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**Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan Continues China Expansion with
Addition of Litigator Xiao Liu from Skadden**

Shanghai, Boston, Brussels, Chicago, Hamburg, Hong Kong, Houston, Los Angeles, London, Mannheim, Munich, New York, Paris, Perth, San Francisco, Seattle, Silicon Valley, Stuttgart, Sydney, Tokyo, Washington, D.C., Zurich (August 27, 2018) – Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP is pleased to announce that Xiao Liu will join the firm as a litigation partner in the Shanghai office.

Xiao, who has law degrees from Harvard, Peking and Cambridge Universities, is admitted to both the bars of China and New York, and has deep experience representing Chinese clients in commercial disputes in federal and state courts in the U.S. Among his many successes, he has helped the following Chinese companies achieve dismissals of complaints filed against them in U.S. litigation matters: Weibo, Jumei International, Youku Tudou, AirMedia, VIPShop, NQ Mobile, and ChinaCache; he has also been involved in achieving multiple precedent-setting summary judgment and trial victories in U.S. courts. He also represents foreign companies as a liaison in Chinese litigation.

In addition to his commercial litigation practice, Xiao represents Chinese companies and citizens in U.S. government regulatory investigations and enforcement proceedings, as well as foreign companies who have come to the attention of Chinese regulators as liaison counsel. He has conducted numerous internal investigations for multinational companies from diverse industries regarding their business operations in China, particularly under the FCPA.

Managing Partner John B. Quinn said: “We think Xiao is the leading international litigator of his generation in China and that his experience in the commercial litigation and government enforcement arenas, as well as his sterling academic credentials, make him unique among lawyers practicing in China today. We know Xiao will provide invaluable advice to our clients in China and Chinese companies in disputes around the world.”

Sam Williamson, Managing Partner of the firm’s Shanghai office added: “I have been fortunate to know Xiao for many years and have been constantly impressed by his legal abilities and the value he provides to his clients. We have had numerous cases together, and each time my

reaction has been, ‘I wish this guy was on our side.’ I can’t describe how pleased I am that that is now the case”.

Xiao Liu said: “Quinn Emanuel has the top global litigation force in the world. I believe it will provide the best platform for me to grow both my practice and the firm’s as well: helping Chinese businesses resolve U.S. disputes and government enforcement actions, and helping multinational companies navigate the unique challenges of operating in China.”

Xiao received his J.D. from Harvard Law School, he earned his L.L.M. from Cambridge University, and his L.L.B. from Peking University Law School. Xiao completed a half-year internship with the Chinese Supreme People’s Court and practiced for multiple years in New York with Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP, before relocating to China five years ago. Recently, Xiao was lauded by *Chambers & Partners* as a “rising star” in the China market for his “expertise in FCPA investigations and enforcement matters” and selected by China Law & Practice as a finalist for its upcoming 2018 Rising Star of the year award. Xiao is a native speaker of Mandarin and fluent in English.

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Quinn Emanuel is a 780+ lawyer business litigation firm—the largest in the world devoted solely to business litigation and arbitration with 22 global office locations. Firm lawyers have tried over 2,600 cases, winning 88% of them. When representing defendants, Quinn Emanuel’s trial experience gets better settlements or defense verdicts. When representing plaintiffs, Quinn Emanuel lawyers have won over \$60 billion in judgments and settlements. Quinn Emanuel has also obtained five 9-figure jury verdicts, thirty-four 9-figure settlements, and fifteen 10-figure settlements. FTI Consulting named Quinn Emanuel the biggest litigation firm in the world. *The American Lawyer* named Quinn Emanuel the top IP litigation firm in the U.S. and the firm as one of the top six commercial litigation firms in the country. Four times in the last 5 years, we were voted as one of the four “most feared” firms by General Counsels at Fortune 500 companies — the lawyers they “least like to see” on the other side. The UK legal periodical, *The Lawyer* named us “International Firm of the Year.” *Law360* selected us as Antitrust, Appellate, Banking, Class Action, Insurance, Product Liability, IP, White Collar, and Trials “Practice Groups of the Year.” *Managing IP* twice recognized us as having the “Best ITC Litigation Practice” and honored us with the “Patent Contentious West” award. *Legal Business* has named us “US Law Firm of the Year” three times, and our German offices have been named both IP Litigation and Patent Litigation Firm of the Year by *JUVE*, Germany’s most prestigious legal publication. *Global Investigations Review*, a leading legal periodical covering global white collar investigations, named us the “Most Impressive Investigations Practice of the Year.” *Global Arbitration Review* named us the 11th best arbitration practice in the world. Further information is available at www.quinnemanuel.com.

