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RANBAXY-DAIICHI DEAL DISSECTED

Dear All,

With the completion of acquisition of 63.92% equity stake in Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited ("**Ranbaxy**"), India's largest pharmaceutical company, by Japanese pharma major Daiichi Sankyo Co., Ltd. ("**Daiichi**"), on November 7, 2008, it would be interesting to analyze the key legal and tax issues that arose from the beginning till the completion of this landmark deal.

For a detailed analysis of the legal and tax issues, [please click here for the document](#).

As you would be aware, we have been providing regular information on latest legal developments. M&A Lab is our latest initiative to provide you in depth and knowledge based analysis of latest M&A deals. We will be happy to have your views / comments on our initiative.

– Ruchi Biyani, Vaidhyanadhan Iyer & Nishchal Joshipura

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