

FisherBroyles Adds Stuart A. Panensky to its Princeton, NJ Office

News

Stuart Panensky joins FisherBroyles, LLP as a partner in the Cyber-Risk; Privacy & Data Security practice group. He is a business attorney and commercial litigator based in the firm's Princeton, N.J., office.

DLA Piper Adds Two Partners to Litigation Practice in Dallas

News

Jason Lewis and Jason Hopkins have joined DLA Piper's Litigation practice as partners in Dallas.

Financial Lawyer Cynthia Harkness Joins Foley

News

Foley Gardere LLP announced that Cynthia Harkness has joined the firm's Finance practice as Of Counsel in the Austin

office.

Facebook Could Face Record Fine, Say Former FTC Officials

News

Facebook could face fines of \$1 billion or more for the company's mishaps with user data, says the former head of the FTC's bureau of consumer protection.

Renewable Energy Deals Targeted for More Scrutiny in New Trade Report

Insight

Even investments in renewable energy businesses may be affected by this broadening of interest in the industry, and should be considered by parties as part of deal due diligence and negotiations of investment and acquisition agreements, according to Morgan, Lewis & Bockius.

Using Your Professional Bio to Impress Potential Law Firm Clients

Insight

Muse Communications' Bruce Vincent says the key is making sure that what you say about yourself is well written, organized, and presented in a way that will impress the people who see it.

The Storm After the Storm: Restoration Contracts

Insight

An article in Gray Reed & McGraw's Texas Construction Law Blog offers some steps cleaning and restoration professionals can take in an effort to minimize the damage from a payment dispute with a client after a natural disaster.

What Provisions are Typical in a Separation Agreement?

Insight

Daniel Schwartz, writing for Shipman & Goodwin's employment law blog, provides a handy list of typical provisions in a

separation agreement between an employer and an employee.

Estes Thorne & Carr Celebrates 10th Anniversary as One of North Texas' Largest Women-Owned Law Firms

News

Estes Thorne & Carr PLLC is celebrating its 10th anniversary as one of the largest women-owned law firms in North Texas.

Making Opioid Antidote Widely Available a Key Step in Treatment

News

Dallas attorney Jeffrey Simon says U.S. Surgeon General Jerome Adams' call for more Americans to carry the opioid antidote naloxone is one that could save countless lives, and play a key role in addiction recovery.

Hunton Andrews Kurth Promotes 14 to Partner

News

Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP (formerly Hunton & Williams and Andrews Kurth Kenyon) began its new fiscal year on April 1 with the promotion of 14 lawyers to partner.

PwC Faces Largest-Ever Auditor Malpractice Damages Verdict

News

The judge in the case has already ruled that PwC had been professionally negligent in not detecting the criminal fraud that led to the failure of Colonial Bank Group in 2009.

JPMorgan Juror Says Doomed \$8 Billion Award Was Message to Bank

News

Bloomberg reports that the jury award was the largest of 2017 and the ninth-largest in U.S. history.

Target Pays \$3.7M to Settle Lawsuit Over Racial Disparity in Use of Criminal Background Checks

News

As part of the settlement of the class-action complaint, independent consultants will recommend changes to Target's current screening guidelines, *The Minneapolis Star Tribune* reports.

Will You Agree to an Inclusion Rider?

Insight

Sophisticated employers have used established goals as a tool toward implementing equal employment opportunity objectives, steering clear of applying goals like quotas, according to Barnes & Thornburg.

Webinar: What Every Lawyer Needs to Know About Open Source Software

Webinar, April 18, 2018, 12 p.m. CDT

Data shows that most companies are significantly undercounting their use of open source software (OSS), leading to potential legal and security concerns that need to be respected, monitored, and – if needed – resolved.

M&A 101: Key Concepts in Non-Disclosure Agreements

Insight

Not all information shared between a buyer and seller should be considered confidential, and NDAs define the boundaries of what shared information will be confidential, according to Faegre Baker Daniels.

Mueller's Assurances That Trump is Not a 'Target' Don't

Mean Much

News

Mueller may not be able to secure an indictment against a sitting president, but his report could serve as a trigger to impeachment proceedings, Politico reports.

DLA Piper Disputes Claims About Lawyers Exiting for McDermott

News

DLA Piper is pushing back on reports that about 50 lawyers across the country were leaving the legal behemoth for Chicago-based McDermott and taking \$100 million in revenue with them.

Facebook Privacy Scandal Unleashes Nationwide 'Litigation Swarm'

News

Damages could be substantial for shareholders, with one group of investors estimating that at least \$50 billion in the company's market capitalization has been wiped out as a result

of the disclosure, Bloomberg Technology reports.