

Haynes and Boone Represents Traxys in Global Comets Transaction

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Haynes Boone represented Traxys, a worldwide metals and natural resources trader based in Luxembourg, in its purchase of CMC Comets, the industrial raw materials division of Commercial Metals Company. The multi-jurisdictional transaction, whose completion was announced Aug. 31, involved operations in the United States, Europe, China and Russia.

Partners Chad Mills and [Ricardo Garcia-Moreno](#) led a broad-ranging Haynes Boone team across multiple offices that included Partners Emily Westridge Black, [John Eldridge](#), [Sam Lichtman](#) and [Mark Tidwell](#), Associates [Valisa Berber-Thayer](#), Punam Kaji, Denny Lee, Janna Mouret and [Don Shiman](#), and many others.

Traxys, a portfolio company of The Carlyle Group, focuses on marketing and sourcing base metals and concentrates, minor and alloying metals, industrial minerals and chemicals, and materials for steel mills and foundries, and also manages all parts of the supply chain, from producer to consumer.

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