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Education
B.B.A., LL.B. (Business Law Hons.), National Law University, Jodhpur

Bar admission
Bar Council of Delhi, 2019

Recognition
Certificate of Appreciation, World Bank Group, for expert contribution to B-READY 2026

Certification
DSCI Certified Privacy Professional (DCPP)

Languages
English, Hindi

Profile

Abhilash is a Partner at Benevolent Law Chambers in its general corporate, M&A and private equity practice. He advises promoters, listed companies, investors and start-ups on mergers and acquisitions, private equity and venture capital investments, capital markets offers for sale, and general corporate and commercial matters.

World Bank Group · Business Ready (B-READY) 2026

Abhilash received a Certificate of Appreciation from the World Bank Group for his expert contribution, from India, to Business Ready (B-READY) 2026, the World Bank Group's benchmark of business and investment climates across economies.

Before BLC, Abhilash was an Associate at Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co in Delhi and, before that, in the corporate practice of Luthra and Luthra Law Offices India in Mumbai, where he worked on private equity and venture capital investments, mergers and acquisitions, and general corporate and commercial transactions. He began his career in independent practice before the Delhi High Court, alongside legal advisory work for start-ups.

At BLC, his work spans share purchase and shareholders' agreements, company law restructurings including fast-track and NCLT mergers, employment documentation, data privacy compliance, regulatory filings and litigation support.

Abhilash holds a B.B.A., LL.B. (Business Law Hons.) degree from National Law University, Jodhpur, where he was Editor-in-Chief of the NLUJ Law Review. He is a DSCI Certified Privacy Professional.

Select professional experience

Capital Markets

- Assisting some of the selling shareholders of a manufacturing giant in its upcoming initial public offer, advising on their proposed participation in the offer for sale and acting as selling shareholders' counsel.
- Assisted the selling shareholders of Behari Lal Engineering Limited in its initial public offer, advising on their participation in the offer for sale and acting as selling shareholders' counsel.
- Assisted Standard Glass Lining Technology Limited in its pre-IPO private placement to Mauritius-based Amansa Investment Limited, through a mix of secondary sale and primary issuance.

Private Equity & VC

- Assisted Brevistay Hospitality and its founders on the acquisition of a majority stake by ixigo (Le Travenues Technology Limited), a transaction value of over INR 120 crores, including a multi-year exit framework for the founders.
- Assisted BigMint Technologies in negotiating and finalising documentation to acquire a majority stake in Newco Polymer Intel Private Limited, through a combination of share purchase and share subscription.
- Assisted Standard Scigenics, a subsidiary of Standard Glass Lining Technology Limited, in its slump sale acquisition of Scigenics (India) Private Limited.
- Assisted the promoter group of Argo Solar Private Limited in the sale of their stake to a major regional infrastructure player.
- Assisted in the majority stake sale by a non-bank finance company to Prashant Pitti-promoted Opticap Holding India Private Limited (Optimo Capital).
- Assisted Septathalon Services (Machaxi) in its Pre-Series A round led by Zerodha's Rainmatter Investments, which also saw investment by Prakash Padukone, and in its Pre-Series A raise from Inflection Point Ventures.
- Assisted a tech-enabled solar energy player in procuring services from a major vendor against a private placement of securities, structured with a vesting and clawback mechanism.
- Assisted BigMint Technologies in its acquisition of Quesrow, a strategy and research consulting firm.

Commercial & Private Client

- Assisted Ledure Lightings in negotiating and finalising documentation to onboard Mr. Ranbir Kapoor as brand ambassador, and the promoter family of a major Delhi NCR-based conglomerate in succession planning through a network of trusts.

Insights by Abhilash

Lost in restatement: the dispute resolution clause and the AoA

Not an employee, not a director, not a citizen... not a problem

The BLC Stance: Demat before the deal

BLC Sideline: Avoiding the indeterminate NDA

Women Directors as Alternate Directors: Seeking Clarifications

The curious case of Mary Roy

Broader Implications Of The Supreme Court's Pandurang Judgment on Co-operative Banks

Banking on Force Majeure: Honouring Bank Guarantees in Times of a Pandemic