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Chris Matton is a partner in the Raleigh office practicing in the areas of corporate and securities law. Mr. Matton has worked with a wide variety of companies, ranging from start-ups to publicly traded companies. These companies have been engaged in various industries, including life sciences, software, manufacturing, retailing, sports and entertainment and telecommunications. He has assisted them with debt and equity financings, public offerings of securities, 1934 Act disclosure obligations and other matters. Mr. Matton also regularly advises companies in the areas of corporate governance and operations.

Selected Experience:

- Represented numerous sellers and acquirers, including acquisitions by publicly traded companies for cash and stock.
- Represented numerous companies in connection with early and late stage private debt and equity financings ranging from \$1 million to \$30 million.
- Counsel to a telecommunications company in connection with its initial public offering.
- Counsel to a company for \$250 million credit facility.

Background:

- J.D., Wake Forest University School of Law, 1994;
- B.S. Economics, The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania.
- Memberships include the Business Sections of the North Carolina and American Bar Associations; the Council for Entrepreneurial Development (Board of Directors); Leadership Raleigh; and Teach for America-North Carolina (Board of Directors).
- Selected to Triangle Business Journal's "40 under 40" list for the Research Triangle area; to Business Leader's "Impact 100" list; to Business North Carolina's 2003 Legal Elite List for Corporate Law.
- Former Chairman of The Atlantis Group, a Research Triangle-based investment group and currently serving on its Executive Committee.