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Michael Farinacci is an Associate in the firm's Corporate Department. His practice is focused on cross-border capital market transactions, corporate finance deal structuring, securities law analysis, and corporate governance matters. He works on all aspects of American Depositary Receipt facility establishment and maintenance, including issuer-sponsored IPOs, follow-on and secondary offerings, at-the-market offerings, registered direct offerings, spin-offs, tender, exchange and rights offers, going-private transactions, share splits, and ratio changes. Mr. Farinacci also advises foreign private issuers in connection with Securities Act and Securities Exchange Act registration and reporting filings and equity raising transactions. In addition, he also spearheads the exploration of how cutting-edge technology resources can be tailored and deployed to best serve both client and practice groups' evolving demands.

Admissions

- New York

Education

- St. John's University School of Law (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 2017)
 - Senior Staff Member, *St. John's Law Review*
 - Managing Editor, *Commercial Division Online Law Report*
- Stony Brook University (B.A., *cum laude*, 2008)

Publications

March 9, 2026

SEC Grants Targeted Exemption from Section 16(a) to Directors and Officers of Certain Foreign Private Issuers

Cross-Border Capital Markets Alert

February 5, 2026

SEC Staff Relaxes 20 Business Day "Broker Search" Requirement for Proxy Solicitations

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January 8, 2026

Directors and Officers of Foreign Private Issuers Now Subject to Section 16(a) Reporting Requirements

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October 2, 2025

Nasdaq Proposes Changes to Initial and Continued Listing Standards

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June 13, 2025

The SEC Solicits Feedback to Potentially Amend the Definition of Foreign Private Issuer

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May 16, 2023

Commercial Division Dismisses Duplicative Claims under the Doctrines of Res Judicata and Collateral Estoppel

December 3, 2020

SEC Allows Electronic Signatures

October 11, 2018

Daesang V. NutraSweet Reaffirms NY's Pro-Arbitration Attitude

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