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Blackstone to Acquire Tricon Residential Inc. in US\$3.5-Billion Cross-Border Transaction

Davies is acting as counsel to Blackstone, one of the world's leading investment firms, in its US\$3.5-billion take-private acquisition of Tricon Residential Inc., an owner, operator and developer of approximately 38,000 homes in the U.S. Sun Belt and multi-family apartments in Toronto.

Under Blackstone's ownership, Tricon plans to complete its \$1-billion development pipeline of new single-family rental homes in the United States and \$2.5 billion of new apartments in Canada (together with existing joint venture partners).

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