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# Cohen Seglias Adds Financial Services and Real Estate Attorney William M. Buchanan to Pittsburgh Office

AnnouncementsCohen Seglias is pleased to announce that William Buchanan has joined the firm as a partner in the Pittsburgh office. He is a member of the Financial Services and Real Estate Groups.

#### Venable Represents Glass

# House Brands Inc. in Its Acquisition of Plus Products, a Leading California Edibles Brand

AnnouncementsVenable LLP represented Glass House Brands Inc., one of the fastest-growing vertically integrated cannabis and hemp companies in the United States, in its acquisition of Plus Products Holdings, Inc., a leading cannabis edibles company based in California.

# IADC Extends Strategic Partnership with CPR for Alternative Dispute Resolution Services

AnnouncementsThe International Association of Defense Counsel (IADC) has extended for two years its strategic, cross-promotional partnership with the International Institute for Conflict Prevention and Resolution (CPR).

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### Buchalter Welcomes New Shareholder in Portland

AnnouncementsBuchalter is pleased to welcome new Shareholder Leah Lively in the Firm's Portland office as a member of the Labor & Employment Practice Group.

#### Bradley's Jennifer Morrison Ersin Named Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Fellow

AnnouncementsBradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP attorney Jennifer Morrison Ersin has been named a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (CIArb), making her the only Fellow based in Mississippi.

Steptoe Welcomes Surface Transportation Board and Association of American Railroads Insider: Timothy Strafford

AnnouncementsTimothy Strafford joins Steptoe from Association of American Railroads

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### Securities Enforcement Partner Jim Lundy Joins Foley

AnnouncementsFoley & Lardner LLP announced that Jim Lundy has joined the firm's Chicago office as a partner in its Litigation Department and Securities Enforcement & Litigation Practice Group. Lundy brings over two decades of SEC enforcement experience, including 12 years at the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

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## Semmes Principal Imran Shaukat Elected Director of Maritime Law Association of the United States

AnnouncementsSemmes principal Imran Shaukat has been elected to serve a three-year term as director of the Maritime Law Association of the United States(MLA).

## Womble Bond Dickinson Expands Patent Prosecution Practice in Houston and Raleigh

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#### RumbergerKirk Partner Rob Blank Joins the Federation of

#### Defense and Corporate Counsel

AnnouncementsRumbergerKirk is pleased to announce that Partner Rob Blank has been invited to become a member of the Federation of Defense and Corporate Counsel (FDCC).

Grossman Young & Hammond Welcomes Top Federal Litigator, Nationally Recognized EB-5 Attorney, and Thought Leader on Extraordinary Immigrants

AnnouncementsPartner Patrick Taurel and of counsel attorneys David Morris and Sheryl Winarick have joined Internationally recognized immigration law firm Grossman Young & Hammond (GYH).

Martin Walker Team Recognized on National List Honoring

### Leading Plaintiff Consumer Lawyers

AnnouncementsAll three attorneys at Martin Walker PC have earned a place on Lawdragon's list of 500 Leading Plaintiff Consumer Lawyers for 2022. The ranking by the legal media publication recognizes top attorneys who specialize in consumer-focused litigation.

## Chamberlain Hrdlicka Continues To Expand In Atlanta

AnnouncementsChamberlain Hrdlicka welcomes Senior Associate John Nail and Associate Reed Turry to the firm's Atlanta office.