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Proskauer Adds Leading Private Equity M&A Attorney Sarah Stasny as Partner and Head of Private Equity Transactions

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Bolsters Firm's Preeminent Private Capital Offering with Focus on Private Equity Transactions

NEW YORK, June 30, 2025 – Proskauer announced today the addition of nationally renowned private equity M&A lawyer Sarah Stasny. Ms. Stasny is joining the firm as Head of Private Equity Transactions – US, adding strength and depth to the firm's market-leading private capital offering.

"We are focused on anticipating our clients' needs and delivering complete solutions to them. Sarah fits perfectly within our strategy, which is to build a platform with scale and expertise throughout the lifecycle of private capital," said Tim Mungovan, Chair of Proskauer. "Sarah is a generational talent and one of the top private equity M&A lawyers in the country. Private equity firms demand exceptional practitioners like Sarah, who have developed deep expertise and current market knowledge across multiple sponsor clients and investors. She has a recognized ability to serve these clients at the highest levels and in the most demanding environments. Sarah will supercharge our momentum as we look to increase our market share, especially in private equity M&A."

With over two decades of experience, Sarah's practice focuses on private equity sponsors and portfolio companies in connection with acquisitions and investments, divestitures, joint ventures, equity financings, and restructurings. Sarah has been recognized by Chambers USA and The Legal 500. She has been featured as one of Lawdragon's "500 Leading Dealmakers in America;" shortlisted for Euromoney's The Americas Women in Business Law Award; and named to M&A Advisor's "40 Under 40" list of top M&A professionals. She received her Bachelor of Arts from the University of Texas at Austin and her Juris Doctor from the University of Texas School of Law.

Ms. Stasny said, “I am thrilled to join Proskauer and continue building the firm’s private equity M&A practice and private capital offering. Proskauer has a market-leading practice in private capital – particularly in private funds and private credit. Combining my private equity M&A experience with Proskauer’s deep relationships across the private capital spectrum creates a market opportunity that was too compelling to pass up. Together, we have leading practices in capital formation, capital deployment, and global finance.”

Proskauer’s global Private Equity and M&A practice includes more than 100 lawyers across the U.S., London, and Paris. Sarah is a key part of the firm’s investment in private equity and M&A, which has also included the recent hiring of six partners across the firm’s U.S. and London offices.

About Proskauer

The world’s leading organizations and global players choose Proskauer to represent them when they need it the most. With 800+ lawyers in key financial centers around the world, we are known for our pragmatic and commercial approach. Proskauer is the place to turn when a matter is complex, innovative and game-changing. We work seamlessly across practices, industries and jurisdictions with asset managers, private equity and venture capital firms, Fortune 500 and FTSE companies, major sports leagues, entertainment industry legends and other industry-redefining companies.

Our premier M&A practice is distinguished by the combination of our transactional strength and deep sector knowledge. We are a destination firm for large-cap and middle-market deals with extensive expertise in the structural, cultural and procedural issues that are often at the center of complex, cross-border transactions. From London to New York, Paris to Los Angeles and across the globe, organizations turn to our lawyers for their most significant and transformative transactions. Our multi-disciplinary team offers actionable insights, sophisticated strategies and creative solutions that drive commercial success for our clients.

Related Professionals

- **Sarah Stasny**
  Partner
- **Timothy W. Mungovan**

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