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Brian Stadler specializes in mergers and acquisitions and corporate governance. He represents private equity firms and public and private companies in a wide variety of M&A matters, including leveraged buyouts, strategic mergers, minority investments, joint ventures, carve-outs and takeover defense. While he has counseled clients in a broad range of industries, Brian has extensive experience in M&A transactions involving REITs and other real estate companies. He has advised Blackstone on more than 30 take private transactions, including eight in a recent 13-month period and the landmark Equity Office Properties and Hilton acquisitions.

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### PRACTICE FOCUS

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During his more than three decades of practice, Brian has been consistently recognized for his work, including a ranking in Band 1 for Private Equity Buyouts by Chambers and being named a “Dealmaker of the Year” by The American Lawyer, a Private Equity MVP and a Real Estate MVP by Law 360, a Leading Lawyer in REITs by The Legal 500 and Highly Regarded by IFLR 1000 in M&A and Private Equity. Chambers praises him as “phenomenal” and “top of the class in terms of legal skills, expertise and service.”