Firearms Industry: Supreme Court’s Pass on Sandy Hook Gun Case Presages Litigation Onslaught

News

The firearms industry, gun owners, the National Rifle Association and states that strongly back gun rights gave the Supreme Court doomsday warnings about potential litigation.

7th Circuit Benchslap: Lawyer’s ‘Gibberish’ in Brief Draws Sanction Threat

News

The court found the brief to be “chock-full of impenetrable arguments and unsupported assertions, and it is organized in ways that escape our understanding.”

Fake Mineral Leases Thwarted

by the Texas Legislature

Insight

The 2019 Texas legislature enacted a new Property Code Section 5.152 to protect mineral and royalty owners from a certain species of fraudulent transactions.

Drafting Representations and Warranties in a Contract

Insight

D.C. Toedt III, writing in the On Contracts blog, offers some lessons for drafting representations and warranties in contracts.

Trump Flips Second Circuit With Controversial Judge

News

Menashi’s dodging of questions during his confirmation hearing before the Senate Judiciary Committee stirred controversy in the Senate.

East Texas Attorneys Secure $1.9m Jury Verdict in West Texas Courtroom.

News

Jurors in Ward County, Texas, came back with a $1.9m verdict against Go Rhino Trucking, LLC.

Supreme Court Leans Toward Trump Plan to End DACA Program for Nearly 700K Undocumented Immigrants

News

Nearly 700,000 young, undocumented immigrants who now live and work in the USA without fear of deportation could lose their protection.

Facing Investigation, Giuliani Needed a Lawyer, but

Firms Stayed Away

News

At least four prominent attorneys declined to represent President Trump’s personal lawyer for various reasons.

Trump Tax Return Case Confronts Supreme Court With a Momentous Choice

News

The court can agree to hear the case and rule by June, or it simply can deny review, leaving in place the appeals court ruling and effectively requiring Trump’s accountants to turn over his tax returns.

Conspiracy Theorist Loses Case Against Robert Mueller

News

A federal judge dismissed a lawsuit against former special counsel Robert Mueller, rejecting a conspiracy theorist’s claim that Mueller pressured him to commit perjury.

Another Trump Judicial Pick Rated Unqualified Advances

News

Three other federal district court nominees also advanced, but action on two controversial appeals court picks was again deferred.

Appellate Justice in Houston Serving With Alzheimer's Disease, Records Show

News

Documents filed in probate court indicate that she received an official diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease in October.

DLA Piper Turns Sex-Assault Probe Back on Accuser: Cites

Alleged ‘Flirtation’

News

DLA Piper and former partner Louis Lehot parted ways after his colleague Vanina Guerrero accused the star Silicon Valley lawyer of sexually assaulting her.

Jones Day Women Point to Managing Partner’s ‘Totalitarian Grip’

News

Six female former Jones Day lawyers claims the managing partner backs his “totalitarian grip” on Jones Day with a “no whining policy.”

Tentative Opioid Settlement Reached in Ohio With Drug Companies