civil Litigation

Restructuring & Insolvency

Real Estate & Construction

Employment & Industrial Relations

Intellectual Property (IP) Disputes

International Trade

Alternative Dispute Resolution

QUALIFICATIONS

Thammasat University, LL.B.

Thai Barrister-at-Law (The Thai Bar Association)

Licensed Lawyer (The Law Society of Thailand)

Notarial Services Attorney (Lawyers Council of Thailand)

With over 20 years of experience, Ravipat is a seasoned litigator and dispute resolution specialist. He has built a strong track record representing clients in high-stakes commercial matters, including contractual and shareholder disputes, bankruptcy and corporate rehabilitation, real estate and construction litigation, employment and labour law, and intellectual property disputes.

He is also skilled in alternative dispute resolution, including negotiation, mediation, and arbitration, enabling clients to resolve matters effectively and efficiently.

He has acted for multinational corporations, listed companies, and private enterprises across diverse industries, including real estate, construction, entertainment, manufacturing, and consumer goods. His cross-border experience includes representing clients from Korea, Spain, Japan, and the United States in high-stakes disputes and contractual matters.

Fluent in Thai and English, Ravipat is widely recognised for his ability to lead teams, craft litigation strategies, and secure favourable outcomes in Thailand's most challenging disputes.

He holds a Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) from Thammasat University in Bangkok, Thailand.

WORK HIGHLIGHTS

- Acted for the owners in a high-value maritime cargo dispute arising from alleged damage to a DAP fertiliser shipped to Thailand. The matter involved urgent security negotiations, a disputed Letter of Undertaking, vessel arrest proceedings, and subsequent court-supervised settlement negotiations before the Thai court.
- Acted for a corporate client in proceedings before the Central Intellectual Property and International Trade Court of Thailand concerning alleged unauthorised use of product design software. The matter involved pre-trial mediation, limited technical

disclosure by the claimant, assessment of employer liability for alleged employee conduct, and strategic advice on whether to settle or proceed to litigation.

- Acting for the respondent in arbitration proceedings before the Thailand Arbitration Institute arising from a construction dispute.
- Acted for a corporate client in a contractual dispute arising from a counterparty's refusal to pay the initial deposit and accept delivery of goods procured under a purchase order. The team advised on the client's contractual rights and remedies, prepared formal demand letters, and assisted with negotiations aimed at avoiding formal proceedings.
- Acted for a private individual in Thai probate proceedings for appointment as estate administrator. The matter involved cross-border issues, including the client's residence overseas, Swiss law restrictions on remote testimony, and the need for the client to give evidence in Thailand.
- Advised a corporate client on the mutual separation of a senior employee, including the preparation and structuring of a Mutual Separation Agreement. The matter required careful assessment of Thai labour law issues, including statutory severance, unfair termination risk, post-employment obligations, confidentiality, waiver of claims, and release provisions.
- Acted for a private individual in Thai probate proceedings for appointment as estate administrator in circumstances involving cross-border evidentiary and documentary requirements.
- Advising a technology and telecommunications client on Thai labour law issues arising from a disputed employment structure. Lead counsel in major corporate rehabilitation proceedings, including acting for a property developer in a THB19 billion case and a rubber manufacturer in a THB12.1 billion case.
- Represented a public real estate developer in a THB50 million construction dispute, a Korean subcontractor in a THB346 million claim, and successfully handled a THB121 million breach of lease and service agreement case.
- Acted for a listed engineering firm in a THB94 million breach of contract dispute and represented a US-based client in a THB6 million debt collection case.
- Defended a logistics company in a high-value wrongful dismissal claim and represented a major entertainment company and a toy retailer in labour litigation matters.
- Represented beverage and entertainment companies in copyright and trademark disputes, including handling trademark

appeals for Spanish and Japanese clients before the Department of Intellectual Property.