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Practice Focus

Mr. Storke has over 30 years of experience in the employee benefits field, and specializes in representing regional, state-wide and local multiemployer pension and health and welfare plans, including the Western Conference of Teamsters Pension Trust Fund, the largest Taft-Hartley trust in the United States.

With this background, Mr. Storke has developed substantial expertise in reconciling the diverse and sometimes conflicting perspectives, interests and opinions of the individual trustees serving multiemployer plans so they can overcome the inherent conflicts that arise when trustees are selected by contributing employers and union bargaining representatives and reach a collective decision that conforms to the fiduciary standards of the governing law.

Mr. Storke has considerable knowledge and experience with tax-qualification and other Internal Revenue Code issues for multiemployer pension plans. He has been instrumental in designing and implementing a hybrid defined benefit-defined contribution multiemployer pension plan structure that gives Taft-Hartley trustees wide flexibility in maintaining negotiated pension levels while providing significant allocations to individual accounts for participants.

Mr. Storke has counseled trustees of financially troubled pension plans on their responsibilities under the funding provisions of the Pension Protection Act and the parties who sponsor those plans on the implications of those funding requirements for their labor negotiations. He was directly involved in crafting the multiemployer funding relief provisions of the Pension Relief Act of 2010.

Professional Involvement

- International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans
- National Coordinating Committee for Multiemployer Plans
- Western Pension & Benefits Conference
- Bar Association of San Francisco
- American Bar Association (member of Employee Benefits Committee for the Section of Taxation)

Professional Career

- Trucker ♦ Huss (1996 – Present)
- Pillsbury Madison & Sutro (1970 – 1996)

About Trucker ♦ Huss

Trucker Huss is the largest employee benefits specialty law firm on the West Coast. We provide services to clients nationwide and are dedicated to handling the most sophisticated issues with responsive and high level service.

With more than 25 attorneys practicing solely in employee benefits law, our in-depth knowledge and wealth of experience on all issues confronting benefit plans, plan sponsors, and plan fiduciaries translates into real-world, practical solutions for our clients—backed by the resources to handle the most complex or the most straight-forward assignments.



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