美国昆鹰律师事务所迎来诉讼合伙人刘骁，进一步拓展中国业务

上海、波士顿、布鲁塞尔、芝加哥、汉堡、香港、休斯顿、洛杉矶、伦敦、曼海姆、慕尼黑、纽约、巴黎、珀斯、旧金山、西雅图、硅谷、斯图加特、悉尼、东京、华盛顿、苏黎世-- 美国昆鹰律师事务所 (Quinn, Emanuel, Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP) 很高兴地宣布，刘骁律师从世达国际律师事务所(Skadden)加入本所上海办公室，担任诉讼合伙人。

刘骁毕业于哈佛法学院、剑桥大学和北京大学，取得了中国和纽约州两地的律师执业资格，有丰富的经验代表中国客户处理在美国联邦法院和州法院的各类商事诉讼。刘骁办理过的众多胜诉案件包括协助微博、聚美优品、优酷土豆、航美传媒、唯品会、蓝汛和网秦等公司成功挫败原告针对它们在美国发起的诉讼；刘骁还曾在美国参与多起开创先例的简易判决或者开庭审判的胜诉案件。刘骁的业务也包括协同中国律师代表外国公司参与中国诉讼。

在商事诉讼业务之外，刘骁还代表中国公司及个人应对美国政府的各类调查和执法程序，也经常协同中国律师为外国公司处理中国监管机构的执法案件。他曾为多个行业的众多跨国公司就其在中国的业务进行大量的内部调查，调查内容涉及美国反海外腐败法案 (FCPA) 等各类法律问题。

昆鹰的管理合伙人 John B. Quinn 表示：“我们认为刘骁是中国新一代跨国诉讼律师中的佼佼者，他在商事诉讼和政府执法案件领域的丰富经验以及出众的学历让他从当今在中国执业的国际律师中脱颖而出。我们确信刘骁会为我们所协助在华外资企业和中国企业客户应对跨国争议案件增添关键的助力。”

昆鹰上海办公室的管理合伙人 Sam Williamson 也表示：“我有幸认识刘骁多年，一直以来都非常欣赏他的业务能力和他给客户带来的价值。我们曾代表不同当事方共同办理了很多案件，每次我都想：‘真希望他是我们这一方的。’现在这真的变成了现实，我为此深感欣喜。”

刘骁表示：“昆鹰拥有全球顶尖的跨国诉讼团队。我和昆鹰对于在中国的业务定位完全一致：协助中国企业积极应对在美国的诉讼和政府执法案件、协助跨国企业平稳地在中国开展业务，昆鹰为这一业务搭建了理想的平台。”

刘骁是哈佛法学院的法律博士 (JD)、剑桥大学的法学硕士 (LLM)、北京大学的法学学士。刘骁曾在中国最高人民法院民四庭实习半年，还曾在纽约的 Cravath, Swaine & Moore 律师事务所执业，直到五年前回国在 Skadden 执业。钱伯斯法律评级机构评论刘骁因其“在 FCPA 调查和政府执法案件中的专业素养”而被视为中国法律市场的一颗新星；《中国法律业务年鉴》也把刘骁选为 2018 年度最佳新秀律师奖项的候选人之一。刘骁的母语是中文、英语流利。

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昆鹰是一家在全球拥有 780 多名律师、22 个办公室的商事诉讼律师事务所，是世界上最大的专注于商事诉讼和仲裁的律师事务所。本所律师累计已办理了 2,600 多起开庭审判的案件，胜率达 88%。代表被告时，昆鹰的律师为客户赢得条件更有利的和解或者被告胜诉的判决。代表原告时，昆鹰通过胜诉判决以及和解已累计为客户赢得了超过 600 亿美元。昆鹰已经累计赢得了五个 9 位数的陪审团判决、三十四 9 位数的和解以及十五个 10 位数的和解。FTI Consulting 把昆鹰评为世界上最大的诉讼律师事务所。《美国律师杂志(The American Lawyer)》称赞昆鹰是美国最顶尖的知识产权诉讼事务所和美国最强的六家商事诉讼事务所之一。过去五

年中，昆鷹曾四次被评为《财富》500 强企业的法务总监“最忌惮”的（即他们最不意见到代表对方当事人的）四家律师事务所之一。英国的《律师(The Lawyer)》杂志把昆鷹评为“年度最佳国际律师事务所”。法律 360(Law360)曾把昆鷹的反垄断、上诉、银行金融、集团诉讼、保险、产品责任、知识产权、白领犯罪和开庭团队分别评为各自领域的“年度最佳业务团队”。《知产管理(Managing IP)》曾两次认定昆鷹拥有“最佳国际贸易委员会诉讼业务”，并颁给昆鷹“西部最佳专利争议”奖。《法律业务(Legal Business)》曾三次把我们评为“年度最佳美国律师事务所”，我们的德国办公室则被德国最受尊敬的法律期刊《JUVE》评为年度最佳知识产权诉讼事务所和年度最佳专利诉讼事务所。报道全球白领犯罪调查的著名法律期刊《全球调查评论(Global Investigations Review)》把我们评为“年度最令人印象深刻的调查业务团队”。《全球仲裁评论(Global Arbitration Review)》把我们的仲裁业务排在全球第十一位。更多的信息请查阅 www.quinnemanuel.com。