

# **DLA Piper Honored by Alternative and Direct Investment Securities Association**

**DLA Piper** has been recognized with the President's Award by the Alternative and Direct Investment Securities Association (ADISA) for the firm's service to the alternative investment securities industry.

ADISA is a national trade association of decision makers who influence over 30,000 professionals involved in alternative investments, primarily non-traded alternatives. These typically include non-traded Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs), Business Development Companies (BDCs), Master Limited Partnerships (MLPs) and private and public funds (LPs/LLCs), 1031 exchange programs (DSTs/TICs), energy and oil and gas interests, equipment leasing programs, and other alternative and direct investment offerings.

DLA Piper received the award on September 27, 2016 at ADISA's Annual Conference and Trade Show in Las Vegas. John Grady, a partner in DLA Piper's Philadelphia office, is the President-Elect of ADISA, and currently chairs its Legislative and Regulatory Committee. He will take over from the current President, Mike Bendix, on January 1, 2017. Darryl Steinhouse, a partner in DLA Piper's San Diego office, currently serves as general counsel to ADISA and its Board of Directors. Darryl Steinhouse has been active in the association since its formation and in the past has been a member of the Board of Directors and numerous committees and has been active in ADISA's interaction with the SEC and FINRA.