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Consultant to: Carpenter, Zuckerman & Rowley

Location: 8827 West Olympic Blvd.

Beverly Hills, CA 90211-3613

Year: 2018

Involvement: Kaye v. North Valley Swim, Nunes, Heimann, et al. Plaintiff. Secondary

drowning incident which occurred during an end of school year pool party.

Reference: Stephen Glass, (310) 273-1230, www.czrlaw.com

Kyle Madison, Esq., (310) 201-7676

Consultant to: Mesch, Clark, Rothschild

Location: 259 N. Meyer Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85701-1090

Year: 2018

Involvement: Hu / Bi v. WBLMT DBA: Doubetree by Hilton – Tucson. Plaintiff. Drowning of

a guest from China in the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Michael Crawford, Esq., (520) 624-8886 (O), (520) 798-1037 (F)

mcrawford@mcrazlaw.com

Consultant to: Harris Personal Injury Lawyers
Location: 301 Mission Ave., Suite 203

Oceanside, CA 92054

Year: 2018

Involvement: Lloyd v. Young. Plaintiff. Passenger riding in the boat was injured when the

vessel operator hit a submerged sandbar while pulling a guest on an innertube.

Reference: John LeClair, Esq.

(760) 231-9970, www.harrispersonalinjury.com

Consultant to: Baggett, McCall, Burgess, Watson & Gaughan, LLC.

Location: 3006 Country Club Road

P.O. drawer 7820

Lake Charles, LA 70606-7820

Year: 2018

Involvement: Moffett v. City of Natchitoches, Louisiana. Plaintiff. Non fatal secondary

drowning incident. A 5-year old camper was thrown into the deep end of the city

pool by a lifeguard during a day camp swimming lesson.

Reference: Christopher McCall, Esq.

(337) 478-8888, www.baggettmccall.com

Consultant to: Doherty & Progar

Location: 100 Lincolnway, Suite 202

Valparaiso IN 46383-5663

Year: 2018

Involvement: Winters v. Lifeline Youth Ministries, Ideal Beach – Elkhart, IN. Defendant. A

young camper was involved in a fatal drowning incident while attending a

summer day camp program held in Heaton Lake.

Reference: Edward D'Arcy, Esq.

(219) 513-9000, edd@dohrty-progar

Consultant to: King Swim
Location: P.O. Box 1252

Mornington, Victoria 3931, Australia

Year: 2017

Involvement: Prepared report on roof, laminate timber beams, and acoutical tile damage to at

the Narre Warren and Mornington pool facilities being leased to YMCA Aquatic

Education, LTD.

Reference: Phil King, Owner

+61 419 307 351phil@pkh.net.au

Consultant to: Wolk & Levine, LLP

Location: 535 N. Brand Blvd, Suite 950

Glendale, CA 91203

Year: 2017

Involvement: Mazer v. Broadmoor Huntington Harbor Community Association. Plantiff.

Improper maintenance and chemical treatment of a landscape feature / lagoon that gave off offensive odors and chemical gasses that resulted in the plaintiff

having to move and sell her home.

Reference: Laura A. Free, Esq., Sarah Wolk, Esq., Zach Levine, Esq.

(818) 241-7499

Consultant to: Lewis, Brisbois

Location: 633 W. 5th Street, Suite 4000

Los Angeles, CA 90071

Year: 2017

Involvement: Assisted Living Facilities Project

Reference: David M. Samuels, Esq.

(213) 281-5240, David.Samuels@lewisbrisbois.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola, Wood, Campora

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2017

Involvement: Sullivan v. Lake Wildwood HOA. Plaintiff. Plaintiffs contracted Hemolytic

Uremic Syndrome from 0157:H7 E.Coli infections transmitted through

contaminated lake water.

Reference: Jonathan Hayes, Esq.

(916) 379-3500, jhayes@ dbbwc.com

Consultant to: Marler, Clark

Location: 1012 1st Ave., Floor 5

Seattle, WA 98104-1008

Year: 2017

Involvement: Shane v. Montebello Essex Apartments. Plaintiff. Plaintiff contracted

Legionnaires' Disease from an improperly maintained apartment complex spa.

