Freshfields Hires Hogan Lovells N.Y. Corporate Head

NewsFreshfields Bruckhaus Deringer has brought on Adam Golden to serve as head of U.S. life sciences transactions, further expanding on the London-founded firm’s recent growth in the U.S. legal market

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Marsh McLennan Names Katherine J. Brennan General Counsel

NewsMarsh McLennan has appointed Katherine J. Brennan as General Counsel of Marsh LLC.

Altus Power Announces Appointment of Sophia Lee as Chief Legal Officer

NewsAltus Power America, Inc. has appointed Sophia Lee as Chief Legal Officer.

BASF SE Appoints Matthew Lepore as Global General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer

NewsBASF SE, a chemical giant with a large litigation docket, has appointed an American, Matthew Lepore, to be its global general counsel and chief compliance officer.

Union Square Ventures Adds First Top Lawyer

NewsUnion Square Ventures LLC, which scored big with an investment in newly public cryptocurrency exchange Coinbase Global Inc., has hired its first-ever general counsel.

GoDaddy Appoints Michele Lau CLO and Mark McCaffrey CFO

NewsGoDaddy announced Michele Lau will assume the role of GoDaddy’s Chief Legal Officer effective July 12, 2021, and

Mark McCaffrey will assume the role of GoDaddy’s Chief Financial Officer effective June 2, 2021.

Victoria’s Secret Taps Express, Abercrombie Lawyer as Legal Boss

NewsVictoria’s Secret has hired former Express Inc. and Abercrombie & Fitch lawyer Melinda McAfee as its first chief legal officer.

Ex-Coke Lawyer Takes Top Legal Role at Cannabis Giant Tilray

NewsA former Coca-Cola Co. lawyer will become the new interim chief legal officer for Tilray Inc., the world’s largest legal weed operation by revenue.

Owens Corning Names Gina Beredo General Counsel

NewsOwens Corning announced the appointment of Gina Beredo as Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, effective June 9, 2021.

U.S. Soccer Teams Shuffle Top Legal Jobs as Season Kicks Off

NewsThree teams in Major League Soccer are switching law office jobs with the mid-April kickoff of the top tier of the U.S. sport’s 2021 season—a start delayed a few weeks because of the coronavirus pandemic.

Changes to the UBS Group Executive Board

NewsBarbara Levi will succeed Markus Diethelm as Group General Counsel effective 1 November 2021.

Alphabet Discloses New Top Lawyer’s $51M Pay Package

NewsAlphabet Inc.’s chief legal officer, J. Kent Walker Jr., received a total compensation package last year valued at $50.9 million, according to a proxy statement.

Coca-Cola Legal Chief Change Is Part of Larger Reshuffling

NewsCoca-Cola Co.’s surprising decision to replace its general counsel after nearly eight months on the job is one of several recent changes involving the company’s legal and compliance personnel.

Tesla Vice President of Legal Al Prescott Leaves to Join Luminar, a Lidar Company

NewsTesla’s longstanding vice president of legal and acting general counsel, Al Prescott, has left the electric vehicle and renewable energy company to join Luminar, a lidar start-

up.

Coca-Cola Shakes Up In-House Legal Team

NewsThe Coca-Cola Company announced the election of Monica Howard Douglas as senior vice president and general counsel.

Mastercard Names Tim Murphy Chief Administrative Officer

NewsMastercard … announced the appointment of Tim Murphy, the company’s general counsel, to the newly created position of chief administrative officer.

Hippo Strengthens its Legal Team with Four Key Leadership Hires

NewsHippo, the home insurance group that created a new standard of care and protection for homeowners, today

announced four key leadership appointments to its legal and compliance team with combined expertise in reinsurance, insurance compliance, governance, national warranty, and federal securities laws.

Little Caesars Pizza, Smoothie King Tout Legal Appointments

NewsLittle Caesars Enterprises Inc. and Smoothie King Franchises Inc., two privately held eateries with ruling aspirations to their names, unveiled new roles this week for two top in-house lawyers.

Big Company General Counsel Join Big Law Voting Rights Statement

NewsNearly 20 current and former general counsel of major corporations have joined Big Law leaders in signing a statement opposing voter disenfranchisement, following changes to Georgia’s voting laws.

Fox News Media Hires Google Executive as EVP and General Counsel

NewsFOX News Media has named Bernard T. Gugar as General Counsel and Executive Vice President of Corporate Development, announced its CEO Suzanne Scott, to whom he will report. Mr. Gugar will begin his new role effective immediately.