## Chammas & Marcheteau

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## Chammas & Marcheteau announces the creation of a Restructuring Department with the Arrival of New Partner Stéphane Cavet

Chammas & Marcheteau reinforces its offer with the arrival of Stéphane Cavet as partner in charge of the new Restructuring Department.



Stéphane Cavet has been active for nearly 20 years in the prevention and management of distressed companies, principally representing SME debtors, investors and acquirors, both domestic and foreign, in a broad range of business sectors, notably service companies, industry and real estate. For example, he advised the judicial administrators in the Necotrans restructuring (90 companies and 4,000 employees), Merck in the context of the restructuring of the French company Famar Lyon (Groupe Famar, €500M of turnover and 3,000 employees), and the debtor companies in the first reorganization in France of a sharia compliant real estate financing (Signac file).

**Stéphane Cavet** is 42 years old and is registered with the Paris Bar. He holds an advanced degree (DESS) in international business law and a diploma from the Tours Center of International Business Law. Stéphane began his career as an attorney in 2003 at the CMC law firm. In 2005, he joined Altradius Credit Insurance NV as Senior Risk Manager. In 2007, he joined the « Distressed Companies » Department at Simon Associés where he named partner in 2012. Stéphane is a member of the Association for Company Restructuring (Association pour le Retournement des Entreprises (ARE)) and the French Institute of Bankruptcy Practitioners (Institut Français des Praticiens des Procédures Collectives (IFPPC)).

**Denis Marcheteau**, co-founding partner of Chammas & Marcheteau, added: "We are delighted that Stéphane, who is a leader in his field, has joined our Firm. His arrival and the creation of a Restructuring Department is consistent with the Firm's growth strategy of our M&A and Private Equity departments. Stéphane is the ideal person to anticipate and manage the sometimes difficult situations encountered by our corporate clients or by certain investments held by our investment fund, corporate venture or family office clients. The addition of Stéphane to our partnership was also the result of the meeting of personalities that share common values, notably that of collective effort in the service of our clients."

**Stéphane Cavet** commented: "I join Chammas & Marcheteau with a great deal of enthusiasm. I was immediately attracted to the ambitious project of creating a new Restructuring Department. The quality of the people was also an important factor in my decision to join the Firm. In addition, the synergies which we identified with the different teams at Chammas & Marcheteau will allow us to have a global approach and to respond to the cross-practice needs of the Firm's clients."

With Stéphane Cavet's arrival, Chammas & Marcheteau now counts 10 partners and a total of 40 professionals.



## **About Chammas & Marcheteau:**

Chammas & Marcheteau is a Paris-based independent law firm that advises companies, investment funds and entrepreneurs on their transactions and development strategies in France and abroad. With 35 specialists in business law, including 10 partners, the firm offers its clients expertise in Mergers & Acquisitions, Restructuring, Private Equity, Funds and Financial Services, Tax, and Intellectual Property and Information Technology. The Firm has a rapidly growing international activity, including in Africa.

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