

Sterne Kessler Ranked Among Top Firms in Law360's 2022 Diversity Snapshot

Washington, D.C. (July 27, 2022) – Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox is pleased to announce the firm's inclusion in *Law360*'s 2022 Diversity Snapshot survey. Out of the 96 participating firms in the "101 to 250 attorneys" category, Sterne Kessler ranks among the top five firms for <u>overall diversity</u> and among the top three firms for <u>equity partnership diversity</u>. The firm demonstrated increases in minority representation both overall and within the equity partnership from the 2021 survey.

Again this year, *Law360* determined its 2022 Diversity Snapshot results by creating a pipeline score for each firm, which incorporates data from *Law360*'s historical surveys and the American Bar Association. The score is based on each firm's minority representation at every seniority level and measures the percentage points above or below *Law360*'s set of benchmarks. Sterne Kessler exceeded the benchmarks for the second consecutive year with a pipeline score of +3.6, positioning it among the 16.5% of all 291 participating firms to do so.

Director and Diversity & Inclusion Committee Chair <u>Gaby L. Longsworth, Ph.D.</u> commented: "We at Sterne Kessler are proud to be included among the leading firms of our size for diverse attorney representation. We strive to continue increasing our diversity in all of our attorney and staff levels by fostering a welcoming, equitable, and inclusive culture, providing professional development and mentoring, and offering insightful programming. We have a keen focus on diversity, equity, and inclusion in all that we do within the firm and for our clients."

Read more about *Law360*'s 2022 Diversity Snapshot results and methodology <u>here</u> and view all articles related to the Diversity Snapshot <u>here</u>. Information about Sterne Kessler's diversity and inclusion efforts can be found on the firm's website <u>here</u>.

About Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox

Based in Washington, D.C. and renowned for more than four decades for dedication to the protection, transfer, and enforcement of intellectual property rights, Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox is one of the most highly regarded intellectual property specialty law firms in the world. Its team of attorneys, registered patent agents, students, and technical specialists include some of the country's most respected practitioners of IP law tackling innovations across a broad spectrum of industries. The firm's practitioners hold over 50 masters and over 60 doctorate degrees in science or engineering and represent Fortune 500 companies, entrepreneurs, startups, inventors, venture capital firms, and universities in a client service driven environment that is welcoming, inclusive, and intellectually stimulating. Visit the firm online at sternekessler.com.

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