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Raymond C. ("Ray") Kolls is a Managing Director of the Berkeley Research Group ("BRG") based in the firm's Washington DC office. He is formerly the General Counsel of two publicly-listed medical device manufacturers and served as Deputy General Counsel of a Fortune 250 transportation company. He started his professional career as a labor and employment lawyer at Morgan, Lewis & Bockius in Washington. He also currently serves as a Listing Qualifications Panel Member on the NASDAQ stock exchange.

At BRG, Ray is retained on strategy assignments for early stage life sciences companies and serves as an advisor to General Counsels, in-house lawyers and their external counsel on the staffing of experts for complex litigation matters.

Ray's experience with experts is broad. As a practicing lawyer, he retained experts, prepared them for testimony and presented experts to fact finders. As a General Counsel in the life sciences industry, he retained experts on high-profile and intensively litigated matters such as federal false claims act litigation. While at BRG, he has been retained as an expert, prepared written reports and worked with many inhouse and outside counsel selecting experts for litigation and consulting matters.

Ray's principal contribution at BRG to firm leadership and management is to coordinate the activities of and preside at meetings of the committees used by the firm to evaluate business conflicts. BRG's unique business conflicts process is designed to effectively manage the firm's interaction with its clients which include the world's premier litigation firms and their in-house counsel while safeguarding BRG's core values of expert independence and objectivity.