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After the lean years, it is merger and acquisition time again. But what about all those young lawyers and investment bankers who never heard the deal jargon? Luckily there is a "white knight". Rick Climan, lawyer at Californian law firm Cooley Godward, is preparing an "M&A Deal Maker's Dictionary". So no excuse for not understanding "dead-hand provisions", or a "forward triangular merger". And in these scandal-ridden days, who doesn't need to know exactly what "insider information" is? Europe Edition 1.

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