Reference: Bruce Clark, Esq.; (206) 346-1891, bclark@marlerclark.com

Consultant to: Jones, Waldo, Holbrook & McDonough, P.C.

Location: 170 South Main Street, Suite 1500

Salt Lake City, UT 84101

Year. 2017

Involvement: Nelson v. Seven Peaks Waterpark SLC, Inc. Plaintiff. Guest suffered neck and

shoulder injuries when he collided with the side wall and was ejected while riding

down an open waterpark flume.

Reference: Brady Rasmussen, Esq., (801) 521-3200, BRasmussen@joneswaldo.com

Consultant to: Faiella & Gulden, P.A.

Location: 234 West Park Ave., Suite 101

Winter Park, FL 32789-7701

Year: 2017

Involvement: Richardson / Smith v. Hyatt Corporation. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a young

> boy who had been using the water slide which terminated in a deceptively deep water swimming pool at the Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress Hotel – Orlando.

Elizabeth Faiella, Esq., (407) 647-6111, elizabeth@faiella.com Reference:

Consultant to: **Everett. Dorev. LLP**

Location: One MacArthus Place, Suite 110

Santa Ana. CA 92707

Year.

Involvement: Shephard v. The Oaks Apartment Homes, et al,.

Reference: Samantha E. Dorey, Esq.

(949) 771-9233

Consultant to: **Kirst & Associates**

Location: 2360 Corporate Circle, Suie 320

Henderson, NV 89074

Year: 2017

Involvement: Wright v. Cleremont. Defendant. Plaintiff stepped in front of the ski boat in an

attempt to assist with anchoring as the operator was attempting to beach the

boat.

Reference: Stevem M. Goldstein, Esq.

(702) 726-3343 (D), Paul.Kirst@allstste.com

Consultant to: HB Construction Products, Inc.

Location: 1105 S. Fontenac Street

Aurora, IL 60504

Year: 2017

Involvement: Investigated and prepared a report on surface damage caused by poor water

quality maintenance at the Greater Wichita YMCA – Newton YMCA pools.

Reference: Heather Ruhl, Area Technical Specialist

(331) 454-3787, heather.ruhl@hbfuller.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola, Wood, Campora

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2017

Involvement: Tyurina v. UrbanaTahoe. Plaintiff. Hotel guest fell off the privately owned

pier adjacent to the hotel property while walking on the pier at night. The pier extended 1,000 feet out into Lake Tahoe and was not lit and did not have guard rails. Water level in the lake was low due to drought conditions, and plaintiff suffered a catastrophic spinal injury when she hit the beach

below.

Reference: Roger Dreyer, Esq., (916) 379-3500, rdreyer@ dbbwc.com

Consultant to: Clausen, Miller, PC Location: 10 S. La Salle Street

Chicago, IL 60603

Year: 2017

Involvement: Holly / Poole v. JRK Property Holdings, BG Staffing. Defendant. Fatal

drowning of a young girl who was playing with her cousin and friend and left

unsupervised in an apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: James Bigoness, Esq., jbigoness@clausen.com

Consultant to: Shook & Stone Location: 710 S. 4th Street

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2017

Involvement: Belworthy v. Nevada Property 1, LLC. DBA: The Cosmopolitan of Las

Vegas. Plaintiff. Guest suffered skin irritation and burns, and inhalation injuries which resulted in in impaired lung function as a result of being exposed to

extremely high levels of chlorine in the spa pool.

Reference: John Shook, Esq., Leonard Stone, Esq., Sara Hill, Kiana O'Day, Litigation

Assistant

(702) 385-2220 (O), (702) 384-0394 ko'day@shookandstone.com

Consultant to: Kershaw, Cook & Talley, PC

Location: 401 Watt Ave.

Sacramento, CA 95864

Year: 2017

Involvement: Palla v. LM Sports (Lakeside Marina), Action Watersports of Tahoe,

Paul Garcia. Plaintiff. The young woman suffered extensive prop injuries resulting in amputation, while attempting to reboard a rental boat after

tubing.

