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Overview

Eric van Dam is a founding partner of CLINT. He was sworn in as a lawyer in 2003 and associated with a U.S. law firm. He previously held several management board positions within the fashion industry. As board member and the company's in-house lawyer (admitted to the Amsterdam bar) he had a pioneering role in the strong international growth of menswear retailer Suitsupply. Eric is a mediator, formerly associated with the Netherlands Mediation Federation (MfN).

Eric focuses his practice in the areas of:

- Retail, automotive & consumer goods
- International and European employment law
- Privacy (GDPR)
- Employee participation
- Mediation of employment and collaboration related disputes

Professional and Community Affiliations

- Member, Amsterdam Association of Employment Lawyers (VAAA)
- Member, Association of Dutch Employment Lawyers (VAAN)
- Mediator, Previously Registered with the Netherlands Mediation Federation (MfN)

Education

Dutch Law, Utrecht University, 2003

Bar Admissions

Netherlands

Languages

Dutch

English

Publications & Press

2024 Summer Olympics Series: The Netherlands

Littler ASAP

August 7, 2024

EU Elections Tracker

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July 3, 2024

Overview of the New Proposed Rules on Non-Compete Clauses in the Netherlands

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March 6, 2024

Dutch Court Finds Fraudulent Sick Leave Justifies Summary Dismissal

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November 22, 2023

Women's World Cup 2023 – Equal Pay for Women in and Out of Sports

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August 4, 2023

Will the Dutch Government Ban Non-compete Clauses?

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June 21, 2023

Dutch Court Finds Employer Discriminated by Not Renewing an Employment Contract Due to Pregnancy

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May 15, 2023

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April 12, 2023

Conduct of an Amsterdam University Lecturer: Creative or Transgressive?

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April 5, 2023

Dutch Supreme Court Finds On-Demand Deliverers Are Not Self-employed

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March 24, 2023

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January 26, 2023

Littler World Cup Matchups Part 6: Harassment

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December 7, 2022

Littler World Cup Matchups Part 5: Whistleblower Protections

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December 2, 2022

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October 25, 2022

Dutch Non-Compete Clauses Explained

Littler Podcast

July 14, 2022

The Netherlands: Ban on side jobs to be prohibited?

Littler ASAP

April 19, 2022

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Littler Global Guide Quarterly

April 18, 2022

Wiretapping employees in the Netherlands - let's run the tape?

Littler ASAP

March 11, 2022

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January 19, 2022

EU Proposes New Legislation to Protect “Digital Labor Platform” Workers from Status Misclassification

Littler ASAP

December 14, 2021

The Netherlands: SER issues Age Diversity Charter

Littler ASAP

November 29, 2021

Dutch Bill on Corona Passes for the Workplace Advances

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November 29, 2021

New Dutch Law to Require More Women in Top Jobs

Littler ASAP

November 3, 2021

Dutch government works on corona pass for the workplace

Littler ASAP

November 2, 2021

The Netherlands: Update on employers' use of CoronaCheck app

Littler ASAP

November 1, 2021

New Dutch Law Provides Nine Weeks of Paid Parental Leave

Littler ASAP

October 13, 2021

The Netherlands: Considerations on employers' use of the CoronaCheck app

Littler ASAP

September 27, 2021

The Netherlands: Employee Not Entitled to Reimbursement for Loss of Company Car During Illness

Littler ASAP

September 13, 2021

Littler Global Guide - Netherlands - Q2 2021

Littler Global Guide Quarterly

July 19, 2021

The Netherlands: Orange zone travel? Red card!

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April 26, 2021

The Netherlands: Is your fixed-term contract sufficiently clear?

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April 13, 2021

The Netherlands: A competing former employee? Take action!

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March 26, 2021

European Countries Mandate Masks in the Workplace

SHRM Online

March 9, 2021

Dutch Court Gags Employee Who Refused to Wear a Mask

Littler ASAP

January 19, 2021

The Netherlands: No work, no pay – down to the last cent

Littler ASAP

December 23, 2020

Netherlands: Can an Employee Hide and Seek a Notice Payment?

SHRM Online

October 30, 2020

The Netherlands: Can an employee hide and then seek a notice payment?

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October 26, 2020

The Netherlands: Is a new contract after dismissal during a probationary period allowed?

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September 29, 2020

The Netherlands: Economic Relief Package Extended

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May 29, 2020

The Netherlands: Doing nothing doesn't pay, even during Carnival

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May 15, 2020

The Netherlands: Dutch Data Protection Authority Issues Hefty Penalty for Employee Fingerprint Scans

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May 1, 2020

Dutch Government Provides Guidance on the New “NOW” Wage Subsidy Program

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March 31, 2020

Netherlands Newsflash! “Tozo” is a Go, and “NOW” is Next

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March 30, 2020

The Netherlands: Emergency Fund Bridging Employment Replaces the Working Time Reduction Scheme

Littler ASAP

March 18, 2020

Coronavirus – possible wage relief for employers in the Netherlands

Littler ASAP

March 16, 2020

COVID-19 Toolkit for Employers in the Netherlands

Littler ASAP

March 2, 2020

Starting March 1, Employers with Non-Dutch Employees Working in the Netherlands Must Provide Advance Notice

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February 25, 2020

The Netherlands: Scan Your Employees, Not Their Fingerprints

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February 13, 2020

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Littler Global Guide Quarterly

January 22, 2020

Dutch Government Clarifies and Relaxes Employer Requirements for UI Premium Discount

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December 19, 2019

Employers in the Netherlands Can Save on their UI Premiums by Changing Contract Types

Littler ASAP

December 13, 2019

Mandatory Procedures for Employee Dismissals for Misconduct or Work Performance in Japan, Colombia, the Netherlands, and the UK

Littler Podcast

August 29, 2019

The Effects of Using AI to Assess Applicants in the Netherlands and EU

Littler Podcast

May 23, 2019

Dutch Court Allows Dismissal of Troublesome Works Councils Member, Despite Termination Restrictions

Littler ASAP

January 28, 2019

Littler Global Guide - Netherlands - Q4 2018

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January 16, 2019

Dutch Labour Party Proposes Law Guaranteeing Employees a Right to Disconnect

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November 15, 2018

Littler Global Guide - The Netherlands - Q3 2018

Littler Global Guide Quarterly

October 11, 2018

Littler Enters Fifth European Country with Dutch Employment Firm CLINT Joining its Global Platform

Press Release

May 1, 2018

Events & Speaking Engagements

Gig Economy in the Lowlands: How to view this industry in Belgium and the Netherlands

May 22, 2019