

Curtain Call: One Last Look at 2022's Litigators of the Week

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The Latham & Watkins Duo Who Paved the Path for Mallinckrodt to Exit Bankruptcy
Despite objections from the U.S. Trustee, the SEC, the state of Rhode Island and others, **Chris Harris** and **Betsy Marks** of **Latham & Watkins** were able to get judicial sign-off on the pharma company's reorganization plan, including a \$1.7 billion settlement of opioid-related litigation.

Defense Lawyers for the Poultry Execs Who Won't Be Facing a Third Antitrust Conspiracy Trial

Federal prosecutors announced that after a second mistrial in their criminal case against 10 executives at poultry companies they were dismissing all charges against half the defendants. Lawyers representing the five dismissed defendants included **Elizabeth Prewitt** of **Latham**, sole practitioner **Roxann Henry**, **Mark Byrne** of **Byrne & Nixon**, **Craig Gillen** of **Gillen Withers & Lake**, and **Wendy Johnson** of **RMP LLP**.

The Latham Duo Who Won an Acquittal for Former Perkins Coie Partner Michael Sussmann

Sean Berkowitz and **Michael Bosworth** of **Latham** convinced a federal jury that **Sussmann** was not guilty of lying to the FBI about his client representations when he shared allegations of possible ties between the Trump Organization and a Russian bank in the run-up to the 2016 election.

Cravath and Latham Defeat the FTC's Antitrust Challenge to Tie-Up Between Illumina and GRAIL

Chief Administrative Law Judge **D. Michael Chappell** rejected the FTC's position that the deal would hurt competition in the burgeoning market for multi-cancer early detection tests, handing a win to **Illumina's** team at **Cravath** led by **Christine Varney** and **David Marriott** and **GRAIL's** at **Latham** led by **Mike Egge** and **Al Pfeiffer**.