BLG appoints Ryan Tomicic as national business leader, international

Toronto (October 1, 2026) — Borden Ladner Gervais LLP (BLG) has appointed Ryan Tomicic as national business leader, international, strengthening the firm's cross-border capabilities and inbound market strategy.

In this role, Tomicic leads BLG's international strategy, connecting global businesses, foreign counsel and multinational corporations with the firm's national platform. He works across BLG's corporate, capital markets, regulatory and disputes practices to deliver coordinated, multidisciplinary counsel for inbound investment and cross-border operations.

By integrating dedicated international leads across key practice areas, Tomicic strengthens the firm's international referral networks and ensures foreign enterprises navigating the Canadian market receive seamless, strategic support.

"As global capital continues to target Canadian opportunities across regulated and high-growth sectors, international clients require sophisticated, multidisciplinary counsel," said Dave Di Paolo, national managing partner and CEO. "Ryan's track record in complex, cross-border M&A and corporate finance makes him exceptionally qualified to align our national practice strengths with the demands of international clients."

Based in Montréal, Tomicic is a partner specializing in domestic and cross-border mergers and acquisitions, equity financing and private investment fund formation. Over his career, he has advised on more than 200 transactions representing more than US$10 billion in aggregate enterprise value.

This appointment marks the next stage in BLG's international growth model, building on the foundation established by Lynn McGrade, who continues as leader of the firm's national investment management group.

Tomicic and members of the BLG international leadership team will meet with global peers and clients at the International Bar Association (IBA) Annual Conference in Copenhagen from Oct. 4 to 9. Learn more at blg.com/iba.

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