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### Law Practice

Kevin Kyte is a partner in the Montréal office of Stikeman Elliott. He is Chair of the Montréal Office's Knowledge Management Committee. His practice focuses primarily on domestic and international Mergers & Acquisitions, corporate, commercial, securities, information technology, Investment Canada and regulatory issues in business and financing transactions, including joint ventures, outsourcing, private placements, privatizations, reorganizations and corporate governance. He has worked extensively with many industries, including pulp and paper, aluminum, steel, energy, construction, heavy equipment manufacturers, engineering, pharmaceutical, energy, mining, Voice Over IP. and software. His sub-specialties include language laws, the contract of sale, not-for-profit entities, partnerships, trusts, fraudulent conveyances and distributorships.

In addition to Canada, his work experience includes transactions in the United States, Europe, Australia, India and the Caribbean. Mr. Kyte is included in the 2012 edition of *The Best Lawyers in Canada*.

### Professional Activities

Mr. Kyte is a member of the Canadian Bar Association (Corporate, Commercial Law section), the Québec Bar and the American Bar Association (Business Law Section). He also works on pro bono matters, is a member of the board of directors and secretary of Action Against Hunger, Canada and a member of the Building Search Committee for the Centennial Academy in Montreal. He is also a member of the International Editorial Board of Koncision Contract Automation LLC.

### Publications & Conferences

- Former assistant editor and contributor to Matthew Bender's "Doing Business in Canada".
- Frequent speaker including insurance issues in M&A transactions at the Canadian Insurance and Risk Management Conference (September 2005) and "Market Trends Update: The Dynamics and Realities of Negotiated M&A Deal Points", Canadian Institute's Advanced Forum on Mergers and Acquisitions (April 2005).
- Contributor to the 2007 and 2008 US Private Deal Points Studies for the American Bar Association.
- Co-Chair of the 2006-2007 Canadian Private Deal Points Study for the American Bar Association (currently working on the 2008-2009 Study).
- Panelist to the American Bar Association Business Law Section Program "Getting the Business Deal into the Contract – Choosing the Rights Words" at the ABA Annual Meeting August 2008.

- Presenter to the American Bar Association webinar November 2008 "Civil Law Considerations in Major Commercial Contracts".
- Panelist to the conference "Working with Foreign Counsel: A 360 Perspective", North Carolina Foundation Bar Association International Law & Practice Section, April, 9, 2009.
- Panelist to the Program "Canadian and European M&A Market Trends", American Bar Association Section of Business Law Spring Meeting, April 16, 2009.

### **Education**

McGill University, (LL.B. & B.C.L. 1989) and McGill University, (B. Comm. 1985).

### **Bar Admission**

Québec, 1990