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The **Transportation Department** of Salomon Lipschutz & Co. is highly experienced and has unique and diversified expertise in consulting and representing clients from the field of transportation, responding to the entire spectrum of complex legal aspects involved in the operation and provision of transport-related services and solutions.

For decades the Department team has rendered advice, services and legal escort to companies operating public transportation lines and to providers of transportation solutions and services for the tourism industry, educational institutions, municipalities and local councils, plants and other workplaces.

The Department renders legal services and is extensively involved in privatization processes of public transportation in Israel, including groundbreaking projects at unprecedented Israeli scales (e.g. the Matronit Project in Haifa and the Krayot) and additional regulatory processes.

The Transportation Department team members provide clients comprehensive legal representation and counselling, from contacts and negotiation with the Ministry of Transport, the Ministry of Finance and other governmental ministries and departments in connection with the relationship between such clients and the State, through consultation on terms of operation agreements between these clients and the State, setting the mechanisms and formulas for calculating the subsidies to be paid to the clients by the State for operating public transportation lines, to handling technological contracts and projects between the clients and the State for regulating the conduct and operation of fleet management and control systems and smart ticketing systems.

Moreover, the Department's legal team has extensive experience and expertise in escorting and advising clients who submit proposals to traffic tenders published by municipalities, local councils and other public bodies. The team renders legal services and advice to clients on the entire spectrum of legal aspects relating to the tender and the preparation of proposals submitted thereto. The team is highly experienced in representing these clients in legal proceedings held following and as a result of such tenders.

The Department's team represents transportation companies on a wide scale of legal disputes and litigation before the entire array of legal instances in Israel. The Firm provides counselling and representation to transportation companies concerning a wide variety of local transactions, international transactions and joint ventures, as well as legal aspects and implications relating to the importation of vehicles to Israel.



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Adv. Amit Gur is Head of the Transportation Department. Amit not only manages the Transportation Department but is also the managing partner of the Firm's administrative law and tenders law. He is one of the partners in the Firm's Commercial Litigation Department and serves as a legal advisor to the Forum of Private Public-Transport Companies in Israel.

Amit has proven, extensive and diversified experience in representing corporations and commercial clients in administrative petitions relating to tenders and multiple other administrative matters.

In addition to representing clients from the private sector, Amit has unique experience in rendering close and current legal counselling to public authorities, government companies and municipal corporations, including legal services and advice to the current operation of tender committees.

Amit also provides representation and litigation in a wide spectrum of civil and commercial areas, class actions, general counselling to the Firm's clients and mediation.

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