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## People

## Matthew O. Hendy

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With more than a decade of experience representing private equity buyers and sellers, clients rely on Matt Hendy's deep industry knowledge and practical insight. Matt's practice focuses on domestic and cross-border mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures, and private investments, with a particular emphasis on advising private equity sponsors and other financial institutions. He works across a broad spectrum of industries, including technology, business services, infrastructure, and life sciences.

Matt has substantial experience handling private equity buyouts, sell-side processes, and add-on acquisitions for private equity sponsors. Clients value his pragmatic approach to problem-solving and his unwavering commitment to advancing their interests.

Prior to joining Akerman, Matt was a partner at a leading law firm in Montreal and, before that, at a global law firm in New York City, where he concentrated on private equity M&A transactions.

### Notable Work

**Harvest Partners**: Represented Harvest Partners and its portfolio companies in numerous transactions, including:

- Its investment in Granicus, a world-leading provider of software solutions that improve government efficiency and transparency.
- Its investment in MRI Software, LLC, a leading provider of real estate management software solutions globally.
- Its sale of TruckPro Holding Corp., one of the largest independent distributors of heavy-duty truck and trailer parts in the United States, to an affiliate of Platinum Equity.
- OnPoint Group, LLC, a portfolio company of Harvest Partners, in the sale of Concentric, LLC, a top provider of industrial power solutions in North America, to Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.

## Areas of Experience

Corporate M&A and Private Equity Financial Services

#### Education

LL.B., McGill University, 2010 B.A., McGill University, 2006

#### Admissions

## Bars

New York

## **Related Content**

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- Neighborly, the world's largest franchisor of home service brands and a portfolio company of Harvest Partners, in its acquisition of Precision Door Service, the leading garage door repair franchise in the United States.
- PRO Unlimited Global Solutions Inc., a leader in contingent workforce management solutions and jointly held portfolio company of Harvest Partners and Investcorp, in the sale of PRO Unlimited to EQT.

Mubadala Investment Company: Represented Mubadala Investment Company in its participation in a joint venture alongside NextDecade Corporation, Global Infrastructure Partners (GIP), GIC, and TotalEnergies in connection with the \$18.4 billion financing of the Rio Grande LNG project. This was the largest greenfield energy project financing in U.S. history.

**Investcorp**: Represented Investcorp and its portfolio company ICR, a global leader in strategic communications and advisory services, in the strategic investment made by Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec (CDPQ) into ICR.

**Azurity Pharmaceuticals, Inc.**: Represented Azurity Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a portfolio company of QHP Capital, in its acquisition of Slayback Pharma LLC from existing investors, including KKR and Everstone Capital.

QHP Capital: Represented QHP Capital in its acquisition of Spectra Medical Devices, Inc., a leading manufacturer of procedural needles and distributor of generic injectable drug products.

I Squared Capital: Represented I Squared Capital in its acquisition of Star Leasing, a leading trailer lessor in the United States.

I Squared Capital: Represented I Squared Capital in the merger of its portfolio company American Intermodal Management (AIM) with Flexi-Van Leasing, the third-largest marine chassis provider in the United States.

**B. Riley Principal Merger Corp. II**: Represented B. Riley Principal Merger Corp. II, a SPAC, in its \$550 million business combination with Eos Energy Services LLC, a leading manufacturer of zinc hybrid cathode battery energy storage systems.

**Inoapps Limited**: Represented Inoapps Limited, a global Oracle partner with deep cloud expertise, and members of its management team on the investment in Inoapps by Abry Partners.

Ridgewood Infrastructure: Represented Ridgewood Infrastructure, an infrastructure investor focused on the U.S. middle market, and IDE Technologies, a world leader in water treatment solutions, in the development of a state-of-the-art membrane-based water treatment facility in the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

**DP World**: Represented DP World, the global ports operator, on its \$1.2 billion acquisition of Syncreon, a U.S.-based logistics provider.

## Honors and Distinctions

- Best Lawyers, 2023, Listed as "One to Watch" in New York for Mergers and Acquisitions
- The M&A Advisor, 2022, "40 under 40," Emerging Leaders Award