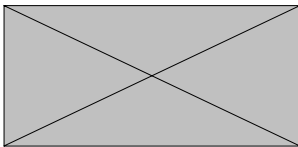


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## TOP NEWS

### **GOP Lawmakers Urge Trump To Extend DACA**

A group of House Republicans have urged President Donald Trump to retain the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program, suggesting the administration instead focus its immigration enforcement efforts on criminals. [Read more »](#)

### **Trump Officially Reinstates Transgender Military Ban**

President Donald Trump penned a presidential memo Friday instructing the U.S. Department of Defense to stop accepting transgender individuals who seek to enroll in the military, taking an official step toward implementing the policy change since he first announced his intentions in a July 26 tweet. [Read more »](#)

### **Yellen Cautions Against Broad Bank Rule Rollback**

Federal Reserve Chair Janet Yellen on Friday said that the regulatory changes put in place after the financial crisis have made banks and other aspects of the financial system significantly safer, and warned against making big changes that could weaken those rules. [Read more »](#)

### **Menendez, Feds Clash Over Bid To Adjourn Trial For**

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## Votes

Prosecutors and defense counsel clashed again on Friday over Sen. Bob Menendez's bid to adjourn his upcoming corruption trial on certain days to allow him to participate in critical votes on Capitol Hill, three days after a New Jersey federal judge refused to grant such a request. [Read more »](#)

## Fed To Unveil Final Qualified Financial Contracts Rule

The Federal Reserve said Friday it will soon release a final version of rules that would prevent investors from immediately breaking derivative and other financial contracts when a global bank fails. [Read more »](#)

## Calif. Says IMDb Age Info Not Protected By 1st Amendment

California's attorney general told a federal court judge on Thursday that IMDb's inclusion of actors' ages on its site is not protected by the First Amendment, with the Screen Actors Guild joining his push to deny the website a quick win in its suit over legislation meant to combat age-discrimination. [Read more »](#)

## BANKING & SECURITIES

## Piwowar Didn't Abuse Acting Chair Role, SEC Watchdog Says

The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission's inspector general said Thursday that his office was unable to conclude that Commissioner Michael Piwowar exceeded his authority or undermined the agency's mission while acting chair, after a group of Democratic senators requested an investigation. [Read more »](#)

## Rep. Waters Urges Hearing On SoFi Bid For Bank-Like Status

Rep. Maxine Waters asked the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. on Friday to hold a public hearing on an application by online lender SoFi to be given a bank-like status in Utah and become part of the federal bank account insurance scheme, saying the application raises questions of fairness and oversight. [Read more »](#)

## ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL

## 5th Circ. Won't Send Texas-EPA Air Quality Fight To DC

The Fifth Circuit on Friday rejected the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's bid to transfer a dispute with Texas over air quality standards to the D.C. Circuit, saying the agency hasn't shown that the Lone Star State is challenging an EPA action that is applicable or effective nationwide. [Read more »](#)

## Power Cos. Take NY Nuclear Plant Subsidy Fight To 2nd

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**Circ.**

A coalition of independent power producers on Thursday asked the Second Circuit to weigh in on a New York federal judge's backing of the Empire State's plan to subsidize struggling nuclear power plants, the judge rejecting arguments that the plan intrudes on federal jurisdiction of wholesale electricity markets. [Read more »](#)

**Enviros Seek Records On Industry Role In Fuel Reg Rollback**

The Center for Biological Diversity wants the federal government to hand over any communications it may have had with auto industry lobbyists related to the potential rollback of fuel economy standards, the environmental group announced Thursday. [Read more »](#)

**Mo. City Hurt More If It Wins Water Standard Case, EPA Says**

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency told the Eighth Circuit Thursday to toss a case filed by the city of Kennett, Missouri, opposing EPA-approved pollution limits for a wastewater treatment plant, saying if the city won its case it would actually cost the city more, not less. [Read more »](#)

**HEALTH & LIFE SCIENCES****RoxyBond Rival Can't Use Suit To Delay Sales, FDA Says**

Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Research Services Inc. can't use a suit challenging how quickly the U.S. Food and Drug Administration responded to safety concerns it raised in citizen petitions to effectively delay a competitor coming on the market with its abuse-deterrent opioid RoxyBond, the agency told a Pennsylvania federal court Thursday. [Read more »](#)

