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Inside Cleary is a regular report about our practice, people, and firm.

## News & Insights

This section is a roundup of recent firm, practice, or individual recognition, as well as recent client matter summaries.

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### **Five Cleary Gottlieb Lawyers on Latinvex 2021 Top 100 Female Lawyers List**

**Chantal Kordula, Francesca Odell, Amy Shapiro, Lisa Vicens, and Carina Wallance** were recognized in *Latinvex*'s ninth annual "Latin America's Top 100 Female Lawyers" report. Cleary Gottlieb's five lawyers were the most of any firm.

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### **Finsbury Glover Hering to Merge With Sard Verbinnen**

Cleary Gottlieb is advising Finsbury Glover Hering in its merger with Sard Verbinnen & Co, which will create the world's leading strategic communications firm advising clients in navigating critical opportunities and challenges.

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### **TPG Invests in Tata Motors' Electric Vehicle Business**

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Cleary Gottlieb represented TPG Rise Climate, the climate investing strategy of TPG's global impact investing platform TPG Rise, in its investment in Tata Motors' electric vehicle and infrastructure business.

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## **OVHcloud in €460 Million IPO**

Cleary Gottlieb is representing OVHcloud in its initial public offering, which launched on October 5, 2021.

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## **Goldman Sachs in \$477 Million Financing of the International Plaza Mall**

Cleary Gottlieb represented Goldman Sachs in the origination of a mortgage loan totaling \$477 million secured by the International Plaza, a super-regional mall located in Tampa, Florida.

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## **Falabella's New Money Offering and Concurrent Tender Offer**

Cleary Gottlieb represented Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC, and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC in a new money offering and concurrent cash tender offer by Falabella S.A.

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## **Deal Watch: 15 SPACs, 17 IPOs as Dealmakers Continue Historic Run**

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*The American Lawyer*

Cleary Gottlieb was noted as counsel to Moscow-based car-sharing company Delimobil Holding on its New York Stock Exchange listing. **David Gottlieb** and **Yulia Solomakhina** were mentioned.

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## **Kirkland-Led Blackstone Forms \$1 Billion Partnership to Invest in Music**

*Reuters*

Cleary Gottlieb was noted for advising on Vivendi's €3.5 billion sale of a 10% stake in Universal Music Group to billionaire investor William Ackman's special purpose acquisition company, Pershing Square Tontine Holdings.

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## **Stripe Ramps Up Preparations for Blockbuster IPO in a Record Year for Fintech Performance**

*Finance Monthly*

Cleary Gottlieb was noted as counsel to Stripe in its potential initial public offering.

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## **Russia Challenges Latest Yukos Award**

*Global Arbitration Review*

Cleary Gottlieb was noted as counsel to Russia in an arbitration in Swiss Federal Supreme Court, in which it applied to set aside a multibillion-dollar arbitration award relating to the collapse of oil company Yukos. **Matt Slater** was mentioned.

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## **Congo Accuses Derains of Corruption**

*Global Arbitration Review*

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Cleary Gottlieb was noted as counsel to the Republic of the Congo in the filing of a criminal complaint alleging that a billion-euro ICC arbitration award against the state was obtained through corruption on the part of French arbitrator Yves Derains. **Jean-Yves Garaud** was mentioned.

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