

Firm Represents EQT in Raising €10.75 Billion for EQT VIII

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Simpson Thacher represented EQT in connection with the formation and raising of EQT's flagship private equity fund, EQT VIII. The fund was significantly oversubscribed and held a first and final close at its hard cap of €10.75 billion after less than six months of fundraising.

EQT VIII will continue with EQT's overall equity investment strategy in seeking to make investments in sectors such as Healthcare, TMT and Services, with a focus on Northern Europe.

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