

McKool Smith Welcomes Frank Vecella From Ericsson

✘ **McKool Smith** has announced that **Frank Vecella**, the former associate general counsel of litigation at Ericsson Inc., **has joined** the firm as a principal in its Dallas office. Vecella was with Ericsson for 16 years and managed and supervised all of the company's significant litigation in the United States and Canada, and often provided guidance with respect to Ericsson's major disputes around the world.

"Ericsson is a long-time client and Frank has been a very dear friend of the firm for many years," said McKool Smith managing principal **David Sochia**. "We couldn't be more excited to have Frank with us. He has significant litigation and industry expertise, and his in-house counsel perspective will be invaluable to the firm as we continue to strengthen our client service initiatives."

Prior to joining Ericsson, Vecella was a senior partner at Jackson Walker L.L.P., where he worked for 18 years.

[Read details about Vecella's career move.](#)