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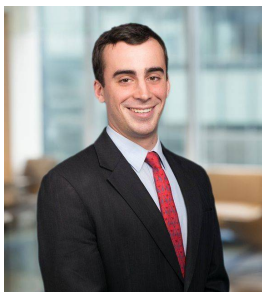
In an article for *Pratt’s Cybersecurity Law Report*, Partner Jacob Alderdice and Associates Billy Goldstein and Elizabeth Avunjian survey the thorny issues involving attorney-client privileged documents that can arise in disputes between buyers and sellers after a merger or acquisition has closed.

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In the article, the authors analyze contractual provisions and default rules concerning control of privileged deal communications as well as practical considerations for tackling these issues in discovery.

“When buyer’s counsel must process potentially seller-privileged documents through discovery, difficult issues can arise around the identification and review of such documents,” the authors write. “These issues can be managed through careful planning and, ideally, cordial collaboration among opposing parties.”

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