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# Deal announcement

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## About the engagement

KPMG Corporate Finance LLC, assisted by KPMG Corporate Finance Australia, advised E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company ("DuPont") on the divestiture of its Australian agribusiness, Pioneer Hi-Bred Australia Pty Ltd to New Zealand's Philip Yates Family Holdings.

The key factors supporting this transaction included our ability to deliver a team of experienced global, cross border M&A execution capabilities, direct industry experience and strong U.S. and Australian transaction teams, which were integral in overcoming the unique challenges associated with a cross border transaction.

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