Dallas Insurance, Litigation Firm Perry Law PC Celebrates Fifth Anniversary

News

Dallas-based Perry Law P.C. announced the celebration of the insurance coverage and litigation firm’s fifth anniversary.

Ex-DOJ Counsel Sentenced for Shakedown Scam with Whistleblower Files

News

The scheme was an attempt to woo potential clients and increase his earnings and standing in his new role as a defense lawyer for one of Washington’s most influential law firms, according to prosecutors and admissions by Jeffrey Wertkin, reports *The Washington Post*.

Berkshire’s National Indemnity Ordered to Pay $43

Million for Asbestos Settlement

News

National Indemnity provided general liability insurance to the state at the time of the alleged exposure, but it had argued those insurance policies didn’t cover the asbestos-related claims, according to MarketWatch.

Wynn Resorts Settles Lawsuit for $2.4B Over Forced Redemption of Shares

News

The legal fight between the companies dates back to 2012, when Wynn Resorts pushed out Universal’s founder Kazuo Okada after finding the Japanese tycoon made improper payments to overseas gambling regulators, reports the AP.

Making Sure Your Website is Compliant with State Bar of

Texas Ad Rules

Insight

Making sure a firm's website is compliant with State Bar of Texas advertising rules is just one of the many responsibilities for Texas lawyers and law firms who are launching a new site or updating an existing site, according to Muse Commuinications.

Avoiding Prosecution Churn: When Ex Parte PTAB Appeals Make Dollars and Sense

Webinar, March 21, 2018, 11 a.m. CDT

Fitch, Even, Tabin & Flannery LLP will present a free webinar, "Avoiding Prosecution Churn: When Ex Parte PTAB Appeals Make Dollars and Sense," featuring Fitch Even partner Thomas F. Lebens and Anticipat founder Trent Ostler.

Negotiating a Data Processing Contract

Insight

Watch out for services with terms longer than the other services in the agreement and ensure that any added services

terminate at the same time as the master agreement, advises Fredrikson & Byron.

Add One Line in Employment Contracts to Reduce Exposure to Misclassification Liability

Insight

A Kelley Drye blog post suggests the use of one simple sentence in employment contracts, handbooks and policies for salaried employees that would likely reduce exposure by approximately two-thirds in FLSA cases.

Tips for Raising Venture Capital: Commercial Contract Issues

Insight

It is important to address the critical intellectual property rights issues that will allow the protection of an idea in the commercial market, warns DLA Piper partner Jeff Lehrer.

Littler Adds Litigator Charles H. Wilson in Houston

News

Littler Mendelson has added Charles Wilson as a shareholder in its Houston office. He previously served as Vice Chair, Office Managing Partner at Cozen O'Connor's Houston office and was a member of the labor and employment department.

E-Discovery Software: A How-To Guide for In-House Legal Departments

Insight

In the guide, three in-house e-discovery experts share their experiences leading e-discovery procurement and implementation projects.

Outside Counsel Industry

Rankings: Which Biglaw Firms Are Best For Your Specific Company?

News

The report is based on Above the Law's Outside Counsel rankings, a broad overview of the 50 firms in-house counsel trust the most when they need outside help.

Dead Law Firm's Estate Can't Collect Fees, California Court Says

News

The bankrupt law firm's estate brought suit against 49 law firms to recover millions of dollars it said were owed from legal work that the firm's former partners had taken with them.

Five Ways the Senate Plans to Roll Back Regulations on Wall

Street

News

If made into law, the legislation would weaken the Dodd-Frank Act and would free dozens of financial institutions from the strictest rules put in place by regulators after the crisis, according to *The Washington Post*.

Five Steps for Directors, Execs to Stay Abreast of Technological Innovation

Insight

The article, from *NACD Directorship* magazine, suggests five steps for boards and executives to become better versed in cutting-edge technologies.

Litigator Len Wade Joins Jackson Walker

News

Jackson Walker announced that Len A. Wade has joined the firm as a partner in the Fort Worth office. Wade has experience as a trial lawyer, mediator, arbitrator, and judge.

FisherBroyles Welcomes New Partner Eric B. Meyer to Philadelphia Office

News

New FisherBroyles LLP Philadelphia partner Eric B. Meyer is a member of the firm’s employment law and litigation practice groups. He also produces the employment law blog,The Employer Handbook.

Neal Gerber Eisenberg Adds Wesley Nissen as Partner in Corporate & Securities Group

News

Chicago law firm Neal Gerber Eisenberg (NGE) has added Wesley Nissen as a partner in its Corporate & Securities practice. Nissen joins from law firm DLA Piper where he was partner and chair of the financial services practice group.

Segal McCambridge Opens Office in Houston

News

Segal McCambridge Singer and Mahoney, Ltd. has opened an office in Houston, Texas with the addition of shareholder Mark Willingham, who will manage the new office.

Barnes & Thornburg Expands in California With Launch of San Diego Office

News

Barnes & Thornburg LLP has announced the opening of an office in San Diego headed by California attorney Troy Zander, who will serve as partner-in-charge.