

THE NEW YORK STATE BAR ASSOCIATION
COMMERCIAL & FEDERAL LITIGATION SECTION
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Commercial & Federal Litigation Section held in accordance with the rules of the New York State Bar Association on Thursday, July 11, 2017.

Members Participating by Phone:

Mitch Katz, Chair

Robert Holtzman, Chair-Elect

Laurel Kretzing, Vice-Chair

Sandra Rampersaud, Treasurer

Jamie Sinclair, Secretary

Gregory Arenson

Alan Brody

Mark Berman

Teresa Bennett

Jim Bergin

Stephen Crane

Mark Davies

Clara Flebus

Claire Gutekunst

Tony Harwood

Ron Hedges

Frank Maas

Matthew Maron

Michael Rakower

Courtney Rockett

Jay Safer

Natasha Shishov

Doug Tabachnik

David Tennant

**indicates non-executive committee member*

*** indicates guest speaker for the meeting*

The meeting came to order at 6:30 p.m. Chair-Elect Robert Holtzman called the meeting to order and presided over the meeting, as Section Chair Mitch Katz has determined that he will not preside over Section discussions concerning proposed Commercial Division rules.

Draft report re: the Proposed Establishment of a “Large Complex Case List” in the Commercial Division

The Draft report of the Commercial Division Committee was introduced and discussed by the Co-Chairs of the Committee, Matthew Maron, Mark Berman and Teresa Bennett. After a brief period of discussion, the report was passed unanimously, with the abstention of Michael Rakower.

The meeting concluded at approximately 7:00 p.m.