Reference: Anthony Garilli, Esq.

(916) 779-7000 (O), anthony@kctlegl.com

Consultant to: **Pfau, Cochran, Vertetis, Amala**Location: 403 Columbia Street, Suite 500

Seattle, WA 98104

Year: 2017

Involvement: Yakab / Makki v. Silverwood Alliance Apartments. Plaintiff. Drowning of

a 7 year old refugee child from Sudan in an apartment complex swimming

pool.

Reference: Loren Cochran, Esq.

(253) 777-0799

Consultant to: Wilcoxen, Callaham

Location: 2114 K Street

Sacramento, CA 95816

Year: 2017

Involvement: Rao v. High Sierra Water Ski School. Plaintiff. Tubing accident on Lake

Tahoe. Two girls were thrown off the tube when the ski boat hit a wake/wave. The carabiner connecting the tube to the tow rope failed and imbedded itself in

plaintiff's calf muscles.

Reference: Christopher Romero, Esq.

(916) 442-2777 (O), CRomero@wilcoxenlaw.com

Consultant to: Miles & Stockbridge
Location: 100 Light Street

Baltimore, MD 21202

Year: 2017

Involvement: Harvilicz v. Hilton Franchise Holding, Doubletree Hotel. Plaintiff.

Drowning of a young boy during a neighbor child's birthday party held at a

hotel pool.

Reference: Michael Blumenfeld, Esq.

(410) 385-3571 x1, mblumenfeld@milesstockbridge.com

Consultant to: Law Office of Gunter Mihaescu

Location: 5032 Woodminster Lane

Oakland, CA 94602

Year: 2017

Involvement: Fiepz v. City of Freemont. Plaintiff. Trip and fall over a raised VGB

compliant main drain grate in the Bucket Bay shallow water pool, resulting in

a broken ankle.

Reference: Gunter Mihaescu, Esq.

(415) 617-5864 (O), (510) 717-3196 (C), gunter@mihaesculaw.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Otto L. Haselhoff

Location: 201 Wilshire Blvd. 2nd Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90401

Year: 2016

Involvement: Valle v. Demi Moore, The Treehouse Trust. Plaintiff. Fatal drowning of a

guest during a late night pool party while the homeowner was away.

Reference: Otto L. Haselhoff, Esq.

(301) 434-9260, otto@olhpc.com

Consultant to: **Eisenberg, Gilchrist & Cutt**Location: 215 s. State Street, Suite 900

Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Year: 2016

Involvement: Harris v. Marriott Mountainside Resort. Plaintiff. Disease transmission

through whirlpool spa water.

Reference: Jonathan Kendell, Esq.

(801) 366-9100 (O), jkendell@egclegal.com

Consultant to: **Gilden, Tilten, Thomas, Cordell**Location: 1001 Fourth Ave., Suite 400

Seattle, WA 98154

Year: 2016

Involvement: Danforth v. L.A. Fitness. Plaintiff. Head to head collision between 2 lap

swimmers causing the plaintiff to suffer a traumatic brain injury.

Reference: Mark Wilner, Esq.

(206) 467-6477, mwilner@gordontilten.com

Consultant to: Niles Law Firm

Location: P.O. Box 2626, 1800 Radisson Tower, 201 N. Fifth Street

Fargo, ND 58108

Year: 2016

Involvement: Kadoun / Jurado v. Patten Westgor DBA Super 8 Motel. Defendant.

Fatal drowning of a teenaged nonswimmer who drifted into deep water in a

hotel swimming pool.

Reference: William Harrie, Esq.

(701) 237-5544, wharrie@nileslaw.com

Consultant to: Leavitt, Yamane & Soldner Location: 373 Bishop Street, Suite 1740

Honolulu, HI 96813

Year: 2016

Involvement: Bowery v. Wet 'N Wild Hawaii. Plaintiff. Adult woman was seriously

injured while riding a double innertube with a friend down an enclosed serpentine flume. The innertube flipped over, throwing her head into the side wall of the flume. She again hit her head on the bottom of the

splashpool after being discharged into the pool at the terminus of the flume.

