

# Proskauer Advises Bain Capital Specialty Finance in IPO

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December 10, 2018 (New York) – International law firm Proskauer represented Bain Capital Specialty Finance, Inc. (BCSF) in its initial public offering of 7,500,000 shares of common stock at a price of \$20.25 per share, raising approximately \$145.4 million. The shares began trading November 15 on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol “BCSF”.

BCSF is an externally managed specialty finance company focused on lending to middle-market companies. It is managed by BCSF Advisors, L.P., an SEC-registered investment adviser and a subsidiary of Bain Capital Credit L.P.

The Proskauer team was led by partner Monica Shilling and included partner Nicole Runyan, senior counsel Lily Desmond and associates Louis Rambo, Cody Weiss, Janice Lee and Liam Gallagher (Corporate); and partner Martin Hamilton and associate Martine Seiden Agatston (Tax).

Proskauer’s multidisciplinary team has continued its rapid expansion into the BDC space. In the past five years, the Firm has represented approximately half of the 59 publicly traded BDCs and has been involved in the last four BDC IPOs. In addition, Proskauer is a market leader in the private debt industry having closed 189 deals so far in 2018 with an aggregate principal amount in excess of \$17.7 billion.

Proskauer offers a full suite of services for the investment management industry, with a market-leading global team dedicated solely to advising asset managers, investment funds and their advisers, financial institutions and institutional investors across the asset class. The cross border team of over 160 lawyers is based in the U.S., UK, Asia and Latin America and includes specialists in tax, ERISA, regulation, financial services, employment, insurance, fund finance, litigation and risk management who understand the unique technical and commercial issues relevant to investment managers.

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