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Nirav Bhatt is an associate in the Finance and Bankruptcy Practice Group. He is lead associate for the firm's Alternative Finance industry team, and a member of the Private Equity industry team.

Areas of Practice

Nirav represents corporate borrowers, financial sponsors, portfolio companies, commercial banks and other financial institutions in a variety of financing transactions. Some of the areas in which Nirav has experience are senior secured, second-lien and mezzanine credit facilities in connection with bilateral club and broadly syndicated transactions, leveraged buyouts and add-on acquisitions. Nirav also specializes in problem loan workouts, judicial and non-judicial foreclosures.

Honors

Go-To Thought Leader, *National Law Review*, 2021

Articles

Corporate Law Blog Posts

- "Justice Friedman Allows Breach of Fiduciary Duty Claim to Proceed Against Corporate Directors," September 16, 2015

Finance & Bankruptcy Law Blog Posts

- "Paycheck Protection Program: SBA Issues Guidance on First Draw and Second Draw PPP Loans and Releases PPP Applications Pursuant to the Economic Aid Act," January 21, 2021
- "The Reauthorization and Revival of the Paycheck Protection Program and Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program under the Economic Aid to Hard-Hit Small Businesses, Nonprofits, and Venues Act," December 31, 2020
- "The October 2, 2020 SBA Procedural Notice: Change of Ownership Transactions Involving PPP Borrowers," October 5, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program: Updated Loan Forgiveness Estimator Workbook," July 10, 2020
- "PPP Updates: Extension of the Application Deadline, Disclosure of PPP Borrowers Receiving Greater than \$150,000 in PPP Loans, and the "Owner-Employee" Dilemma," June 8, 2020

- "Updates to the PPP Loan Forgiveness Application Form," June 19, 2020
- "[UPDATED] Paycheck Protection Program Flexibility Act: Major Changes to the PPP," June 12, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program Flexibility Act: Major Changes to the PPP," June 5, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program: Loan Forgiveness Estimator Workbook," May 28, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program: Key Features of the Loan Forgiveness Application," May 19, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program: SBA Issues Further Guidance on its Review of the Economic Uncertainty Certification made by PPP Borrowers," May 13, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program: SBA Extends Prepayment Safe Harbor To May 14, 2020 and Issues Further Interpretive Guidance on Employee Head Count and Affiliation," May 7, 2020
- "Paycheck Protection Program: SBA Issues an Aggregate \$20 Million Limit for Entities within a 'Single Corporate Group'," May 1, 2020
- "The SBA and U.S. Treasury Announce Full "Review" of Businesses Receiving PPP Loans Greater than \$2 Million," April 29, 2020
- "Enactment of the Paycheck Protection Program And Healthcare Enhancement Act and Further Interpretive Guidance on The Economic Uncertainty Certification And PPP Eligibility," April 24, 2020
- "Computational Framework for Determining Number of Employees for Eligibility, Qualifying Loan Amount and Forgiveness for a PPP Loan," April 20, 2020
- "Further Expansion Of Eligibility And Additional Guidance On The Paycheck Protection Program: The SBA's April 14, 2020 Interim Final Rule," April 16, 2020
- "Expansion of Eligibility and Additional Guidance on the Paycheck Protection Program (Title I of the CARES Act)," April 8, 2020
- "Updates on the Affiliation Rules Applicable to the Paycheck Protection Program (Title I of the CARES Act)," April 6, 2020
- "Updates on the Paycheck Protection Program under the CARES Act: The SBA's April 2, 2020 Interim Final Rule," April 3, 2020
- "Overview Of The Paycheck Protection Program Under The Cares Act (Title I)," March 27, 2020

Labor Law Blog Posts

- "Second Circuit Holds: You Can't Always Get What You Want – As Long As Your Employer Gives You What You Need (An Effective Accommodation)," June 29, 2015

Books

Employer's Guide To COVID-19 And Emerging Workplace Issues (Over 690 pages)
04.21.2020

Media Mentions

How to help your clients understand the CARES Act: Paycheck Protection Program
8 provisions of the Paycheck Protection Program that plan advisors can help plan sponsor clients understand.
Benefits PRO, 03.31.2020

Events

PPP and Other Assistance Programs – What’s Worked, What Hasn’t and What to Do Going Forward
2020 Restaurant Legal Summit Virtual Edition
10.14.2020

Getting Back to Business Webinar Series (Part 2)
Planning and Best Practices for Employers in a Changed Workplace
Webinar, 05.28.2020

Podcasts & Webinars

Getting Back To Business Webinar Series: Session Two
05.28.2020

Practices

Bankruptcy and Restructuring
Commercial Lending and Financial Transactions
Distressed Acquisitions Under Bankruptcy Code
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Industries

Private Equity

Education

J.D., Boston College Law School, 2016, President, Law Students Association, *William J. O’Keefe Award for Outstanding Contributions to BC Law*

B.A., Boston College, 2011, *cum laude*

Admissions

New York