Minnesota Firm to Pay Utah State Board of Education $3.3M After Tech Issues Botched Student Testing

AnnouncementsA Minnesota company will pay the Utah State Board of Education more than $3.3 million to settle claims stemming from technical issues that plagued the administration of statewide RISE testing

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Turner Padget Shareholder Nickisha Woodward Elected To American Board of Trial Advocates

AnnouncementsTurner Padget is pleased to announce that Charleston office Shareholder Nickisha Woodward has been named an associate member of the American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) Charleston Chapter.

Akerman Expands Corporate Practice Group with Partner Timothy Bramwell in Jacksonville

AnnouncementsTop 100 U.S. law firm Akerman LLP is pleased to announce that it has expanded its Corporate Practice Group with partner Timothy Bramwell in Jacksonville. Bramwell focuses his practice on public finance and health care finance, including related securities and tax matters.

New NABL president Ann Fillingham focuses efforts on muni legislation

AnnouncementsThe National Association of Bond Lawyers is putting its efforts behind the industrywide push for the muni industry’s priorities to be included in the infrastructure and reconciliation bills currently passing through Congress. Ann Fillingham, director of regulated industries at Dykema, who becomes NABL’s president this week, discussed the group’s priorities as the agency kicks off its annual Workshop conference in a dual in-person and virtual format.

Lewis Roca Launches Renewable Energy End-of-Life Planning Group

AnnouncementsLewis Roca announced the formation of its Renewable Energy End-of-Life Planning Group.

Neal Gerber Eisenberg Adds Corporate Partner Elliott Blanchard

AnnouncementsNeal Gerber Eisenberg hired Elliot Blanchard to their Corporate & Securities practice group.

Turner Padget Continues Growth In Greenville With An Addition To The Insurance Industry Team

AnnouncementsTurner Padget is pleased to announce the addition of Dallas C. Meacham, associate, to the Litigation practice group in Greenville.

Blank Rome Welcomes New Matrimonial & Family Law Of Counsel in Fort Lauderdale

AnnouncementsBlank Rome LLP is pleased to announce that Holly W. Kimmel has joined the firm’s nationally recognized Matrimonial & Family Law practice group as of counsel in the Fort Lauderdale, FL, office.

Biglaw Firm Gives Associates A Major Halloween Treat in the Form of Raises

AnnouncementsHappy Halloween, associates! One Biglaw firm just gave its associates the best treat of all raises. That’s right, it’s the end of October and law firms are still handing out raises. Which firm is the latest

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Fox Corporation Names Stephen

Potenza Deputy General Counsel of Fox News Media

AnnouncementsFox Corporation today announced that Stephen Potenza has joined the company as Deputy General Counsel of Fox News Media. Potenza will report to Bernard Gugar, General Counsel and Executive

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Locast to Pay $32M to Broadcasters to Settle Copyright Lawsuit

AnnouncementsA case that began with hype that someone had finally cracked the code for delivering free and legal broadcast streaming is ending with a $32 million payment of copyright damages to ABC, CBS, Fox

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County to Consider $2.5-Million Settlement with Families in Kobe Bryant Crash

Photo Suits

AnnouncementsThe Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors will consider approving a $2.5-million settlement for two families suing over the unauthorized sharing of photos of the Kobe Bryant helicopter

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Gentry Locke Welcomes Five Attorneys in Roanoke and Richmond

AnnouncementsGentry Locke is pleased to announce the addition of five new lawyers. Jasdeep Singh Khaira and Patrice L. Lewis in Richmond, and Charlie D. Morrison, Haley D. Santos and William L. Spotswood in Roanoke.

Lyons & Simmons Attorneys Earn DTLA John Howie Award: ‘I had a team of warriors fighting for me’

AnnouncementsThe trial lawyers of Lyons & Simmons have been awarded the Dallas Trial Lawyers Association’s prestigious 2021 John Howie Award.

Michael Best Welcomes Jordan Koss, Kenneth Rosenzweig, and Ashley Cross to Chicago, Denver Offices

AnnouncementsMichael Best LLP today announced the addition of Partner Jordan Koss, Senior Associate Kenneth Rosenzweig, and Associate Ashley Cross to the firm.

Former DOJ Trial Attorney Joseph Rillotta Joins Miller & Chevalier

AnnouncementsJoseph Rillotta has joined Miller & Chevalier's DC office as a member in the firm's Litigation practice. Joseph brings in significant experience in both prosecution and defense, having served as a trial attorney with the DOJ Tax Division as well as Counselor to the Commissioner of the IRS. He has represented clients in white collar criminal matters, public corruption and procurement fraud allegations, environmental and regulatory infractions, FCPA violations, as well as civil litigation in the U.S. Tax Court challenging IRS assessments and defending FCA matters.

At Miller & Chevalier, Joseph will support clients in an array

of tax and white-collar matters, including cross-border transactions and investigations related to potentially illicit financial activity.

Leveraging Separate IPR Counsel to Maximize Litigation Success

AnnouncementsFitch, Even, Tabin & Flannery LLP will present a free webinar, “Leveraging Separate IPR Counsel to Maximize Litigation Success,” featuring Fitch Even partners Timothy P. Maloney and Paul B. Henkelmann.

Accomplished Tax Attorney Daniel Lorenzen Rejoins Venable’s Estate Planning Group in Los Angeles

AnnouncementsVenable LLP is pleased to announce that Daniel C. Lorenzen has rejoined the firm as a partner in the Estate Planning Group in the Los Angeles office. Mr. Lorenzen advises clients on the full range of estate planning issues, including preparing wills and trusts, tax planning, business succession, and family wealth transfers.

Top 20 Biglaw Firm Encourages Associates to Bill for Diversity Work and Community Service

AnnouncementsBiglaw firms across the country are implementing all manner of initiatives to bring attention to the importance of diversity, equity, and inclusion among their ranks. We've previously acknowledged

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Ex-Biden, Facebook Attorney Joining Shopify as General Counsel

AnnouncementsShopify Inc. has hired Jessica Hertz, who stepped down this month from her role as cabinet secretary for President Joe Biden, to be its general counsel. Hertz, who will start her new role in November, made