



Adam Ghander

Partner

adam.ghander@dlapiper.com

Boston

T: +1 617 406 6010

F: +1 617 406 6190

Adam Ghander has extensive experience advising strategic acquirers, private equity and venture funds, and emerging companies and investors in a variety of complex transactions, including mergers and acquisitions, minority and control investments, leveraged buyouts, growth equity financings, strategic partnerships and joint ventures.

He works extensively with middle market and emerging companies and in industries such as technology, food and beverage, banking and financial services, healthcare, e-commerce and mobile applications, manufacturing and professional sports.

In addition, Adam regularly advises early and growth stage companies on corporate governance matters, securities law compliance and strategic planning. He has represented buyers and sellers in cross-border transactions, guided acquirers and targets through auction processes and counseled officers and directors on fiduciary duties in the context of significant corporate transactions.

- Private Equity
- Corporate
- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Emerging Growth and Venture Capital
- Employment

- Technology
- Life Sciences
- Healthcare
- Financial Services
- Energy and Natural Resources

Adam has substantial experience in both US and cross-border transactions. His work for clients extends in industries such as technology, food and beverage, banking and financial services, healthcare, e-commerce and mobile applications, manufacturing and professional sports. Recent representative transactions include:

- Acquisition of Digital Lumens Inc., industrial Internet of Things solutions provider, by OSRAM, headquartered in Munich, Germany
- Acquisition of Critical Flow Solutions, provider of highly engineered products for oil and gas, power generation, and aerospace markets, from affiliate of Sun Capital Partners by CIRCOR International, Inc. (NYSE: CIR)
- Recapitalization and growth equity investment in Seven10 Storage Software LLC, provider of enterprise software-defined-storage solutions, by McCarthy Capital
- Recapitalization and growth equity investment in Bamboo Rose, provider of the digital B2B marketplace, by McCarthy Capital
- Acquisition of product line from multinational corporation by client based in Japan

- Acquisition of publicly-traded bank by publicly-traded strategic buyer for US\$160 million in cash
- Sale of private equity portfolio company in the telecommunications industry to privately-held financial purchaser for US\$210 million and negotiation of post-closing escrow dispute
- Acquisition of domestic combustion systems manufacturer by foreign strategic buyer

CREDENTIALS

Admissions

- Massachusetts

Prior Experience

Adam previously worked as a corporate attorney in the Boston office of an international law firm and as in-house counsel for a publicly-traded manufacturing and technology company.

Following law school, Adam served two federal judicial court clerkships, first with Robert D. Martin, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Wisconsin, and second with John A. Woodcock, United States District Court for the District of Maine.

Adam served as the editor-in-chief of the *Uniform Commercial Code Reporter-Digest* while at Boston College Law School.

Adam is currently a member of the Board of Trustees of Saint Anselm College in Manchester, New Hampshire.

Recognitions

- *Chambers USA*, Massachusetts Corporate/M&A, 2020
- *The Best Lawyers in America*, 2018
- Emerging Leaders Award, *The M&A Advisor*, 2017
- Member, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce's Future Leaders, 2013
- *Massachusetts Super Lawyers Rising Stars*, 2013

Education

- J.D., Boston College Law School 2002
- B.A., Saint Anselm College 1999
summa cum laude

Memberships

- Board Member, Association for Corporate Growth (ACG), Boston Chapter

INSIGHTS

Events

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Moderator, Association for Corporate Growth (ACG) Tech Conference, 2015 and 2016
- Moderator and Panelist, The Capital Network Life Sciences and Venture Fast Track Program, 2010-2011
- Adjunct Professor, Boston University School of Management

NEWS

DLA Piper advises Centroid Investment Partners in its agreement to acquire TaylorMade Golf Company

11 May 2021

DLA Piper represented Seoul-based private equity firm Centroid Investment Partners in its agreement to acquire TaylorMade Golf Company, Inc.

DLA Piper advises Argentum in strategic investment in UFA

29 April 2021

DLA Piper represented Argentum in its strategic growth investment in UFA, Inc.

DLA Piper advises Haemonetics in its acquisition of Cardiva Medical

21 January 2021

DLA Piper represented Haemonetics Corporation (NYSE: HAE), a global medical technology company focused on delivering innovative medical solutions to drive better patient outcomes, in its acquisition of Cardiva Medical, Inc., an industry-leading manufacturer of vascular closure systems based in Santa Clara, California, for US\$475 million at closing and up to an additional US\$35 million in contingent consideration based on sales growth.

DLA Piper advises Open Systems Adaptable Solutions in its acquisition by Aptean

30 November 2020

DLA Piper represented Open Systems Adaptable Solutions (OSAS) in its recent acquisition by Aptean.

DLA Piper advises The Shrink Space in its acquisition by ProtoCall Services

30 November 2020

DLA Piper represented The Shrink Space, a referral management software platform widely used by university counseling centers, students and behavioral health providers, in its recent acquisition by ProtoCall Services, a leading provider of telephonic crisis intervention and behavioral health assessment services.

DLA Piper advises Flightdocs in its acquisition by Aircraft Technical Publishers

8 July 2020

DLA Piper represented Flightdocs in its acquisition by Aircraft Technical Publishers (ATP).

DLA Piper advises CIRCOR in sale of Distributed Valve business

7 July 2020

DLA Piper represented CIRCOR International, Inc. in the sale by its subsidiary, CIRCOR Energy Products LLC (CEP), of its distributed valve business to MS Valves GmbH.

DLA Piper advises Haemonetics in its sale of US blood donor management software to the GPI Group

12 June 2020

DLA Piper represented Haemonetics Corporation in its sale of certain blood donor management software assets within its Blood Center business unit to the GPI Group.

DLA Piper advises HaulHub Technologies in its US\$30 million Series B financing

23 April 2020

DLA Piper represented HaulHub Technologies, a provider of integrated cloud-based supply chain solutions to the heavy construction industry, in its US\$30 million Series B financing.

DLA Piper advises HaulHub Technologies in its acquisition of Trelar

21 April 2020

DLA Piper represented HaulHub Technologies in its acquisition of Trelar Inc.

DLA Piper advises Haemonetics in its acquisition of enicor GmbH

8 April 2020

DLA Piper represented Haemonetics Corporation (NYSE: HAE) in its acquisition of enicor GmbH, a Munich, Germany-based privately held manufacturer of a whole blood coagulation testing system known as ClotPro.

DLA Piper advises CIRCOR in US\$172 million sale of Instrumentation and Sampling business to Crane Co.

6 January 2020

DLA Piper represented CIRCOR International, Inc. in the US\$172 million sale of its Instrumentation and Sampling business to Crane Co.

MEDIA MENTIONS

- "DLA Piper, Orrick Steer Clutter's \$152M NYC Storage Buy," *Law360*, September 20, 2019