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Robert Dixon is a partner in the London office of Gibson Dunn. He is a member of the Private Equity and Mergers and Acquisitions Practice Groups.

He advises private equity and corporate clients on M&A, joint ventures, equity investments and commercial contracts. He has extensive experience in cross-border M&A, with a particular emphasis on TMT transactions.

Client commentary in *Legal 500* describes him as "*exceptional…completely committed, always responsive, solution-orientated…*" and notes in particular that he "*brings legal firepower combined with commercial sensibilities".*

His recent experience includes advising:

- Circle Internet Group on its landmark partnership with Chelsea Football Club to become a Principal Partner and Official front-of-shirt partner
- RedBird IMI on the sale of its interests in Telegraph Media Group to Axel Springer
- RedBird IMI on the sale of its interests in The Spectator magazine to OQS Media
- Wrexham A.F.C. and its owners on the investment in the club by Apollo Sports Capital
- Otro Capital on its investment in Two Circles, the global sports and entertainment marketing business
- Driven Brands on the sale of IMO, the international car wash business, to Franchise Equity Partners
- KKR on the acquisition of a 30% equity stake in the fibre unit of Telenor ASA, a telecommunications operator in Norway
- Helios Towers plc on its acquisitions of telecom tower portfolios and on related master services, build-to-suit and equity investment agreements
- KKR on the sale of European Locomotive Leasing, a leading pan-European provider of electric locomotive leasing solutions, to AXA Investment Managers – Real Assets and Crédit Agricole Assurances

Capabilities

Mergers and Acquisitions
Data Centers and Digital Infrastructure
Infrastructure
Media, Entertainment, and Technology
Private Equity
Sports Law

Credentials

Education

University of Edinburgh - 1999 Diploma in Legal Practice
University of Edinburgh - 1998 Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) (Hons)

Admissions

England & Wales - Solicitor
Scotland - Scotland - Solicitor

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