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OVERVIEW

Alexander Woolley is an associate in the firm's Corporate practice area. Alex's practice includes a diverse range of corporate areas, including cross border mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures, private equity and venture capital investments. Alex has a broad range of experience across sectors including oil and gas, mining, renewable energy and green technology, SAAS and sports.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Alex completed his training contract at the firm, gaining experience in the Corporate and Mergers and Acquisitions, Asset and Corporate Finance, Construction, and Commercial Disputes practice groups.

Prior to joining the firm, Alexander served as a legal consultant at a legal consulting startup where he ran a project assessing the suitability of parties for close-out netting provisions in ISDA agreements. He analyzed legal opinions across multiple jurisdictions and compared these to the status of various clients in order to determine their suitability for netting.

EDUCATION

- Legal Practice Course, BPP Law School, 2019
- Graduate Diploma in Law, BPP Law School, 2017
- B.A., University of Exeter, 2016

ADMISSIONS

Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP POWERED BY HUB

21 December 2020, Powering Our Net Zero Future - Implications for the UK Hydrogen Sector

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NEWS & EVENTS

- 22 February 2021, K&L Gates Advises CML Microsystems PLC on sale of Hyperstone
- 25 November 2020, K&L Gates Advises on Kistos plc AIM Admission and Fundraising
- 2 October 2020, K&L Gates Advises Inspirit Capital on Investment in Europe's Largest Digital Cinematography and Hire Facility

AREAS OF FOCUS

Mergers and Acquisitions

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Acted for Shelf Drilling, Ltd. on its acquisition of five jack-up rigs from various subsidiaries ("Sellers") of Noble Corporation ("Noble") for US\$375 million (the "Acquisition").
- We advised an Italian manufacturer of small-arms ammunition on the acquisition of a UK cartridge manufacturer by the buyers UK subsidiary.
- Advised Falfurrias Capital Partners on its investment in international media agency Brainlabs.
- Advised Orangewood Partners on its investment in Barrington James, a leading global recruitment firm that primarily serves the pharmaceutical, biotechnology, and medical device sectors.
- Advised Toziyana Resources Limited, Baker Steel Resources Trust Limited, and Infinite Treasure Limited, the shareholders of Bilboes Gold Limited, on the sale of the company to Caledonia Mining Corporation Plc.
- Advised an Australian motorsports business on its acquisition of a world-renowned F2 racing team.
- Advised a Saudi bank on its venture investment in to a UAE digital payment and financial literacy start-up.
- Advised a leading provider of supply chain risk management software and services in its acquisition of a UK based supplier risk management software provider.
- Advised a Swedish manufacturer of tires and wheels for highway vehicles, agriculture and construction on the reorganisation of its UK Group Companies.