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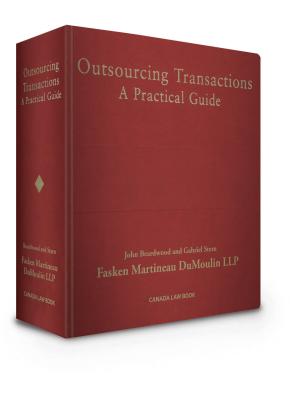
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Outsourcing we wrote the book...





How can you realize the benefits of outsourcing while minimizing the risks?

Although there are often significant benefits to outsourcing, the challenges of entering into a successful arrangement can be complex. "**Outsourcing Transactions: A Practical Guide**" is a loose-leaf service that analyzes the critical issues from the perspective of both parties while demonstrating how successful outsourcing relationships can be created and maintained for the long term. The innovative thinkers at Fasken Martineau draw on their deep outsourcing experience to simplify and guide you through the full process. Each chapter has been written by subject matter experts in multiple jurisdictions identifying key legal and business issues such as:

- Drafting win-win outsourcing agreements
- Managing the RFP process
- Defining the scope of project services and transition-in and -out services
- Developing and implementing strategic sourcing models, and tactical sole sourcing and multi-sourcing models
- Designing innovative and flexible pricing structures
- Developing effective service levels, benchmarking and performance criteria
- Establishing critical project management, change control and governance structures
- Designing the transaction to risk manage special issues such as bankruptcy and insolvency, and insurance requirements
- Conducting mid-term or end-of-term performance reviews/ contract renegotiations

This guide is an invaluable resource in realizing tangible market benefits and long term success.

For more information about the guide or outsourcing in general, please visit our website at www.fasken.com/outsourcing or contact the editor directly:

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