

## Auspex Capital Facilitates the Sale of Thirteen Restaurants

**M&A ADVISORY**

Franchisee of



**13 Restaurants**

Sell-side M&A Advisory

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### The Transaction:

Aksan United Fortune, Inc. ("Aksan"), a San Antonio, TX based YUM! Brands franchisee owned and operated by Erik Moosa, has sold its 13 high-volume San Francisco Bay area Taco Bell restaurants to Golden Gate Bell, LLC. Nine of the restaurants are stand alone Taco Bells and four are Taco Bell/Pizza Hut co-brands. The transaction also included four fee properties. With the acquisition, Golden Gate Bell owns and operates 85 Taco Bell restaurants and is the brand's largest California franchisee. Auspex Capital acted as the sell-side M&A advisor for the transaction.

### The Advisor:

Auspex Capital is a boutique investment banking and financial advisory firm specializing in the restaurant industry. Auspex's services include buy-side and sell-side M&A advisory, debt placement, asset valuation, institutional private equity and mezzanine placement, sale lease-back structuring and placement and financial restructuring. For more information or for a no-cost evaluation of your business, please call Chris Kelleher at 562-424-2455 or email at [ckelleher@auspexcapital.com](mailto:ckelleher@auspexcapital.com).