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Upon his graduation from Atma Jaya Catholic University in 2005, Ishak pursued his Master of Laws (LL.M) in International Comparative Law at the Dedman School of Law, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, which he completed in 2009. During his time in the United States, he lived in New York and was appointed as a Contract Attorney for Indonesian projects at a local New York law firm, gaining valuable cross-border legal and commercial exposure.

Ishak began his professional career in Indonesia with Makes & Partners, one of the country's most respected law firms, where he served as a Senior Associate and played a significant role in a wide range of high-profile transactions involving leading Indonesian corporations. His practice primarily focused on capital markets, mergers and acquisitions, foreign direct investment, and banking and finance, providing him with a strong foundation in transactional and regulatory work.

He later joined Hanafiah Ponggawa & Partners (now Dentons HPRP), a leading full-service law firm in Indonesia, where he continued to expand his expertise in general corporate, capital market, and real estate transactions. His experience in the property sector was further sharpened through his involvement with the Ministry of Public Housing of the Republic of Indonesia, and subsequently as Senior Legal Counsel at China Fortune Land Development Group (CFLD), a globally renowned Chinese developer and operator of industrial cities.

Throughout his career, Ishak has been involved in numerous landmark transactions and advised prominent corporate groups such as Lippo Group (Matahari, First Media, and Link Net), MNC Group (Global Mediacom and Indovision), state-owned enterprises such as Krakatau Steel and Jasa Marga, as well as major financial institutions like Bank CIMB Niaga and Bank Maybank. His experience also extends to representing leading property developers including Agung Podomoro, Pakuwon Group, Plaza Indonesia, and CFLD Indonesia, as well as logistics companies such as the Siladen Group.

With an extensive background spanning both domestic and international transactions, Ishak has developed strong expertise in general corporate and commercial law, contract negotiation, real estate, and commercial litigation. He is a licensed advocate registered with PERADI (the Indonesian Advocates Association) since 2014, and is widely recognized for his pragmatic and business-oriented approach in delivering strategic legal solutions to both corporate and individual clients.