Two new Counsel further sharpen BLG's countrywide expertise in data protection and cyber incident response

Montréal (December 16, 2024) – Borden Ladner Gervais LLP (BLG) welcomes Matt Saunders and Claire Feltrin to the firm as Counsel in our Cybersecurity, Privacy & Data Protection Group. Matt joins our Montréal team of professionals, while Claire will be practicing from BLG's Vancouver office.

Matt comes to BLG with an established practice in cybersecurity and data privacy, in which he advises on internal privacy programs, incident response, crisis communications, and novel issues in respect of the use of artificial intelligence in organizational resiliency. Claire also has a solid reputation in cybersecurity and privacy, providing strategic counselling and advice to clients across several industries on digital innovation, the use of personal information, information technology, online safety matters, and crisis management.

"Just like Hélène Deschamps Marquis who joined us earlier this month, Matt and Claire are joining a solid team of innovative BLG lawyers in this fast-moving practice area," notes Prema K. R. Thiele, National Group Head, Corporate and Capital Markets Group. "Companies from all over Canada are coming to us with increasingly complex matters in cybersecurity and data protection, and accordingly, we continue to invest in our leading cybersecurity, privacy and data protection practice with the addition of these impressive practitioners."

Thanks to an evolving array of services, including personalized advice to boards and senior management, BLG's Cybersecurity, Privacy & Data Protection Group helps companies and organizations from all sectors across Canada adapt to mounting information and technological challenges.

For more information, please contact:

Kate Gifford
Borden Ladner Gervais LLP
KGifford@blg.com
416.350.6540

BLG | Canada’s Law Firm

As the largest, truly full-service Canadian law firm, Borden Ladner Gervais LLP (BLG) delivers practical legal advice for domestic and international clients across more practices and industries than any Canadian firm. With over 800 lawyers, intellectual property agents and other professionals, BLG serves the legal needs of businesses and institutions across Canada and beyond – from M&A and capital markets, to disputes, financing, and trademark & patent registration.

blg.com

© 2026 Borden Ladner Gervais LLP. Borden Ladner Gervais LLP is an Ontario Limited Liability Partnership.