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Alabama

***Porterfield v. Audubon Indemnity Co.*, 856 So.2d 789 (Ala. 2002)**, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Arkansas

Retained on behalf of private entity as expert on legal fee audits.

Arizona

***Miller v. American Family*, No. CV 01-329 PHX SMM**, U.S.D.C., District of Arizona, testified as expert on insurance claims handling.

***Coelho v. Burriss*, No. C 331527**, Superior Court of Arizona, County of Pima, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

***Kamiab v. American Family*, No. C 20020010**, Superior Court of Arizona, County of Pima, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

***Phoenix Indemnity Insurance Company v. Herzog & O'Connor*, No. CV 2004-008961**, Superior Court of Arizona, County of Maricopa, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

California

***Orndorff v. Timmons Property*, Case No. BC359366**, Superior Court, Los Angeles County, retained as expert on legal fees.

***Hughes Harris v. City of Santa Monica*, Case No. BC341569**, Superior Court, Los Angeles County, retained as expert on legal fees.

***Dome Entertainment v. Kim*, Case No. BC286176**, Superior Court, Los Angeles County, Central District, retained as expert on legal fees.

Weeks v. The Desert Sands Unified School District, Case No. INC 063647, Superior Court, Riverside County, retained as expert on legal fees.

Americans for Safe Access v. County of Alameda, Case No. RG04-192053, Superior Court, Alameda County, retained as expert on legal fees.

Hughes Aircraft v. Continental Casualty Company, Case No. BC 144538, Superior Court, Los Angeles, testified as expert on legal fees.

Transcontinental Insurance Company v. Rebar Spacer Block Company, Superior Court, San Mateo County, California, testified as expert on legal fees.

Wild, Carey & Fife v. Fred Heller, No. C97-01883, Superior Court, San Francisco, California, testified as expert on legal fees.

Petsco v. Ralphs Grocery Company, et al., No. LC047098, Los Angeles Superior Court, testified as expert on legal fees.

Lee v. Lie, Case No. CGCC 02-405947, Superior Court of the State of California, County of San Francisco, testified as expert on legal fees.

Shockley v. Nationwide, California Superior Court, San Mateo County, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Cal Southwest Construction, Inc. v. Evanston Insurance Company, JAMS Case No. 1110009108, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Colorado

Estate of April Hill v. Allstate Insurance, U.S.D.C., District of Colorado, No. 04-RB-0865 (CBS), retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Connecticut

Namerow v. Travelers Insurance Company, State Court, Connecticut, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Florida

Garcia v. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, Case No. 07-20607-CIV-Moore, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Safeco v. Orduna, Case No. 6:06-CV-823-Orl-22-KRS, U.S.D.C., retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Selby v. State Farm, U.S.D.C., Middle District of Florida, Jacksonville Division, No. 05-CV-1081 J-116MMH, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

The Continental Insurance Company v. Amadeo Lopez-Castro III, et al., Case No. 06-21368-CIV-altonaga/Turnoff, U.S.D.C., Southern District, Miami Division, qualified as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Georgia

Department of Transportation v. Cox Communications, Georgia State Court, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Langlois v. Granite State Insurance, U.S.D.C., Northern District of Georgia, No. 03-CV-3872-CAP, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

National Service Industries, Inc. v Rentokil Initial, Inc, et al. in private arbitration, retained as an expert on legal fee issues.

Hawaii

Silva v. University of Hawaii, No. CV 99 00636 SPK/BMK, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Schmidt v. Chun, Circuit Court of the First Circuit of Hawaii, No. 03-1-2057-10 (BIA), retained as expert witness on legal fees and insurance claims handling.

Asghar Sadri v. Montana Beach, Circuit Court of the Second Circuit, State of Hawaii, NO. 00-1-0305(1), retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Red Swan v. Western Heritage Insurance, Circuit Court of the First Circuit of Hawaii, No. 01-1-2805 (VSM), retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Sadri v. Ulmer, Civil No. 00-1-0305(1)(Arbitration), In the Circuit Court of the Second Circuit, qualified as expert witness on legal fee issues.

