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Tom Wuchenich is the Managing Partner of Simpson Thacher's Los Angeles office, Co-Administrative Partner of the Firm, and member of the Executive committee, the Firm's highest governing body. Tom represents a broad range of alternative asset management firms in the formation and ongoing operation of their private investment funds and separate accounts across a variety of asset classes. He also has significant experience in strategic transactions for asset management firms. Tom's regular clients include such sponsors as Canyon Capital, Charger Investment Partners, CIM Group, Coral Tree Partners, Francisco Partners, Hellman & Friedman, KSL Capital Partners, Oaktree Capital Management, Platinum

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Equity, Prime Group and Revelstoke Partners. He has represented Oaktree Capital Group in its initial public and follow-on offerings, in its sale to Brookfield Asset Management and its acquisition of a majority interest in 17Capital, as well as Clearlake Capital Partners and Platinum Equity in their sales of minority stakes to third parties. Tom was named a Fund Formation “MVP” by *Law360* (2022). He is regularly recognized as one of the leading private funds lawyers in *The International Who’s Who of Business Lawyers*, and was named to the “LA500: The Most Influential People in Los Angeles” by the *Los Angeles Business Journal* (2019).