King & Spalding’s Data, Privacy and Security (DPS) team counsels clients on a broad range of legal issues faced by multinational organizations, including global privacy programs, data protection and cybersecurity assessments, crisis management in responding to internal and external privacy and data security incidents, health information governance and compliance, and defending clients in regulatory enforcement proceedings and class action litigation. The team consists of “boots on the ground” crisis managers, technical professionals, former government lawyers, and litigators to manage and coordinate fast-moving and complex investigations and logistics during and after an incident. We assist clients with preparing for, responding to, and recovering from data privacy and security incidents.

The King & Spalding DPS practice is best known for:

- Experienced crisis and security incident response managers;
- Former government lawyers who balance the demands of cooperating with law enforcement, responding to regulator investigations, and vigorously defending enforcement actions when necessary;
- Bona fide trial attorneys with track records of successfully defending data breach and privacy class actions and litigation; and
- Seasoned counselors and technical professionals who apply the “real world” to data privacy and cybersecurity governance.

Cases & Deals

**August 3, 2020**  
Global Payments Inc. Completes Cloud Migration Deal with Amazon Web Services

**July 9, 2020**  
Postmates Wins Dismissal With Prejudice of Nationwide TCPA/Robo-texting Class Action
Sonatype Enters Into Acquisition Agreement With Vista Equity Partners

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Ransomware: To Pay or Not to Pay?

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The "Improving Digital Identity Act of 2020" Presents Bipartisan Digital Identity Infrastructure Reform

ARTICLE
September 7, 2020
Cyber Risk and the Corporate Response to COVID-19

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT
November 12, 2020
Rod Rosenstein, Ronni Solomon to Speak on Georgetown Law’s Virtual 2020 Global Advanced E-Discovery Institute

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Ronni Solomon to Speak at Tenth Annual E-Discovery Institute Leadership Summit

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Phyllis Sumner discusses effective tabletop exercises that are being used to address cyber threats

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Rob Dedman explains why the U.K. plan that would require a broader range of financial institutions to annually submit details on their anti-money laundering programs will challenge cryptocurrency exchanges and certain other financial-technology firms

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K&S advises Equifax on its request to a Georgia federal court to enforce a $380M settlement