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**QUALIFICATION**

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**ABOUT NDA**

**WITH OFFICES IN ASIA, EUROPE AND THE UNITED STATES NISHITH DESAI ASSOCIATES IS THE GO-TO FIRM FOR CORPORATES LOOKING TO CONDUCT BUSINESS IN INDIA AS WELL AS FOR INDIAN COMPANIES LOOKING TO SET UP OPERATIONS ABROAD; NAVIGATE COMPLEX BUSINESS REGULATIONS AND GROW.**

**AT NISHITH DESAI ASSOCIATES**

Huzefa Tavawalla heads the Bangalore office along with the Disruptive Technologies Practice at NDA.

**AREAS OF PROVEN EXPERTISE**

Huzefa is a techno enthusiast and has worked on several matters relating Drones, Space, Driverless Cars, Metaverse, Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain etc. He was also appointed as a task force committee member set up by the Indian Government to establish the legislative drone road map for India. He has a strong IP and regulatory focus where he has advised on several cutting edge, complex and cross-border TMT matters.

He has also been at the forefront of global M&A's and investments in the technology space. This includes deal making, structuring, documentation and advisory.

Huzefa has done extensive research and undertaken various matters in relation to cutting areas of technology such Metaverse, AR/VR, Artificial Intelligence, Driverless Cars, Drones etc. He is also actively involved in addressing legal issues and has published various articles on the same.

He spent close to a year (2012) in Tokyo, with the largest Japanese law firm understanding the India – Japan corridor.

**OUT OF OFFICE**

Huzefa continues to be closely associated with academics and is a regular guest lecturer at law school(s), industry associations and other education institutions. He is actively involved in addressing legal issues and has published various articles on the same. Mr. Tavawalla earned a Bachelor's degree in Law from the India Law Society's, Law College, Pune and is also admitted to the Bombay Bar Association and the Bar Council of Maharashtra & Goa. He is a member of the International Bar Association ("IBA") along with being a member of the Intellectual Property and Technology committee of the IBA. He holds various diplomas in subjects such as Corporate Laws, European Union Public Law, Cyber Laws and Humanitarian Laws.