Carlsmith Ball v Koko Marina Holdings LLC, Civil No. 07-1-1780-09 (KSSA), Circuit Court of the First Circuit, retained as expert on legal fees.

Idaho

Estate of Davis v. Hartford, District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of Idaho, In and For the County of Canyon, No. CV 2002-4977, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices

Illinois

Zessar v. Helander, Case No. 05-cv-1917, U.S.D.C., Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, retained as expert on legal fees.

Ralph White v. Auto-Owners, Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois County Department – Chancery Division, No. 03 CH 12478, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

DoubleClick f/k/a Computer Strategy v. Philadelphia Indemnity, U.S.D.C., Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, No. 02-CV-8913, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Holtgrave v. Rockford Mutual, Circuit Court, Fourth Judicial Circuit, Clinton County, Illinois, No. 97-L-25, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

CSX Transportation v. Lexington, U.S.D.C., Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Jackson v. Lake County, U.S.D.C., Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, No. 01 C 6528, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Louisiana

McDermott International v. Industrial Risk Insurers, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Louisiana, No. CV01-3027, testified as expert witness on insurance industry practices

Timberlane Properties, Inc. v. Pacific Insurance Company, Limited, Civil Action No. 07-4464, U.S.D.C., Eastern District, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Whitney Place Condominium Association v. James River Insurance Company, Case No. 06-4154, U.S.D.C., Eastern District, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Massachusetts

Commercial Union Insurance Company et al. v. The Gillette Company, Superior Court, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, No. 01-2917-H, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

RHI Holdings v. American Employers Insurance Company, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, The Trial Court, Superior Court Department, Civil Action No. 01-5443 G, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Boston Gas Company v. Century Insurance, U.S.D.C., District of Massachusetts, No. 02-12062RWZ, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Guckenberger v. Boston University, U.S.D.C., District of Massachusetts, No. 96-11426-PBS, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Michigan

Allianz Global Risks v. Flint Distributing, Michigan Circuit Court for the County of Genessee, No. 03-75398-NZ, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Machining Enterprises, Inc. v. Wausau Business Insurance, State of Michigan, Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, Case No. 04-056494-CK, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Ferris v. Hearn Entertainment, Michigan Circuit Court for the County of Macomb, No. 01-3240-CK, retained as expert witness on insurance industry practices.

J.J. Farmers Leasing v. Citizens, State of Michigan, 22nd Judicial District, NGW-96-0003792, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Bazzetta v. McGinnis, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, No. 95-CV-73540-NGE, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Granholm v. Heald, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, No. 00-71438, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Minnesota

C. H. Robinson v. Zurich, U.S.D.C., District of Minnesota, No. 02-CV-4794 (PAM/RLE), retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling.

Connecticut Specialty Insurance Company v. Pinnacle Corporation, State of Minnesota, County of Hennepin, No. CT 03-015259, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Missouri

Economy Fire and Casualty Company v. Peel, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Missouri, Eastern Division, No. 4 00CV01784 (LMB), retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

New Jersey

S.T. Hudson Engineers v. Penn National, Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Camden County, No. L- 1530-01, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Besler v. Bd. Of Education of West Windsor, Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Mercer County, No. L-236-98, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Brown v. Kelly Services, Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Middlesex County, No. L-1476-04, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Carpenter v. Allstate, Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Morris County, No. MRS-C-157-96, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Nevada

Shinehouse v. Prabhu, Nevada District Court, Clark County, No. A456661, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Allen v. Penn American, Nevada District Court, Clark County, No. A420940, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

New York

U. B. Vehicle v. Atlantic Mutual, U.S.D.C., Southern District of New York, No. 00CIV9266, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Borden Leasing v. Atlantic Mutual, Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Suffolk, No. 15557/02, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

IBE v. Utica, Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Kings, No. 17397/03, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, et al. v. Electric Transit Incorporated, et al., Case No. CC04-03435, U.S.D.C., Northern District of California, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

North Carolina

Long v. Harwell, Forsyth County, No. 98-CVS-6319, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Ohio

