

# Jamal V. Lama

## Partner

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Jamal Lama is a partner in the New York office of Gibson Dunn.

Jamal's practice focuses on advising companies and private equity firms across a wide range of industries, with specific experience in energy and infrastructure investments across geographies and asset classes. His representations include domestic and cross-border public and private M&A, joint ventures, preferred equity financings and other strategic transactions. He also has substantial experience advising clients on corporate governance issues throughout the lifecycle of a company, including private equity portfolio companies.

Prior to joining Gibson Dunn, Jamal served as in-house counsel at Ares Management within the Infrastructure Opportunities, Infrastructure Debt and Alternative Credit businesses where he advised on a range of complex transactions spanning various sectors including fiber, data centers, renewable energy, midstream oil & gas, wastewater treatment, renewable natural gas, power generation and equipment leasing.

Jamal is admitted to practice in the State of New York.

### Selected Transactions

#### **Energy & Infrastructure**

- Advised Macquarie Asset Management in its announced and pending acquisition of the South American wireless towers operations of IHS Mauritius BR Limited, part of IHS Holding Limited, at an implied enterprise value of approximately R\$3,550 million (US\$685 million).
- Advised I Squared Capital on its announced and pending strategic partnership with Canada Pension Plan Investment Board in Inkia Energy, a Peruvian private power generation company, at a total enterprise value of \$3.4 billion.
- Advised Reload, a platform that sites, designs, and permits gigawatt-scale data center campuses paired with rapidly deployable on-site power infrastructure, on its sale to Scale, a leading vertically integrated provider of advanced energy solutions backed by EQT.
- Advised I Squared Capital on its acquisition of Oriden, a U.S.-based renewable energy developer, from Mitsubishi Power Americas.
- Advised Ardian on its acquisition of the Peruvian hydropower business of Latin America Power Holding B.V.
- Advised América Móvil on its acquisition of Telefónica's operations in El Salvador and Guatemala.\*

#### **Other Industries**



### Capabilities

Infrastructure  
Data Centers and Digital Infrastructure  
Energy and Infrastructure  
Mergers and Acquisitions  
Power and Renewables  
Private Equity

### Credentials

#### **Education**

Washington University in St. Louis - 2016  
Juris Doctor  
State University of New York, Binghamton  
(SUNY) - 2013 Bachelor of Arts

#### **Admissions**

New York Bar  
Colorado Bar

- Advised Platinum Equity, and its portfolio company Solenis, on Solenis' \$4.6 billion acquisition of Diversey Holdings, Ltd.
- Advised KKR in its investment, with Ampersand Capital Partners, in Alliance Pharma.
- Advised Warburg Pincus and its portfolio company Hygiena on the sale of Hygiena to EW Group and acquisition by Hygiena of DuPont's global food safety diagnostic business.\*
- Advised Warburg Pincus and its portfolio company Duravant in Duravant's strategic partnership with Carlyle and acquisition by Duravant of WECO.\*
- Advised JUUL in multiple transactions, including a \$12.8 billion investment by Altria.\*
- Advised The Chernin Group in its \$263 million strategic investment in Funko, Inc.
- Advised FTV Capital in its acquisition of SingleOps.
- Advised American Express Company in multiple strategic transactions, including entry by American Express Global Business Travel into a business combination agreement with Apollo Strategic Growth Capital.\*

*\*Representations occurred prior to Jamal's association with Gibson Dunn.*

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