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FOCUS AREAS

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EXPERIENCE

Leah E. León is an associate in the Wilmington office of Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, where her practice focuses on governance litigation and counseling. Leah has significant experience advising board committees in connection with derivative litigation and related issues of Delaware corporate law.

Leah is also a member of the adjunct faculty at Georgetown University Law Center, where she co-teaches an M&A litigation course.

Prior to joining the firm, Leah clerked for Vice Chancellor Sam Glasscock III of the Delaware Court of Chancery.

CREDENTIALS

Education

- J.D., Duke University School of Law, 2018
Cum Laude; Executive Editor, Law & Contemporary Problems; Editorial Assistant, Judicature
- B.A., American Studies, Franklin & Marshall College, 2015
Magna Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa

Associations and Memberships

- Member, Delaware State Bar Association
- Member, American Bar Association

Admissions

- State Bar of Delaware
- U.S. District Court for the District of Delaware

MATTERS

Select Delaware Law Litigation Matters

- *In re Novavax Inc. Stockholder Derivative Litigation*, Case No. 8:21-cv-02966-TDC (D. Md.) – Represented Special Litigation Committee of Novavax in investigation of derivative claims
- *In re Carvana Co. Stockholders Litigation*, C.A. No. 2020-0415-KSJM (Del. Ch.) – Represented Special Litigation Committee of Carvana in investigation of derivative claims
- *In re Tilray, Inc. Reorganization Litigation*, C.A. No. 2020-0137-KSJM (Del. Ch.) – Represented Special Litigation Committee of Tilray in investigation of derivative claims
- *In re Palantir Technologies, Inc. Class F Stock Litigation*, C.A. 2021-0275-SG (Del. Ch.) - Represented Palantir in novel litigation challenge to its capital structure

- *Bardy Diagnostics, Inc. v. Hillrom, Inc.*, C.A. No. 2021-0175-JRS (Del. Ch.) - Represented seller in obtaining **specific performance of merger agreement** in busted deal case
- *In re WeWork Litigation*, C.A. 2020-0258-JTL (Del. Ch.) – Represented Special Committee of WeWork seeking specific performance of a tender offer
- *In re Expedia Group, Inc. Stockholders Litigation*, C.A. No. 2019-0494-JTL (Del. Ch.) - Represented Special Litigation Committee of Expedia in investigation of derivative claims

INSIGHTS

Select Publications

- Co-author, “Delaware Court Addresses Arbitrability of Claims Challenging Post-SPAC IPO,” American Bar Association – *Business Law Today*, December 2022
- Co-author with S. German, “Citing Exceptional Facts, Delaware Court Finds Board Had Compelling Justification to Thwart Stockholder Action,” American Bar Association – *Business Law Today*, July 2022
- Co-author with S. German, “In Rare Decision, Delaware Court Enjoins Merger Vote,” American Bar Association – *Business Law Today*, December 2021
- Co-author, “Delaware Supreme Court Enforces Waiver of Statutory Appraisal Rights,” *The M&A Lawyer*, October 2021