Proskauer Advises League One Volleyball on Investment from Synergy Sports Capital

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NEW YORK, March 31, 2026 – Proskauer advised League One Volleyball ("LOVB") on a strategic investment from Synergy Sports Capital ("Synergy"), the $150 million private equity fund led by former NFL players Terrence C. Murphy Sr. and Reggie Bush. As part of the investment, Synergy will assume operating rights to LOVB's Salt Lake team.

Founded to acquire controlling stakes in dynamic sports ventures, Synergy views LOVB as a cornerstone platform within its investment strategy focused on emerging sports leagues. Through Synergy, Murphy, Bush, and their partners plan to expand resources for the Salt Lake team while deepening its ties to one of the country's most passionate volleyball communities.

Unlike traditional sports leagues, LOVB operates a fully integrated volleyball ecosystem that connects youth clubs, collegiate recruiting pathways, and professional competition under one national brand. LOVB Salt Lake debuted in January 2025 and is now in its second season, with the league quickly attracting many of the sport's top international athletes.

The Proskauer team was led by partner Rob Freeman (Sports; Technology, Media & Telecommunications) and associates Sean Wildes and Tara Wahl (Sports).

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