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Kumar is a principal and Co-Leader of PwC's Washington National Tax Office. In his role, Mr. Kumar advises clients on all aspects of domestic policy including tax policy. His insights and knowledge enable companies to assess critical policy issues more effectively and develop legislative strategies to address those issues from both a technical and political perspective.

Prior to joining PwC, Mr. Kumar served as the Domestic Policy Director and Deputy Chief of Staff in the Office of Senate Republican Leader Mitch McConnell.

He served 11 consecutive years in the Office of the Republican Leader for three different senators, having previously been Director of Policy and Senior Counsel to Senate Majority Leader, Bill Frist and Senior Policy Advisor and General Counsel

for Senate GOP Leader, Trent Lott. In all of these roles, Mr. Kumar worked in close collaboration with Senate leaders in developing and implementing all aspects of domestic policy including tax, trade, budget, and health care. Mr. Kumar also held positions in the Office of Senator Phil Gramm as Legislative Director and Chief Counsel, the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs as Deputy Chief Republican Counsel and clerked for Judge J. Harvie Wilkinson III on the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit.

Mr. Kumar has been named in Roll Call as one of the fifty most influential staffers for mastery of policy and procedure and access to decision makers at key times. He was described in the Washington Post publication Who Runs Gov as, "an expert in both politics and policy" and also listed in the Almanac of the Unelected as an expert in tax, trade, banking/financial services and immigration.

Mr. Kumar received his J.D. from the University of Virginia. He graduated magna cum laude with a B.A. from Duke University.

Mr. Brian Lane, Partner
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Mr. Lane, a partner with Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher, is a corporate securities lawyer with extensive expertise in a wide range of SEC issues. He counsels companies on the most sophisticated corporate governance and regulatory issues under the federal securities laws. He is a nationally recognized expert in his field as an author, media commentator, and conference speaker. *BTI Consulting Group* named Mr. Lane as a 2019 and 2018 *BTI Client Service All-Star* among the lawyers "who truly stand out as delivering the absolute best client service", and a 2014 *BTI Client Service All-Star* for delivering "outstanding legal skills enveloped in a rare combination of practical business knowledge, extraordinary attention to client needs and noteworthy responsiveness."

He was also recognized for over 13 consecutive years by *The Best Lawyers in America*® for securities /capital markets law, securities regulation, corporate governance and compliance law. He was recognized in Who's Who of Corporate Governance Lawyers by *Who's Who Legal* and selected by *Chambers and Partners* as a Leading Lawyer in Securities Regulation in its *Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business Guide* for 2020, 2019, 2017, 2015, 2014, and 2013. Clients praise him for his "incredible practical advice," with one suggesting: "I don't think there is any other attorney in private practice that has his level of reach and authority when interacting with the SEC staff."

Mr. Lane is ranked as one of the world's leading Corporate Governance attorneys in Expert Guides' 2014 *Guide to the World's Leading Banking and Finance Lawyers*. He was named as a Top Lawyer in Washington, D.C. in 2019 by *The Washington Post Magazine*, a Top Attorney for Corporate Governance & Compliance Law by *Compliance Magazine* in Jan. 2013 and was named in June 2013 by *InterContinental Finance Magazine* as one of the top 500 lawyers in the world. Mr. Lane was also recognized as a 2013 Super Lawyer for securities and corporate

finance by *Washington, D.C. Super Lawyers*, was named by *Washingtonian Magazine* as one of Washington's Top Lawyers for securities law for 2011, 2012 and 2013, and was named the Leading Lawyer for Corporate Governance: Internal Investigations in the Washington D.C. area by *Legal Times* in 2008.

Mr. Lane ended a 16-year career with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") as the Director of the Division of Corporation Finance where he supervised over 300 attorneys and accountants in all matters related to disclosure and accounting by public companies (e.g. M&A, capital raising, disclosure in periodic reports and proxy statements). In his practice, Mr. Lane advises a number of companies undergoing investigations relating to accounting and disclosure issues.

Since joining the firm in January of 2000, Mr. Lane has counseled companies on many diverse issues relating to the details of federal securities law, and has helped clients raise billions of dollars in public and private offerings, developed unique and sophisticated securities products and transactions, assisted companies in their response to SEC inquiries from the Divisions of Corporation Finance and Enforcement, resolving issues with their disclosure and accounting, helped public companies resolve accounting issues with their auditors and the SEC, advised audit committees and conducting special investigations on their behalf, and provided corporate governance advice.

Mr. Lane has represented many of the best known companies domestically and internationally, assisting them to better understand and comply with the intricacies of the federal securities laws.

Mr. Lane received his law degree in 1983 from the American University, Washington College of Law and earned a B.A. degree *magna cum laude* in 1980 from Washburn University.

Mr. Hoshi Printer, Independent Director
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Hoshi Printer serves on the boards of one public company and four private companies, three of which are family owned.

Mr. Printer is on the board of directors of Lantronix, a public technology company (LTRX), where he is the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of Nominating / Governance committee.

Designated as a Board Leadership Fellow by NACD (National Association of Corporate Directors) and a board member of its Pacific Southwest Chapter, he has more than four decades of impressive board, general and financial management experience spanning a wide range of industries.

Mr. Printer has served as CFO for ten technology companies in sectors that include the Internet, ecommerce, software, storage, and biosciences.

He holds an MBA, and is a U.S. Army Vietnam veteran.