SCOTUS Clarifies Vague Arbitration Clauses Affecting Class Disputes for Growing Businesses



To reduce the risk of a class action disrupting business operations and impacting revenue, businesses may want to consider including arbitration clauses in their employment and consumer agreements, advises Patrick K. Burns in a blog post for PilieroMazza PLLC.

Many businesses include arbitration clauses in employment and consumer agreements in an attempt to shield themselves from class action lawsuits, he explains. "The success of these types of clauses in accomplishing the same largely depends upon its wording, the respective jurisdiction, and the nature of the underlying agreement."

In his post, he demonstrates how, if class arbitration is not explicitly addressed in an arbitration agreement, it cannot be compelled.

Read the article.