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John Raghav has over 12 years of experience and is part of the Firm's Corporate / M&A group, with extensive experience in M&A and private equity transactions. He routinely advises Indian and international clients, including private and listed entities on domestic and cross border transactions, general corporate and commercial matters. John holds an LL.M. from Harvard Law School and has also previously worked in an international law firm's office in Hong Kong.

Experience

- Partner (2021 – Present)

Key Practice Areas

- Corporate/ Mergers & Acquisitions
- Private Equity & Venture Capital
- Manufacturing
- Technology, Media & Telecommunications
- E-commerce & Retail

Clients – Key relationship clients include Schaeffler AG, Schneider Electric, Accordion Partners, Alpine Investors and Helmerich & Payne

Key Recent Work Highlights

- EQT AB on its acquisition of Baring Private Equity Asia (BPEA) and the general partner entities controlling the BPEA funds for €6.8
- Schneider Electric on its US\$ 2.9 billion JV with Temasek Holdings for the acquisition of Larsen & Toubro's electrical and automation business, awarded 'Star Deal of the Year' by IBLJ (2020)
- Schaeffler AG on its acquisition of KRSV Innovative Auto Solutions (Koovers) for US\$17.23 million
- Accordion Partners on its acquisition of Merilytics Group
- KKR on its US\$ 625 million acquisition of a 54% stake in Vini Cosmetics, awarded 'Deal of the Year' by India Business Law Journal (2021)
- Digital Realty on its US\$ 2 billion JV with Brookfield Asset Management for owning and operating data centres in India
- Blackstone on its acquisition of majority stake in VFS Global from EQT Partners for US\$1.87 billion

Memberships

- Bar Council of Maharashtra & Goa (2011)

Professional Qualifications

- LL.M., Harvard Law School (2017)
 - B. A. LLB. (Hons.), HNLU, Raipur (2011)
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