National Law Journal Names Chrysta Castañeda to 2018 Elite Trial Lawyers List

- Chrysta Castañeda **has been awarded** *The National Law Journal*'s Elite Trial Lawyers Award for 2018.

The Castañeda Firm, based in Dallas, represents litigation clients in the energy industry.

"One of Ms. Castañeda's most notable recent victories was a $145 million verdict on behalf of T. Boone Pickens and Mesa Petroleum, which was recognized as one of the largest in the nation in 2016 by *NLJ* and one of the largest in Texas by *Texas Lawyer*," the firm said in a release.

Castañeda served as lead trial counsel for Pickens' company in the long-running dispute, which resulted in a five-week trial in Pecos, Texas.

Read details of the award.