Proskauer

Proskauer Advises Groupe Premium on Acquisition of Sanso Longchamp AM

October 29, 2026

PARIS, October 29, 2026 – Proskauer advised wealth management specialist Groupe Premium on its agreement to acquire Sanso Longchamp AM and combine it with Flornoy Ferri, its asset management subsidiary.

The transaction is expected to increase Groupe Premium's overall assets under management to more than €30 billion, further strengthening its position as a leading wealth manager in France and Italy.

The combination of Sanso Longchamp AM and Flornoy Ferri is expected to bring together complementary expertise in fixed income, European equities, quantitative strategies, delegated investment management, private equity, trust services and private wealth management. The combined business would offer a broader range of investment solutions to individual investors, financial advisers, family offices, religious foundations and congregations, as well as institutional investors.

As part of the acquisition, Sanso Longchamp AM's managers, including David Armstrong and David Kalfon, will reinvest in Groupe Premium and take on leadership roles in the combined business.

Completion of the transaction is expected in the first quarter of 2027, subject to regulatory approval from the Autorité des marchés financiers (AMF) and customary closing conditions.

The Proskauer team advising Groupe Premium was led by partner Jeremy Scemama and included associates Aurélie Briquet and Lou Thauvin (Private Equity M&A), as well as partner Gwenaël Kropfinger and associates Corentin Traxel and Maxime Dussartre (Tax).

About Proskauer

Proskauer is an elite global law firm with more than 900 lawyers in key financial centers in the United States, Europe, South America, and Asia. Our clients include many of the world's leading businesses, including asset managers, banks, listed corporations, and private companies. We have deep expertise in several of the fastest-growing and dynamic segments of the market, including sports, technology, life sciences, and health care. We represent hundreds of asset managers across a wide spectrum of sectors and strategies, including private equity, private credit, hedge, real assets, secondaries, and capital solutions.

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

- **Aurélie Briquet**
  Foreign Associate
- **Corentin Traxel**
  Associate
- **Gwenaël Kropfinger**
  Partner
- **Jeremy Scemama**
  Partner
- **Lou Thauvin**
  Associate
- **Maxime Dussartre**
  Associate