

Justin Sun joins Holman Fenwick Willan

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Justin Sun, a partner and director of China Business Development at Berwin Leighton Paisner's (BLP) Hong Kong office, is joining Holman Fenwick Willan (HFW) as a partner, according to sources.

Airfinance Journal reported last week that [David Brotherton, a partner in BLP's Singapore office, was tipped to join HFW.](#)

Sun is likely to remain in Hong Kong to focus on China clients, while Brotherton is likely to work in HFW's Singapore office.

Sources say that both Sun and Brotherton are now on gardening leave. Simon Spells, a senior associate in BLP's Singapore office, will be promoted from senior associate to partner to replace Brotherton.

Airfinance Journal understands that Sun was a sought-after partner due to the breadth and quality of his relationships with PRC clients. He was approached by at least one other law firm to head up their Chinese aviation business from Hong Kong.

Sun could not immediately be reached on his BLP office telephone number or his BLP mobile telephone number. *Airfinance Journal* has sent him a request for comment via his BLP email address and his LinkedIn profile.

Spells declined to comment on whether he is being promoted to partner when contacted by *Airfinance Journal*.

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