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**OVERVIEW**

Bryan focuses his practice on structured finance, asset-based lending, and complex financial transactions. He has experience dealing with transactional and regulatory issues in the finance, energy, and insurance industries. Bryan has also advised clients on mergers and acquisitions of various asset types. He represents clients in the renewable energy, insurance, and boutique hospitality sectors.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS**Renewable Energy, Infrastructure, and Project Financed Development Projects**

- Advised an energy company and helped secure financing of \$150 million, resulting in an ability to continue growing its operations.
- Advised a liquefied natural gas company and helped secure bridge financing of upwards of \$200 million, resulting in an ability to substantially grow its operations internationally.

Mergers and Acquisitions

- Facilitated the \$300 million sale of a health care company.
- Facilitated the sale of a property and casualty insurer to a major licensed insurer in the industry.
- Assisted a client with the acquisition of a bond issuer licensed in various states.
- Managed the sale of a boutique hotel to an up-and-coming operator of boutique hotels.

TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- Asset-Based Lending
- Energy
- Insurance + Reinsurance
- Mergers + Acquisitions

ALL AREAS OF FOCUS

- Asset-Based Lending
- Corporate
- Energy
- Finance + Banking
- Insurance + Reinsurance
- Mergers + Acquisitions

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Member, Chicago Bar Association
- Member, National Hispanic Bar Association
- Director, Chicago Illini Club
- Volunteer, Fighting Illini Fan Council

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATION

- University of Illinois College of Law, J.D.
- University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, B.A., *with honors*

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Illinois

CLERKSHIPS

- Hon. E. Kenneth Wright, Jr., Circuit Court of Cook County (Ill.), 2018-2019

LANGUAGES

- Spanish

PUBLICATIONS

- Author, "Enhancing Customer Experience in the Insurance Industry With AI," *New York Law Journal*, October 6, 2023.
- Author, "New York City's Proposed 'City of Yes for Carbon Neutrality' Zoning Initiative Offers Potential Renewable Energy Boom to Developers," Locke Lord QuickStudy, May 15, 2023.
- Author, "Illinois House of Representatives Passes Insurance Business Transfer Act," Locke Lord, March 18, 2022.
- Author, "NAIC Assessing Private Equity Involvement in Insurance Industry," Locke Lord, February 28, 2022.