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Dr. Gaytri Kachroo has 22 years of experience as a litigator and corporate lawyer, and is admitted to practice in Quebec, Massachusetts and New York. She has co-chaired international practice groups and India practices of law firms in the Boston area. She has practiced transactional domestic and international business law, and represented small and medium sized enterprises (SMEs) and multi-national corporations (MNCs) in mergers and acquisitions, outsourcing, technology licensing, joint ventures and cross-border issues. Through KLS, she continues to offer corporate and general counsel services to individuals, entities and institutions.

In February 2009, Dr. Kachroo represented fraud investigator, Harry Markopolos before the House Financial Services Committee and the Senate Banking Committee. She also represented Mr. Markopolos and his Madoff investigation team, Frank Casey, Neil Chelo, Michael Ocrant before the SEC Inspector General. Immersed in the intricacies of the fraud investigation conducted by Mr. Markopolos and his team, and fully versed in the decade-long attempt of Mr. Markopolos to alert the SEC authorities to Madoff's ponzi scheme, Dr. Kachroo has gained unique expertise. She is well-equipped to advise individuals, other law firms, and institutional investors on the complex cross-border and domestic issues raised by Madoff and other fraud litigation and to effect maximum recovery for those innocently victimized by these frauds.

Dr. Kachroo was appointed Vice-Chair of the Global Alliance on the Madoff case. The Global Alliance is comprised of some 50 law firms and 5000 lawyers from approximately 28 countries. She has been appointed to lead the Alliance's initiative for the creation of a new International Finance Court, along with other possible substantive proposals for regulation of financial services sector. She will coordinate the proposal effort with Alliance members as well as with UNCITRAL, members of the U.S. Congress and other U.S. governmental agencies and experts in the financial services sector.

Dr. Kachroo currently co-chairs the international law section of the Boston Bar Association, is Chairman of WorldBoston (a World Affairs Council Member), and is a member of a number of international and local organizations promoting global communication, networking, education, and enhanced participation of women in global governance.

She has authored several articles and theses in the areas of international human rights, violence as an institutional systemic concept, outsourcing to India, international legal issues relating to Israel and Kashmir, the relevance of diversity to the evolving concepts of property and contract in the international context.

Dr. Kachroo has taught at the Southern New England School of Law, and assisted with teaching at Harvard Law School. She has also spoken at a number of venues for Hedge Fund investors, Harvard Law School, and the University of London on her experience with regard to the Madoff fraud. She has also spoken at business and professional gatherings on the internationalization of legal education, and on outsourcing, and international intellectual property law.

Bar Membership:

Quebec 1987
Massachusetts 1999
New York 2001

Education:

S.J.D. (Doctor of Juridical Science) Harvard Law School 2002
LL.M. (Master of Laws) Harvard Law School 1995
LL.M. (Master of International Comparative Law) McGill University 1991
LL.B. (Bachelor of Common Laws) University of Ottawa 1987
LL.L. (License en Droit) University of Ottawa 1986
B.A. (Fine Arts, Political Science) Wellesley College 1982

Clerkships:

Law Clerk – Justices of Mass.Ct. of Appeals – 1999
Law Clerk – Honorable Judge Gerald Gillerman – 2000

Professional Organizations:

Boston Bar Association
American Bar Association
International Bar Association
Taxpayers Against Fraud