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Akerman Advises H.I.G. Capital Affiliate in Jenny Craig Acquisition

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Akerman LLP, a top 100 U.S. law firm serving clients across the Americas, advised an affiliate of H.I.G. Capital (H.I.G.) in its acquisition of Craig Holdings, Inc. ("Jenny Craig"), a leader in the weight loss industry in North America, Australia, and New Zealand.

Jenny Craig will continue to deliver its personalized science-based meal plans and chef-crafted premium foods following the acquisition. Its Rapid Results Program uses Nobel Prize-winning science involving the human body's circadian rhythm to deliver weight loss and significant health benefits.

H.I.G. is a leading global private equity investment firm based in Miami with over \$30 billion of equity capital under management, and specializes in providing both debt and equity capital to small and mid-sized companies.

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The Akerman team was led by <u>David Birke</u>, Co-Chair of the M&A and Private Equity Practice, on transactional matters, and Robert J. Stein, Co-Chair of the Corporate Finance and Lending Practice, on finance matters. Other Akerman lawyers significantly involved in the transaction included Partner <u>Karyn Koiffman</u> and Associates <u>Felycia Itza</u> and <u>Abbie Schepps</u> with the Corporate Group.

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