

# Proskauer Advises Ares in Partnership with Coller Capital for \$2.4 Billion Structured Funding Vehicle

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**NEW YORK and LONDON, April 23, 2025 -** Proskauer, a leading international law firm, announced today that it advised Ares Management Alternative Credit funds ("Ares") in its partnership with Coller Capital ("Coller") in raising a \$2.4 billion structured funding vehicle. The vehicle will allow Coller funds to invest in private market secondaries. Coller also partnered with Barings Portfolio Finance ("Barings") for the vehicle. Barings acted as the lead lender for the transaction with Coller and Ares providing the credit enhancement.

The vehicle is the largest-ever structured funding vehicle of its kind in the secondary market to invest in both private equity and private credit secondaries.

The global, cross-disciplinary Proskauer team advising Ares was led by partners <u>Paul Tannenbaum</u> and <u>Matt Kerfoot</u> (Finance). It also included partner <u>John Goldfinch</u>, special finance counsel <u>Joseph Rebello</u> and associates <u>Peter West</u> and <u>Chinen Rachel Huynh</u> (Finance); partner <u>Warren Allan</u> and associates <u>Duncan Evans</u> and <u>Nikita Patel</u> (Private Funds); and partner <u>David Miller</u> and associate <u>Sean Webb</u> (Tax).

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