**IP & TECHNOLOGY****Trump Taps Irell Partner Andrei Iancu To Lead USPTO**

The White House nominated Irell & Manella LLP managing partner Andrei Iancu on Friday to lead the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, where the intellectual property litigator would fill the role vacated by Michelle Lee in June. [Read more »](#)

**TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE****GWB Scandal Figures Urge 3rd Circ. To Toss Convictions**

Two former associates of New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie on Friday called on the Third Circuit to toss their convictions on charges of reducing local access lanes to the George Washington Bridge in an

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act of political payback, claiming that the alleged revenge scheme did not amount to a crime. [Read more »](#)

## EMPLOYMENT

### Atlantic City Firefighters Score Victories To Avoid Layoffs

Atlantic City firefighters won a pair of victories on Friday when a New Jersey state judge blocked the state from immediately reducing their department by about 25 percent and Gov. Chris Christie signed legislation requiring that such personnel be offered an early retirement incentive plan before the state could fire them. [Read more »](#)

### Judge Unleashes Seattle's Uber Unionization Law

A Washington federal judge on Thursday lifted a preliminary block on Seattle's Uber ordinance allowing gig-economy drivers to unionize, dismissing one suit brought by drivers and denying the U.S. Chamber of Commerce a new injunction as the business lobby seeks to revive its antitrust challenge. [Read more »](#)

## INTERNATIONAL TRADE

### Biz Groups Want Strong Arbitration Rules Kept In NAFTA

A trio of the most powerful U.S. business coalitions stressed the importance of a strong international arbitration system in a letter to Trump administration officials involved in the renegotiation of the North American Free Trade Agreement, a day after the president said the U.S. could still ax the pact. [Read more »](#)

### Trump Slaps Venezuela's Maduro Regime With Sanctions

President Donald Trump announced Friday that his administration would impose new economic sanctions on the regime of President Nicolás Maduro in response to what it characterized as attacks on Venezuela's democratic institutions. [Read more »](#)

### ITA To Probe Fittings Stamped 'Malaysia' To Skip China Duty

The Department of Commerce will investigate allegations from domestic producers that pipe fittings from Malaysia actually originate in China and thus circumvent anti-dumping orders, a decision published Friday said. [Read more »](#)

## IMMIGRATION

### Trump Admin. Hits Back At Chicago In Sanctuary City

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## Fight

The U.S. Department of Justice took a swipe at the city of Chicago's request that an Illinois federal judge block the federal government's new immigration-focused conditions on a public safety grant, saying it would effectively hand over control of the program to the city. [Read more »](#)

## Dems Decry Withholding Of Grant Funds To Sanctuary Cities

Dozens of Democratic lawmakers decried new restrictions on violence prevention funds that they said were designed to coerce cities nationwide into complying with the Trump administration's immigration agenda, demanding in a Thursday letter to U.S. Attorney General Jeff Sessions that he defend the Department of Justice's legal authority to implement them. [Read more »](#)

## NATIVE AMERICAN

### Tribal-State Weed Deals Stay Hot In Spite Of Feds

Native American tribes are enjoying success with marijuana businesses launched under compacts with states where the drug has been legalized, and attorneys say those deals are likely to keep growing in popularity as tribes look to boost their bottom lines and ally with states as a bulwark against potentially unfriendly federal authorities. [Read more »](#)

### Tribal Leaders 'Outraged' Over Rumored Monument Shrinkage

The Bears Ears Inter-Tribal Coalition expressed "outrage" Thursday over rumblings that U.S. Department of the Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke has recommended President Donald Trump scale back the Bears Ears National Monument. [Read more »](#)

## TELECOMMUNICATIONS

### ONE Media Urges FCC Not To Over-Regulate 'Next-Gen TV'

The Federal Communications Commission should avoid "over-regulation" as part of the deployment of the "next generation" broadcast television standard by looking to specify interference requirements instead of technical standards, ONE Media told commission officials on Thursday. [Read more »](#)

