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Expertise

- Insurance & Reinsurance

Biography

Rick Da Costa* (he/him/his) is a partner in the Insurance & Reinsurance Group at Cassels. A globally-minded insurance and reinsurance lawyer using law as a tool to solve business issues, Rick serves as a trusted advisor on a range of insurance and reinsurance related issues, providing practical legal and business solutions to clients. Having spent several years as a senior executive at one of the world's largest insurance groups, Rick has gained invaluable insight on the complex issues faced by senior leaders and other corporate counsel in the insurance and reinsurance industries, and offers first-hand experience dealing with change management and all that comes with the rapid growth and measured contraction of an insurer's portfolio.

For his first-hand experience in the insurance and reinsurance industries, Rick earned his designation as a Certified In-House Counsel - Canada (CIC.C) by the Canadian Bar Association, the Canadian Corporate Counsel Association, and the Rotman School of Management (University of Toronto).

Prior to moving in-house, Rick summered, articulated and was a senior associate in the Insurance & Reinsurance Group here at Cassels.

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Insights

- Inside Insurance: Customer Needs to Show a Lower Deductible? Consider This Solution
- Inside Insurance: Duty of Honest Performance in Contractual Relationships – Practical Implications for the Insurance Industry
- Inside Insurance: Two Things Insurers Should Avoid Doing with Brokers to Promote the Fair Treatment of Customers

Education / Bar Admissions

- Certified In-House Counsel – Canada; Canadian Bar Association, Canadian Corporate Counsel Association, and the Rotman School of Management (University of Toronto), 2020
- J.D., University of Windsor, 2009
- M.A., Carleton University – Norman Paterson School of International Affairs, 2007
- B.A. (Hons), University of Western Ontario, 2004
- Ontario, 2010

Associations

- Canadian Bar Association
- Law Society of Ontario