

Bankruptcy and Insolvency Litigation

When companies experience financial distress, litigation often follows. Although litigation is not a desired means to accomplish a successful financial restructuring, achieving the most successful outcome requires an expert assessment of litigation risks and opportunities – and the experience and confidence to pursue litigation when necessary.

King & Spalding’s bankruptcy and insolvency-related litigators have the experience — both in the boardroom and the courtroom — to assist financial institutions, alternative capital and debt funds, private equity firms, professional services firms, directors and officers, and other interested parties in evaluating the litigation risks and opportunities presented in the context of financial restructurings, bankruptcies, or other situations involving financial distress.

Bankruptcy and Insolvency-related litigation can take many forms, including avoidance actions, successor liability and alter ego claims, lender liability claims, alleged breaches of fiduciary duty and government investigations and enforcement actions. Dealing with these types of claims requires both an in-depth understanding of the bankruptcy and insolvency laws as well as litigation skill, perspective and judgment that is tailored and sharpened to the particular issues and the unique context in which these claims arise.

Cases & Deals

March 22, 2024

King & Spalding Secures \$900 Million for Reficar in Its Dispute with Chicago Bridge & Iron (CB&I)

June 15, 2023

King & Spalding represents private equity house Triton’s Mangrove Luxco IV S.a r.l. in landmark insolvency litigation before German regional court

May 3, 2022

JW Aluminum Company Wins Eleventh Circuit Bankruptcy

Capability Lawyers



Arthur J. Steinberg
New York



Israel Dahan
New York

Recognition

Five bankruptcy lawyers recognized as leading practitioners

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Three of our bankruptcy lawyers are Fellows of the American College of Bankruptcy

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Top ranked Bankruptcy practice nationwide and regionally (Georgia and New York)

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A Tier 1 law firm for Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law

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Insights

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June 5, 2024

Does Bankruptcy Code Section 546(e) Protect Transactions Involving Privately Held Securities From Avoidance?

NEWSLETTER

April 30, 2024

Lender Liability Quarterly – April 2024

ARTICLE

April 1, 2024

Navigating the Litigation Minefield When Exercising Proxy Rights

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Events

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

April 17, 2024

Thad Wilson to Speak at the Information Management Network's Distressed CRE West Forum

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October 8, 2023

Thad Wilson to Speak at NACD Summit

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April 21, 2023

Sarah Primrose to Speak at American Bankruptcy Institute's Annual Spring Meeting

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PRESS RELEASE

May 30, 2024

Leading Commercial Trial Lawyer Chris Duffy Joins King & Spalding in New York

IN THE NEWS

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Commercial trial partner Chris Duffy joins the firm's Business Litigation practice group in New York

IN THE NEWS

May 22, 2024

Michael Handler explains why private lenders are finding it increasingly challenging to rescue distressed companies when interest rates are high

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