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We have also advised on some of the world's most notable transactions and matters, representing: the Yukos shareholders in their \$100 billion compensation claim against Russia; Cadbury in its \$19.4 billion acquisition by Kraft; Panama Canal Authority in its \$5.7 billion canal refinancing plan; IntercontinentalExchange in its acquisition of The Clearing Corporation and formation of a credit default swap clearinghouse; The Dow Chemical Company in its acquisition of Rohm & Haas and sale of Morton International and its calcium chloride and Styron businesses; Suncor Energy in its \$15.8 billion merger with Petro-Canada; Brazilian conglomerate JBS in its acquisition of US poultry company Pilgrim's Pride through a bankruptcy proceeding; Société Générale in combination of its asset management operations with Crédit Agricole's; and Sterlite in its \$500 Million Convertible Bond Offering in India.

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