

# Exhibit B

## FIRM PROFILE

Schneider Wallace Cottrell Konecky Wotkyns LLP (“SWCKW”) is one of the nation’s premier complex litigation boutique law firms. With offices in California, Texas and Arizona, SWCKW and its attorneys have litigated in nearly every state in the country.

The firm’s clients have enjoyed the firm’s record of success. The firm has won verdicts and procured settlements for its clients collectively worth billions of dollars.

The firm represents institutional clients as plaintiffs in high-stakes litigation and arbitration using a variety of hourly, “hybrid” and contingent fee structures. The firm’s institutional clients have included Humana, Mag Instrument Company, Baylor College of Medicine, West Virginia University, Dr. Pepper Snapple Group, Kodak, Metropolitan Bank Group, Bank of Nevada, The Trustees of the Retirees of Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, several BlueCross BlueShield health insurance companies and the cities of Houston, Cleveland, Phoenix, Scottsdale, Tucson and Tempe.

In carrying out its mission to help its clients combat large-scale injustice, business torts and other wrongful conduct, SWCKW provides a level of sophistication and service traditionally available only to large corporate defendants. Notable SWCKW litigation and arbitration successes include the following (in all of which SWCKW served as sole lead or co-lead counsel):

- ***In re Cox Enterprises Inc., Set-Top Cable Television Box Antitrust Litigation***: Obtained what has been called a “landmark antitrust verdict” for a class of more than 500,000 Oklahoma consumers, one of the largest antitrust tying verdicts in history in which one of the nation’s largest cable television providers was found by a jury to have illegally tied sales of set-top boxes to sales of premium cable services.
- ***Willits v City of Los Angeles***: A disability access class action alleging that the City of Los Angeles violated the Americans with Disabilities Act and related laws by failing to maintain accessible sidewalks, curb ramps and crosswalks in its pedestrian right-of way. After obtaining class certification and successfully moving for partial summary judgment, the case was settled on terms that require the City to spend more than \$1.4 billion dollars to repair broken sidewalks, install compliant curb ramps and remove other barriers to access in the pedestrian right of way.
- ***Lopez v. SFUSD***: disability access class action, resulting in judgment that required defendant to implement remedies valued at more than \$300 million.
- ***Satchell v. FedEx Express, Inc.***: Class action on behalf of approximately 20,000 current and former employees of FedEx, resulting in settlement of \$54.9 million.
- ***Metropolitan Bank Group Inc. v. SunTrust Robinson Humphrey***: represented regional bank in FINRA action against its broker-dealer concerning brokered sale of noncumulative preferred bonds; settled for confidential amount.
- ***Bank of Nevada v. UBS***: represented regional bank in FINRA action against its broker-dealer concerning brokered sale of synthetic CDO positions; settled for confidential amount.

- ***Glass Dimensions, Inc. v. State Street Bank & Trust Co.***: An ERISA class action brought on behalf of a nationwide class of 1,790 retirement plans alleging that State Street violated its fiduciary duties by setting and receiving excessive compensation in connection with its securities lending program.
- ***Bilewicz v. FMR LLC, et al. and Yeaw v. FMR LLC***: an ERISA class action on behalf of a nationwide class of participants in the defendants' profit sharing plan, alleging that defendants' breached their fiduciary duties and engaged in ERISA prohibited transactions in making decisions with respect to selecting, removing, replacing and monitoring the Plan's investments, resulting in a \$12 million dollar settlement.
- ***Diebold v. Northern Trust and Louisiana Firefighters' Retirement System (LFRS) v. Northern Trust***: two companion class actions, one on behalf of ERISA-governed retirement plans and investors and the other on behalf of public employee plans and investors and other non-ERISA investors, alleging that defendant Northern Trust Investments and the Northern Trust Company breached their fiduciary duties to plaintiffs by imprudently investing the collateral received on behalf of Plaintiffs in connection with Northern Trust's securities lending program. A combined settlement of \$60 million dollars was achieved on behalf of the plaintiffs in *Diebold* and the plaintiffs in *LFRS* who participated in the indirect lending program.
- ***In Re JPMorgan Stable Value Fund ERISA Litigation***: Obtained \$75 million for a class of retirement investors in JPMorgan's Stable Value Fund. The case concerned the performance of several JPMorgan stable value funds that held mortgage-backed securities during the financial crisis. Schneider Wallace, as co-lead counsel for the plaintiff class, led the review of over 800,000 pages of documents and the depositions of 40 fact witnesses and 5 expert witnesses.



**Todd Schneider**  
Partner

Mr. Schneider founded the firm in 1993. Having received his J.D. degree in 1990, Mr. Schneider has spent his entire career representing plaintiffs in complex litigation. He has litigated cases successfully around the country, in both trial and appellate courts. He recently argued a case in the United States Supreme Court, and he has tried numerous consumer class actions to verdict.

Mr. Schneider is a national leader in the plaintiff's bar. Named by his peers as a Trial Lawyer of the Year in San Francisco and a two-time finalist for Consumer Attorney of the Year, he is the President of the San Francisco Trial Lawyers Association, is on the Board of Governors (and is a former Vice President) of the Consumer Attorneys of California, and is a member of The Judicial Council Advisory Committee on Civil Jury Instructions.

Mr. Schneider is a frequent lecturer and regularly appears as a panelist at continuing legal education seminars. For each year that the list has been published, Mr. Schneider has been named a Super Lawyer in the area of "class actions and mass torts" by Northern California *Super Lawyers* magazine. He is AV rated by Martindale Hubbell and rated 10 out of 10 (superb) by Avvo. Mr. Schneider currently is co-lead counsel in an ongoing nationwide antitrust class action alleging "tying" antitrust violations in the cable television industry and also sits on the Plaintiffs' Steering Committee in yet another ongoing nationwide antitrust matter concerning generic drug price-fixing.

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Mr. Nestico joined the firm in August of 2015 and has since concentrated his practice on complex class action litigation involving breaches of fiduciary duty in connection with the investment of qualified retirement plan assets and other violations of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, the federal law governing the administration of employee benefit plans.

Mr. Nestico brings to the firm more than 35 years of diverse experience in law firms, as in-house counsel with Fortune 50 multinational corporations and with a top 5 national consulting firm, focusing on all aspects of the design and implementation of employee benefits and executive compensation plans, with a particular emphasis on advising plan sponsors regarding the investment of plan assets, negotiation of investment management agreements, and compliance with fiduciary responsibilities.

Prior to joining the firm, he served as Counsel in the Charlotte, NC office of K&L Gates; as Associate General Counsel – Benefits at New York Life Insurance Company; and Senior Vice President at Aon Consulting, where he also served as Chairman of the M&A Practice Council. He is a graduate of the US Air Force Academy and served as a commissioned officer prior to attending law school at the University of Connecticut, where he graduated with honors. Immediately following law school, he worked in private practice at Kelley, Drye and Warren in New York and Pullman Comley in Bridgeport, CT. His uncommon experience with ERISA, securities law and complex financial transactions brings an added dimension to the firm's ERISA litigation practice.

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