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DAVID BANNARD JOINS FIRM AS PARTNER

Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell LLP will open a Boston office

DENVER, CO – April 2, 2018 – [Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell LLP](#) today announced that [Dave Bannard](#) has joined the Firm as a partner. This addition will complement Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell's ability to provide exceptional legal services on a variety of airport matters. The Firm's practice involves the development and operation of some of the largest and most sophisticated transportation projects around the country, including airports, highways, urban transit systems, public facilities, energy generation, and urban development.

With the addition of Bannard, the Firm will open a [Boston office](#) to assist in representation of clients nationwide. The 25-lawyer firm, based in Denver, Colorado, now also has offices in Boston, New York and Washington, DC.

Bannard has experience representing clients regarding major airport transactions—including debt issuance and financial disclosures; intergovernmental negotiations; and terminal negotiations, permitting, financing, development, construction, and leasing—in which the Firm has also long represented public and private clients.

Bannard graduated *cum laude* with his J.D. from Boston College Law School in 1988. He earned his Masters in Music from Northwestern University in 1982 and his Bachelor of Music (Music Education) in 1978. Prior to law school, he was a freelance musician. He is admitted to practice in Massachusetts and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. Dave is a leader in several airport and municipal bond professional associations and was previously a vice president of the board for Habitat for Humanity in north central Massachusetts.

Bannard's practice is focused on regulatory issues, airport financing, leasing, rate-setting, litigation, and concessions agreements. He regularly counsels airports on federal grant assurances and air service incentive programs. Bannard has represented airport owners in novel public-private partnerships, including private development of a terminal for ultra-low cost carriers and privatization of a small general aviation airport. He is an experienced bond attorney and has served as bond counsel to airports and other issuers, counsel to borrowers and underwriters and disclosure counsel, as well as issuer's counsel.

About Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell

Founded in 2003, Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell is a national law firm devoted exclusively to solving problems involving environmental, land use, public and private lands, infrastructure, and transportation law. The Firm represents clients in complex and controversial projects that are often subject to intense public scrutiny and involve the intersection of private and governmental interests. The Firm has a reputation for crafting innovative solutions to high-risk and seemingly intractable problems involving the interplay of various disciplines of law. Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell's mission is to make the law an asset, not a hindrance, when achieving clients' objectives. The breadth of the Firm's practice includes active representations in more than half the states at any one time. The Firm has offices in Boston, Denver, Washington, DC, and New York.

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