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Howard Berk is a Senior Advisor to BDT & MSD Partners and previous Vice Chair of MSD Partners. He joined MSD Capital in 2002 as a Partner and has overseen both public and private equity. MSD Capital is an investment firm formed to manage the capital of Michael Dell and his family. From 1998 to 2002, Mr. Berk was the Managing Director of TG Capital Corp., a single-family investment office investing across all asset classes. From 1995 to 1998, Mr. Berk was with the Stenbeck Group, a family controlled holding company, where he acquired and managed businesses in multiple countries. Prior to that, he was with Goldman Sachs & Co., where he worked in the Principal Investment Area (Private Equity) and previously in the Mergers and Acquisitions department. At Goldman Sachs, Mr. Berk worked in New York as well as Hong Kong and Singapore where he cofounded Goldman's non-Japan Asia private equity business.

Mr. Berk serves on the Board of Directors of UTIMCO and is Chair of The University of Texas McCombs School of Business Dean's Advisory Council. He has served on The University of Texas Development Board Executive Committee and was Past Chair and a founding member of New York for McCombs. He is on The Humane Society of the United States National Council and serves on the boards of White Plains Hospital and Dine Brands Global (NYSE: DIN).

Mr. Berk graduated from The University of Texas with a BBA in Finance and received an MBA from Harvard Business School.

Mr. Berk lives in New York with his wife Wendy (The University of Texas BS in Journalism) and has three daughters in Austin.