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SECTORS: Mining and Commodities, Energy, Maritime, Oil and Gas, Power

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BIO

THOMAS IS A PARTNER IN THE CORPORATE TEAM IN PARIS WITH EXPERTISE IN M&A AND PRIVATE EQUITY.

Thomas focuses his practice on corporate matters, mergers and acquisitions, private equity and projects in the energy, transport and infrastructure sectors, having over 17 years' experience advising investment funds, industrial companies, developers and consortiums on both domestic and cross-border disposals, acquisitions, joint ventures, development, project and financing transactions, and also in fund raising transactions. He has a particularly strong expertise advising on matters relating to the energy sector and in particular renewable energy.

Thomas also developed an expertise in drafting project agreements, in particular EPC and O&M agreements in the context of projects, including interconnection projects.

Thomas is recommended as a “*notable practitioner*” in M&A in the energy sector by IFLR 1000 and the Legal 500 stated that Thomas “*has good advice points to be agreed on during negotiations*” in 2022.

EXPERIENCE

Advising the ADEME and GE on their equity investment in the Merkur offshore wind farm project of an installed capacity of 396 MW through their investment vehicle Coriolis Foak. Project Merkur was awarded European Offshores Deal of the year in 2016.

Advising Eolfi in relation to its joint venture with CGN in the context of the tender launched by the ADEME for floating offshore wind projects. Eolfi and CGN were awarded one project located in the Groix area in Brittany.

WATSON FARLEY & WILLIAMS

Advising Impax Asset Management Limited on the sale of 11 wind farms in France with an overall capacity of 124 MW to ERG Renew S.p.A.

Advising a Transmission System Operator (TSO) in connection with an interconnection project. This included assisting in the negotiation of the EPC Contracts with the bidders and the cooperation agreements between the two TSOs involved in the interconnection project.

EDUCATION

2000 · Master in Law (LL.M.), New York University

1997 · Master's Degree (DEA) in corporate and economical law, University of Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne

INSIGHTS

- PRESS**

WFW ADVISES BPIFRANCE AND RGREEN INVEST ON NEW INVESTMENT IN LANGA INTERNATIONAL
www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-bpifrance-and-rgreen-invest-on-new-investment-in-langa-international/

- PRESS**

WFW ADVISES AXPO ON SALE OF 72 MW FRENCH ONSHORE WIND PORTFOLIO
www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-axpo-on-sale-of-72-mw-french-onshore-wind-portfolio/

- PRESS**

WFW ADVISES ENCAVIS ON SALE OF 93 MW EUROPEAN RENEWABLES PORTFOLIO
www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-encavis-on-sale-of-93-mw-european-renewables-portfolio/

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WFW ADVISES CRC ON SALE OF 337 MW WIND FARM PORTFOLIO
www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-crc-on-sale-of-337-mw-wind-farm-portfolio/

- PRESS**

WFW ADVISES SOCIETE GENERALE AND UNIFERGIE ON REFINANCING OF 12 PHOTOVOLTAIC POWER PLANTS FOR M.E.R.
www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-societe-generale-and-unifergie-on-refinancing-of-12-photovoltaic-power-plants-for-m-e-r/
