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In general, the size of the corporate secretary's department has grown over the years as the responsibilities have grown immensely - and the position is garnering the type of respect it deserves. Still, it's often not seen as a "profit center" as most compliance departments are not. If the corporate secretary's department is tasked with some of the fast-growing ESG responsibilities that companies now have, we can expect these departments to be adding staff in the near-term...

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