## EXPERT ANALYSIS

### Opinion

#### Steel Imports Are Not A National Security Issue

House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Kevin Brady is right

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— this is not the right approach to deal with steel imports. And like it or not, using bogus claims of “national security” as a pretext for what amounts to naked protectionism will invite retaliation from our trading partners, says Donald Cameron of Morris Manning & Martin LLP. [Read more »](#)

### **EEOC Wellness Regs Ironically Join The Walking Dead**

A Washington, D.C., federal court’s recent decision in *AARP v. U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission* puts employers in a difficult position. Under the agency’s current circumstances, it seems reasonable to expect that it may take some time to even determine how it will proceed, says Frank Morris Jr. of Epstein Becker Green. [Read more »](#)

### **Sellers Are Not Liable For Independent Contractors' Calls**

The Ninth Circuit’s recent decision in *Jones v. Royal* found that a seller was not vicariously liable for calls made by a telemarketer in violation of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act. Sellers should review their contracts and make sure that their telemarketers are independent contractors in order to minimize their liability, says Patrick McLaughlin of Spencer Fane LLP. [Read more »](#)

### **Examining FDA Reauthorization Act Add-On Provisions**

In addition to reauthorizing user fees, the recently enacted Food and Drug Administration Reauthorization Act amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to effect other reforms, some of which could have important implications for industry and the population at large, say attorneys with Latham & Watkins LLP. [Read more »](#)

### **6 Common Lateral Partner Myths Debunked**

It’s safe to say that while demand ebbs and flows for legal services, there will never be a shortage of opinions about lateral partner hiring, which is positive for the industry, as anything with such vital importance to careers should attract significant attention. However, there is a unique mythology that travels with the discussions, says Dan Hatch of Major Lindsey & Africa. [Read more »](#)

## **LEGAL INDUSTRY**

### **How To Deal With Jerks In The Legal Profession**

The exact number of jerks in BigLaw has never been established, but anecdotal evidence suggests there are at least a few. Here, mental health experts, life coaches and the author of a new book offer up four tips for dealing with difficult people in law. [Read more »](#)

### **Amended Chadbourne Gender Bias Suit Wins Grudging OK**

A New York federal judge on Friday refused a motion to strike a second amended complaint in the gender discrimination suit against Chadbourne & Parke LLP, saying the additions the plaintiffs made to the complaint in excess of what had been directed did not prejudice

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the defendants. [Read more »](#)

### **Holland & Knight Gets Judgment Against Ex-Partner For Fees**

Holland & Knight LLP secured a \$772,000 judgment in New York Supreme Court earlier this month against a former trusts and estates partner for unreturned legal fees stemming from his work as a guardian ad litem while at the firm. [Read more »](#)

### **Kirkland, NYC Charities Secure 'Sesame Street' Royalties**

Kirkland & Ellis LLP's pro bono legal services helped 10 New York City charities secure almost \$600,000 in lump sum payments for royalties from the works of the late Tony Geiss, a screenwriter for "Sesame Street" and "The Land Before Time," among other children's classics. [Read more »](#)

### **Cuban American Bar Assoc. Zeroes In On Attys' Mental Health**

After the suicide in June of a prominent Miami attorney rocked the local legal community, the Cuban American Bar Association is making mental health a focus, starting with an annual luncheon Friday that featured attorney Brian Cuban — brother of businessman Mark Cuban — to talk about his struggle with addiction and depression. [Read more »](#)

### **GC Cheat Sheet: The Hottest Corporate News Of The Week**

A new report finds that President Trump's proposed corporate tax cuts are not likely to help workers, Delaware is the latest state to step up companies' data security obligations and corporate counsel are renewing the push for diversity among their outside attorneys. These are some of the top stories in corporate legal news you may have missed last week. [Read more »](#)

### **In Case You Missed It: Hottest Firms And Stories On Law360**

For those who missed out, here's a look back at the law firms, stories and expert analyses that generated the most buzz on Law360 last week. [Read more »](#)

#### **Podcast**

### **Law360's Pro Say: Why Aren't Law Firms More Diverse?**

On the latest episode of Law360's Pro Say podcast, the team discusses how the push for law firm diversity is stagnating, a massive verdict against Johnson & Johnson in a trial over the link between baby powder and cancer, and one firm that fired a partner with ties to a neo-Nazi record label. [Read more »](#)

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