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Overview

Stuart is an experienced corporate lawyer who advises entrepreneurs, owner-managed businesses, private and quoted companies, and corporate advisers on a broad range of corporate and commercial transactions. His expertise includes mergers and acquisitions, IPOs and secondary listings on AIM and other capital markets, public takeovers, joint ventures, company restructurings, equity and debt fundraisings, and general company and commercial law advice.

Expertise

- Mergers and acquisitions (shares and assets)
- IPOs with particular expertise on AIM listings
- Private equity transactions (including management advice)
- Investment/shareholders' agreements/articles/shareholder disputes
- Corporate finance and equity fundraisings
- Legal due diligence/preparation for exit (IPO or trade sale)
- General company and commercial law including directors' duties

Cases

- Acted for a digital media company on various equity and debt fundraisings and general commercial agreements
- Acted on the acquisition of Apple and Bang & Olufsen reseller businesses
- Acted for an AIM-quoted oil and gas investment and production company on numerous fundraisings and commercial agreements
- Acted for a fit food and juice bar company in relation to a rights issue and various equity fundraisings
- Acted for nominated advisers on a number of IPOs and reverse takeovers
- Acted for nominated advisers and corporate brokers on numerous secondary fundraisings on AIM
- Acted for a Chinese ship building company on its listing on the AIM Market of the London Stock Exchange including on its VIE structure

- Acted on the listing of a Russian investment company on AIM
- Acted on a £400m fundraise for a Russian mining company
- Acted for an AIM quoted company in relation to its acquisition of 12 separate companies constituting a reserve takeover
- Acted for clients in relation to the removal of directors and other shareholder disputes
- Acted for a company listed on the Main Market of the London Stock Exchange in relation to a hostile takeover
- Seconded to Dairy Crest plc to assist with its IPO and to provide general legal advice on all aspects of its business
- Acted for banks in relation to property financings and other banking transactions
- Acted for insolvency practitioners in relation to various sales out of administration

Career

2018	Keystone Law <i>Consultant Solicitor</i>
2010 - 2018	Adams & Remers LLP <i>Partner</i>
2007 - 2010	Cobbetts LLP <i>Partner</i>
1993 - 2010	Wedlake Bell <i>Solicitor then Partner</i>
1993	Qualified as a Solicitor