

Seaman's Attempted \$64 Million Settlement of Badlands Litigation Implodes

Law Firm ManagementLas Vegas City Councilwoman Victoria Seaman must be crestfallen. Her best efforts to hand a local developer and political benefactor a bale of money to call off the dogs of

Layoffs Instead Of Special Bonuses? Biglaw Firms Strike Fear of Unemployment into Associates Hearts

Law Firm ManagementEarlier this week, we provided special coverage of what we believe was the first firm to hand out special bonuses to associates this summer. Littler, an Am Law 100 firm, handed out

James Jorgensen Named New

Vice President for Legal Affairs and General Counsel

Law Firm Management James D. Jorgensen, senior counsel at Husch Blackwell LLP in Denver, Colorado, has been named the new vice president for legal affairs and general counsel at the University of

Sears Holdings Reaches \$175M Settlement with Lampert and Company

Law Firm Management After nearly four years in bankruptcy, Sears Holdings and its one-time creditors said they have reached a settlement with its former CEO and majority owner Eddie Lampert and

BCBS \$2.7 Billion Settlement Receives Final Approval

Law Firm Management A long-running \$2.7 billion antitrust settlement against Blue Cross Blue Shield has been finalized in federal court. U.S. District Court Judge R. David Proctor in Alabama handed up the

The Biglaw Firms Where Women are Most Satisfied With Their Jobs (2022)

Law Firm ManagementWhat does it take to cultivate job satisfaction at a law firm? In a new report from BTI Consulting, associates pointed out exactly what they wanted from and valued in their work lives,

OU President Joseph Harroz Appoints New Vice President and General Counsel

Law Firm ManagementArmand Paliotta, a two-time alumnus of OU, will become the new vice president and general counsel starting on Oct. 1, pending approval from the OU Board of Regents. OU President

Boies, Hausfeld Among Law

Firms Reaping \$667 Mln Windfall in Blue Cross Antitrust Case

Law Firm ManagementBoies Schiller Flexner, Hausfeld and other law firms will split more than \$667 million in attorneys' fees and costs for work on long-running antitrust litigation involving Blue Cross Blue

U.S. Trustee Drops Appeal Challenging \$21 Mln Le Clair Ryan Settlement

Law Firm ManagementThe U.S. Justice Department has dismissed its own appeal challenging a \$21 million settlement between the trustee overseeing the dissolution of defunct law firm Le Clair Ryan and

Biglaw Firm Announces Summer Special Bonuses

Law Firm ManagementFolks sure are worried about the economy, given that we're in a technical recession right now. But in the wonderful world of Biglaw, the money still seems to be

flowing quite freely,

Savills North America Appoints New General Counsel

Law Firm Management Savills has named James Repking its general counsel in North America, effective August 1. Repking, formerly associate general counsel, will succeed retiring General Counsel and

Facebook Internet Tracking Litigation \$90M Class Action Settlement

Law Firm Management Facebook, now known as Meta Platforms, agreed to pay \$90 million to resolve claims alleging unlawful user tracking on non-Facebook websites. The settlement benefits people who

Nationwide Anti-Robocall Litigation Task Force Created to Fight Estimated \$29.8B in Scam Call Theft

Law Firm ManagementA new nationwide Anti-Robocall Litigation Task Force has been created, looking to crack down on the calls that lead to an estimated \$29.8 billion stolen through scam calls each year,

Biglaw Firms Brace for Possible Recession

Law Firm ManagementFor those working in Biglaw, there was nothing “great” about the Great Recession. Thousands of associates were laid off, incoming associates had their employment deferred, and law students

PPG Appoints Joe Gette Vice President, Deputy General

Counsel and Secretary

Law Firm ManagementPPG announced that Joe Gette, currently assistant general counsel, mergers and acquisitions (M&A), and securities, will become vice president, deputy general counsel and secretary

Fairlife Milk Cow Mistreatment \$21M Class Action Settlement

Law Firm ManagementFairlife, parent company Coca-Cola and other defendants agreed to pay \$21 million to resolve claims that they lied to consumers about mistreating cows. The settlement benefits consumers

Champlain Towers South Collapse \$1B Class Action Settlement

Law Firm ManagementSurvivors and bereaved family members secured a settlement of over \$1 billion in their class action lawsuit over the 2021 collapse of Champlain Towers South. The settlement benefits a

SEC takes shots at meme stocks, retail trading, and crypto bros in a PSA. Reddit responds that it's victim blaming

FinanceThe Securities and Exchange Commission just revealed that it thinks meme stocks are a joke—and took some shots at crypto bros while it was at it. Retail trading communities

Corporate Landlords are Taking Over NYC—The Numbers Don't Lie

Law Firm ManagementThis month, New York City's Rent Guidelines Board is expected to greenlight the biggest rent increase in a decade, the latest piece of bad news for tenants facing a record housing

Service Titan Deepens its Executive Team, Appointing Olive Huang as General Counsel

Law Firm ManagementService Titan, a software platform built to power the trades, today welcomed two seasoned leaders to its executive team: Olive Huang as General Counsel and Secretary of the Board