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Nikki Kahn works in the DLA Piper New Zealand and Australian Intellectual Property and Technology team. She is an expert practitioner in IP law with extensive experience assisting local and global businesses to build and enforce their intellectual property rights. In addition to admission as a solicitor in Victoria (Australia) and New Zealand, she holds technical qualifications in mechanical engineering, and is a registered Australian/New Zealand patent attorney. Nikki specialises in the strategic development and litigation of global patent portfolios, and is recognised in Intellectual Asset Magazine's IAM Strategy 300 (2019 edition). She is active in representing clients in patent litigation matters before the Federal Court of Australia, and in contentious patent matters before the Patent Office. Nikki has a wealth of experience in drafting and prosecuting patent applications related to mechanical engineering technologies, and has worked with clients in manufacturing and packaging, industrial processing, renewable energy, agriculture, marine, automotive, toys and consumer goods, pharmaceuticals and medical devices. Nikki has for several years been a tutor of the Asian Patent Attorneys Association Patent Surgery course on patent drafting and is involved in pro bono projects to assist indigenous Australian artists with their IP issues.