

# WTO Receives “Litigator of the Week” and “Legal Lion” Recognition for SEC Case

News

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Congratulations to our antitrust litigation team of [Katie Reilly](#), [Natalie West](#), [Galen Bellamy](#), and [Michael Krantz](#) on earning shout-outs in The American Lawyer’s “Litigator of the Week” feature and Law360’s “Legal Lions” weekly column. The team was recognized for winning dismissal of our client, the Southeastern Conference, in class action litigation involving Name, Image, and Likeness claims brought by former college basketball players against the NCAA and major athletic conferences.

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