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EDUCATION

J.D., cum laude, 1994
 Harvard Law School

Graduate Tax Program, 2000-2001
 Coursework in ERISA and Executive Compensation,
 Boston University Law School

Master of International Affairs, 1985
 Columbia University

B.A., cum laude, 1981
 Rice University

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2003 – Present
 Director (Associate prior to 2005)
 Trucker Huss
 San Francisco, California

1995 – 2003
 Associate
 Hill & Barlow, P.C.
 Boston, Massachusetts

1994 – 1995
 Law Clerk
 The Honorable Norman H. Stahl United States
 Court of Appeals for the First Circuit

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND AFFILIATIONS

Member, The State Bar of California

Member, Massachusetts Bar Association

Member, American Bar Association (Member
 of the Labor/Employment Law Section and
 Past Chair of the Tort, Trial and Insurance
 Practice Section)

Member, Western Pension and Benefits
 Council (Member of the Program Committee
 of the San Francisco Chapter)

Mr. Schwartz has more than 20 years of experience in the area of employee benefits law. He focuses his practice on multiemployer pension plans, employer withdrawal liability, and ERISA litigation.

Mr. Schwartz represents a number of multiemployer trust funds, including the largest Taft-Hartley trust in the United States, and he counsels clients extensively in the areas of fiduciary responsibility and plan administration. In addition, he serves as a court-appointed mediator in ERISA cases for the United States District Court for the Northern District of California and has litigated a wide variety of benefits and compensation-related cases in the federal and state.

Mr. Schwartz presents and publishes on issues related to multiemployer pension plans as well as other ERISA and qualified plan topics. He has recently present on various aspects of ERISA litigation, benefit claims, QDROs and legal ethics.

Mr. Schwartz has been listed as a Top Rated Employee Benefits Attorney in San Francisco, CA by Super Lawyers since 2009. He is the immediate past Chair of the Employee Benefits Committee of the American Bar Association's Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Law Section, and is a member of the ABA's Joint Committee on Employee Benefits.

ABOUT TRUCKER HUSS

With more than 25 attorneys practicing solely in employee benefits law, Trucker Huss is one of the largest employee benefits specialty law firms in the country. Our in-depth knowledge and breadth of experience on all issues confronting employee benefit plans, and their sponsors, fiduciaries and service providers, translate into real-world, practical solutions for our clients.

