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Vinson & Elkins Expands Tax Capabilities with Addition of Sheri Dillon in D.C.

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On May 12, 2014, Vinson & Elkins announced that Sheri A. Dillon has joined as a partner in Washington, D.C. Dillon represents clients in a wide variety of federal tax controversy matters, with a particular focus on partnership tax issues. For examination of key elements of partnership taxation, see [“Use by Hedge Fund Managers of Profits Interests and Other Equity Stakes for Incentive Compensation,”](#) Hedge Fund Law Report, Vol. 7, No. 15 (Apr. 18, 2014). For more on tax treatment of partnerships see [“Hedge Fund Tax Experts Discuss Allocations of Gains and Losses, Contributions to and Distributions of Property from a Fund, Expense Pass-Throughs and K-1 Preparation at FRA/HFBOA Seminar \(Part One of Four\),”](#) Hedge Fund Law Report, Vol. 7, No. 2 (Jan. 16, 2014). Dillon joins from Bingham McCutchen LLP, where she previously practiced with Gary Huffman and Joe Garcia, who joined V&E in January 2013.

Dillon’s clients include various hedge/private equity funds, REITs, high net worth individuals and multinationals and their business interests. For more on multinational tax issues, see [“Potential Impact on US Hedge Fund Managers of the Reform of the UK Tax Regime Relating to Partnerships and Limited Liability Partnerships,”](#) Hedge Fund Law Report, Vol. 7, No. 10 (Mar. 13, 2014); and [“What Should Hedge Fund Managers Understand About Transfer Pricing and How to Manage the Related Risks?,”](#) Hedge Fund Law Report, Vol. 6, No. 42 (Nov. 1, 2013).

Dillon guides clients through IRS audits and administrative appeals. And when matters cannot be favorably resolved administratively, Dillon has represented clients litigating in the U.S. Tax Court, the U.S. Court of Federal Claims and the federal district and appeals courts. Additionally, she advises on a wide range of tax planning matters involving acquisitions, dispositions, combinations and debt restructuring and reorganizations.

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