Hartford Financial Services v. Cleveland Public Library, U.S.D.C., Northern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, No. 99-CV-1701, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Oklahoma

Poteau Ford v. Zurich, District Court of LeFlore County, Oklahoma, Case No. CJ0-95-348, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Bechtel v. United States Fidelity & Guaranty, U.S.D.C., Western District of Oklahoma, No. CIV-00-1699-HE, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Spinner v. Liberty Mutual, U.S.D.C., Western District of Oklahoma, No. CIV-01-659-C, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Marilyn Fisher Long v. Farmers Alliance, Oklahoma District Court in and for Oklahoma County, No. CJ-03-6548, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Oklahoma Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics (OCAAP) v. Fogarty, Case No. 01-C-0187EA (J), U.S.D.C., Northern District of Oklahoma, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Double Branch Baptist Church v GuideOne Insurance, Case No. CJ-2005-695, DC/LeFlore County, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Oregon

Barton v. Hartford, U.S.D.C., District of Oregon, No. 03-CV-6164-TC, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Pennsylvania

McNeilly v. City of Pittsburgh, Case No. C.A. 06-P685, U.S.D.C., Western District of Pennsylvania, retained as expert on legal fees.

Close v. Liberty Mutual, Civil Division No. G D 02-019588, Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Swartzwelder v. McNeilly, U.S.D.C., Western District of Pennsylvania, No. 00-1793, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Connolly Epstein v. Fanslow, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Pennsylvania, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Cecero v. Allstate, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Pennsylvania, No. 06-0286, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

South Carolina

RPR v. Home Insurance, U.S.D.C., South Carolina, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Bridgewater Candle v. Hartford Casualty, U.S.D.C., South Carolina, Greenville Division, No. 6:01-4719-25, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices and legal fees.

Texas

Campos v. Allstate, U.S.D.C., Southern District of Texas (McAllen), No. M02-CV-499, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

AEIG v. Gillette, In the District Court of Cameron County, Texas, 103rd Judicial District, No. 2000-08-3368-D, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Chubb v. Morris, U.S.D.C., Southern District of Texas-Houston Division, Case No. H-05-2288, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Ingersoll Rand Company v. Valero, 117th Judicial District Court of Nueces County, Texas, No. 962029-B, testified as expert witness on legal fees.

Great America v. Contractors Advantage, 189th District Court, Harris County, Texas, Cause No. 2002-33960, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Zurich Insurance v. Sentry, U.S.D.C., Southern District of Texas, Houston Division, No. H95-1492, retained as expert witness on legal fees.

Virginia

U.S. Airways v. Commonwealth Insurance, Law No. 03-0587, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices

Vermont

Acadia Insurance v. High View Church Farms, U.S. Federal District Court, Vermont, 97-CV-00086-JGM, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices

Washington

Mullen v. Physicians Insurance, Case No. 00-2-00986-9, Superior Court of Washington, County of Snohomish, retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

Peacehealth v. Physicians Insurance, In Arbitration Before the Honorable Steve Scott, testified as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Expeditor's International of Washington v. Federal Insurance Company, U.S.D.C., Western District of Washington at Seattle, No. C00-2146 L, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Mullen v. Physicians Insurance, Superior Court of Washington, County of Snohomish, Case No. 00-2-00986-9, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Esprit Graphics Communications v. Assurance Company, U.S.D.C., Eastern District of Washington at Richland, No. CT-03-5063-EFS, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Greystone v. American Economy, Superior Court of the State of Washington, County of King, No. 02-2-15397-6 SEA, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Romvari v. Farmers, Superior Court of Washington For Snohomish County, No. 05-2-06943-9, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

Cadet Manufacturing v. Granite State Insurance, U.S.D.C., Western District of Washington at Tacoma, No. C04-5411 FDB, retained as expert witness on insurance claims handling practices.

XL Specialty Insurance Company v Silver Bay Logging, Inc., retained as expert on insurance claims handling.

International

In re the Estate of Hillblom, U.S.D.C., Northern Mariana Islands, served as court-appointed expert to audit approximately \$22 million in legal fees