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Education

LL.M., Columbia Law School, 2019
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Bar Admissions

New York

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Languages

English

Spanish

Marcos Perales counsels strategic investors and financial sponsors on cross-border transactions, including public and private mergers and acquisitions.

Mr. Perales' representations include advising:

- **the special committee of independent directors of Adevinta ASA** in connection with the US\$13.2 billion bid to acquire Adevinta by a consortium led by funds advised by Permira and Blackstone, as well as General Atlantic and TCV
- **RMG Acquisition Corp III** on its US\$750 million merger with H2B2 Electrolysis Technologies, Inc. (Spain). As a result of the merger, H2B2 will become a publicly traded company
- **Wejo Group Limited**, a Nasdaq-listed leader in smart mobility, on its proposed business combination with TKB Critical Technologies 1, a Nasdaq-listed special purpose acquisition company
- **RMG Acquisition Corp II** on its US\$8 billion business combination with ReNew Power, India's leading renewable power company. This was the first-ever de-SPAC transaction involving an Indian company
- **Adevinta ASA** on its:
 - US\$9.2 billion acquisition of eBay Classifieds Group from eBay Inc.
 - sale of Gumtree UK and Motors.co.uk to a consortium consisting of O3 Industries and Novum Capital
- **Coty Inc.** on its strategic partnership with KKR & Co. Inc., including the carve-out sale of 60% of its professional beauty and retail hair businesses to KKR with an enterprise value of US\$4.3 billion
- **Black Diamond Capital Management, L.L.C.**, along with InvestIndustrial, on their \$425 million acquisition of the phenolic specialty resin, hexamine and European forest products resins businesses of Hexion Inc.
- **Atlantica Sustainable Infrastructure plc** on its:
 - US\$400 million Rule 144A/Regulation S high-yield offering of 4.125% green senior notes due 2028
 - US\$300 million equity financing through an SEC-registered offering of ordinary shares and a concurrent private placement
 - US\$115 million Rule 144A offering of 4.00% green exchangeable senior notes due 2025

Prior to joining Skadden, Mr. Perales spent several years practicing at a major Spanish law firm in Madrid, Barcelona and London.