



# Harkesh M. Patel

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Harkesh is an associate in the Corporate & Securities group.

## Practices

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## Education

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Harkesh advises multinational clients on a wide range of corporate matters, including mergers and acquisitions, strategic growth initiatives, complex commercial transactions, and corporate governance.

## Previous Work

Prior to joining ArentFox Schiff, Harkesh served as Counsel for a global consumer products company, supporting all aspects of the company's expanding US operations. His work included advising on the US commercialization of a smoke-free products portfolio and providing legal support across internal and external-facing functions.

Earlier in his career, Harkesh was an M&A associate in the New York office of a global law firm. He represented private equity sponsors and public and private companies in domestic and cross-border mergers and acquisitions, equity investments, and corporate governance matters across a wide range of industries.

## Life Beyond the Law

Outside of work, Harkesh enjoys supporting Notre Dame football, attending concerts, and exploring the Washington, DC food scene.

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## Bar Admissions

[New York](#)