

Bruce Joins Buchalter as Shareholder in San Francisco Office

Buchalter proudly welcomes Bruce Kelson as a Shareholder in its San Francisco office, where he joins the firm's Litigation and Securities Practice Groups.

"We're excited to have Bruce on board," said Adam Bass, President and CEO of Buchalter. "His deep experience in high-stakes securities litigation and regulatory matters brings immediate value to our clients navigating today's complex legal landscape."

Kelson's practice spans securities litigation and complex commercial disputes. He represents both U.S. and international clients in various industries, including financial services, real estate, venture capital, software, and technology. His work includes defending clients in SEC, FINRA, and other regulatory investigations, as well as handling internal investigations and enforcement actions.

He is also well-versed in securities class actions, shareholder derivative lawsuits, M&A disputes, director and officer liability, corporate governance issues, antitrust, and employment litigation, bringing a comprehensive view to high-stakes legal challenges.

"Buchalter's national presence and respected litigation team give me the platform to grow and better serve my clients," said Kelson. "The firm's collaborative and entrepreneurial environment is a perfect match for my practice."

Kelson has successfully appeared before federal and state courts, as well as arbitral forums, in California, New York, Delaware, and several other key jurisdictions.

“Bruce brings a strategic and thoughtful approach to litigation,” added Matthew Covington, Office Managing Shareholder in San Francisco. “His addition strengthens both our local and firmwide litigation capabilities.”

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Bruce’s addition to Buchalter’s San Francisco office follows a series of similar hires across the country, such as Steven Mroczkowski joining Buchalter as Shareholder in Chicago.

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