Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP www.cadwalader.com

Contacts

Kara Fitzsimmons +1 212 504 6708 kara.fitzsimmons@cwt.com

Kimberly Brooks +1 212 504 5652 kimberly.brooks@cwt.com

NewsRelease

For Immediate Release:

Cadwalader Named Among Top Law Firms by The Legal 500 US 2016

New York, July 1, 2016—Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, a leading counselor to global financial institutions and corporations, has been recognized across a broad range of practice areas in the 2016 edition of *The Legal 500 US*, a leading guide to the legal profession.

A total of 19 Cadwalader practices are nationally ranked, including the following:

- Antitrust: Cartel
- Antitrust: Civil Litigations/Class Actions
- Antitrust: Merger Control
- Corporate Restructuring (including Bankruptcy)
- Domestic Tax
- Energy: Regulatory
- Financial Services: Regulatory
- Fund Formation: Alternative/Hedge Funds
- International Tax
- Labor & Employment: Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation
- M&A: Large Deals (\$1bn+)
- Municipal Restructuring
- Not-For-Profit (Non-Profit and Tax Exempt Organizations)
- Patent Litigation: Full Coverage
- Real Estate

- Securities Litigation Defense
- Structured Finance
- Tax: Financial Products
- White-Collar Criminal Defense

Eight of the firm's partners are featured as elite "Leading Lawyers":

- Steve Eckhaus (Labor & Employment: Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation)
- Steve Lofchie (Financial Services: Regulatory)
- Gregory Markel (Securities Litigation Defense)
- Charles 'Rick' Rule (Antitrust: Civil Litigations/Class Actions)
- Ray Shirazi (Structured Finance)
- Lary Stromfeld (Municipal Restructuring; Structured Finance)
- Linda Swartz (Domestic Tax)
- Neil Weidner (Structured Finance)

Additionally, the following Cadwalader attorneys are recognized in their respective practice areas:

- Jodi Avergun (White-Collar Criminal Defense)
- Ingrid Bagby (Corporate Restructuring; Municipal Restructuring)
- George Billinson (Energy: Regulatory)
- Richard Brand (Fund Formation: Alternative/Hedge Funds; M&A: Large Deals)
- Scott Cammarn (Financial Services: Regulatory)
- Bret Campbell (White-Collar Criminal Defense)
- Kathy Chin (Not-For-Profit)
- Christopher Cox (Fund Formation: Alternative/Hedge Funds; M&A: Large Deals)
- Thomas Curtin (Municipal Restructuring)
- Robert Davis (Labor & Employment: Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation)
- Joshua Dill (Real Estate)

- Steve Eckhaus (Labor & Employment: Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation)
- Aly El Hamamsy (M&A: Large Deals)
- Mark Ellenberg (Corporate Restructuring; Municipal Restructuring)
- Andrew Forman (Antitrust: Merger Control)
- James Frazier (Labor & Employment: Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation)
- Michael Gambro (Structured Finance)
- Stuart Goldstein (Structured Finance)
- Alexander Hadjis (Patent Litigation: Full Coverage)
- Mark Haskell (Energy: Regulatory)
- Steven Herman (Real Estate)
- Melissa Hinkle (Real Estate)
- Jonathan Hoff (Securities Litigation Defense)
- Mark Howe (Tax: Financial Products)
- Christopher Hughes (Patent Litigation: Full Coverage)
- Jonathan Kanter (Antitrust: Civil Litigations/Class Actions; Antitrust: Merger Control; Antitrust: Cartel)
- Steven Lofchie (Fund Formation: Alternative/Hedge Funds; Financial Services: Regulatory; Structured Finance)
- Ivan Loncar (Municipal Restructuring, Structured Finance)
- Michele Maman (Municipal Restructuring)
- Gregory Markel (Securities Litigation Defense)
- Brian McGovern (Not-For-Profit)
- William McInerney (Real Estate)
- Dorothy Mehta (Fund Formation: Alternative/Hedge Funds)
- William Mills (M&A: Large Deals)
- John Moehringer (Patent Litigation: Full Coverage)
- Paul Mourning (Not-For-Profit)
- Bonnie Neuman (Real Estate)

- Richard Nugent (Domestic Tax)
- Paul Pantano (Energy: Regulatory)
- Gregory Petrick (Corporate Restructuring)
- Jeffrey Robins (Financial Services: Regulatory; Structured Finance)
- Charles 'Rick' Rule (Antitrust: Civil Litigations/Class Actions; Antitrust: Merger Control; Antitrust: Cartel)
- Richard Schetman (Fund Formation: Alternative/Hedge Funds; Structured Finance)
- Martin Seidel (Securities Litigation Defense)
- Ray Shirazi (Structured Finance)
- Gary Silverstein (Tax: Financial Products)
- Brett Snyder (Energy: Regulatory)
- Lary Stromfeld (Municipal Restructuring; Structured Finance)
- Shane Stroud (Labor & Employment: Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation)
- Linda Swartz (Domestic Tax; Tax: Financial Products; International Tax)
- Anne Tompkins (White-Collar Criminal Defense)
- Kenneth Wainstein (White-Collar Criminal Defense)
- Brian Wallach (Antitrust: Civil Litigations/Class Actions)
- Neil Weidner (Structured Finance)

About Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP

Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, established in 1792, serves a diverse client base, including many of the world's leading financial institutions and corporations in more than 50 countries. With offices in New York, London, Charlotte, Washington, Houston, Beijing, Hong Kong and Brussels, Cadwalader offers legal expertise in antitrust, banking, corporate finance, corporate governance, energy, environmental, executive compensation, financial restructuring, health care, intellectual property, litigation, mergers and acquisitions, private equity, private wealth, real estate, regulation, securitization, structured finance, tax and white collar defense. For more information, visit www.cadwalader.com.