Reference: Michael Cruise, Esq.

(858) 521-7474, cruise@lyslaw.com

Consultant to: Leavitt, Yamane & Soldner Location: 373 Bishop Street, Suite 1740

Honolulu. HI 96813

Year: 2016

Involvement: Pereira v. Kauai Beach Resort. Plaintiff. Resort guest fractured his

cervical vertebrae and injured his spinal cord resulting in paralysis when he

dove into a shallow, narrow width pool.

Reference: Woodruff Soldner, Esq.

(808) 521-7474, soldner@lyslaw.com

Consultant to: Michael E. Satti, Attorney at Law, LLC Location: 185 South Broad Street. Suite 301

Pawcatuck, CT 06379

Year: 2016

Involvement: Flannigan v. Mashantucket Pequot Gaming Enterprise, Foxwoods

Casino Resort. Plaintiff. (Tribal Court) Female guest contracted

necrotizing fasciiitis from an improperly maintained hotel spa.

Reference: Michael Satti, Esq.

(860) 599-5988, michael@satti-law.com

Consultant to: Kittleman, Thomas
Location: 4900-B North 10th Street

McAllen, TX 78504

Year: 2016

Involvement: Esquivel v. Brownsville, Texas Independent School District. Plaintiff.

Delayed drowning death of a disabled young woman enrolled in a high

school swimming class.

Reference: Leonel Garza, Jr., Esq. and Weldon "Beau" Nixon, Esq.

(956) 632-5047, (956) 500-0997

Igarza@ktattorneys.com bnix@ktattorneys.com

Consultant to: **Jackson & Parkinson**Location: 205 W. Alvarado Street
Fallbrook, CA 92028

and

Hawaii Accident Law Center

Pacific Guardian Center, Makai Tower

733 Bishop Street, Suite 2390

Honolulu, HI 96813

Year: 2016

Involvement: Min Sub Kim v. Aston Resorts at the Executive Center. Plaintiff. Fatal

drowning of a gentleman from Korea in a hotel pool, while on his honeymoon

in Hawaii.

Reference: Robert Jackson, Esq. (760) 723-1295, robert@jacksontrialzlawyers.com

John Choi, Esq. (808) 545-22774, attorneyjohnchoi@gmail.com

Consultant to: The Homampour Law Firm, PC Location: 15303 Ventura Blvd., Suite 1000

Sherman Oaks, CA 91403

Year: 2016

Involvement: Tansel v. Shaver Lake Sports, Southern California Edison, et al.

Plaintiff. Fatal drowning of a passenger after capsizing a rental canoe in a

cold mountain lake.

Reference: Arash Homampour, Esq., Nancy Quevedo, Legal Assistant

(323) 658-8077, nancy@homampour.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Charles D. Naylor
Location: 839 South Beacon Street, Suite 311

San Pedro, CA 90731

Year: 2016

Involvement: Carrillo v. Adventure Watersports. Plaintiff. Woman was injured in a

collision with another PWC that was overtaking them, while she was riding

as a passenger on a rented PWC.

Reference: Charles Naylor, Esq.

(310) 514-1200, cd.naylor@naylorlaw.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola, Wood, Campora

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2016

Involvement: McFarlane v. UrbanaTahoe, Adventure Motorsports of Tahoe, et al.

Plaintiff. Woman dove off a pier extending 1,000 feet out into Lake Tahoe,

to retrieve money that had blown out of her purse. She suffered a

catastrophic spinal injury when she hit the lake bottom in what turned out to

be unexpectedly very shallow water.

Reference: Roger Dreyer, Esq. and Joseph Yates, Esq.

(916) 379-3500, jyates@dbbwc.com, rdreyer@ dbbwc.com

Consultant to: Martinez & Schill

Location: 501 W. Broadway, Suite 800

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2016

Involvement: Bennion / Hansen v. Mission Valley Resort, et al. Plaintiff. Drowning of 10

year old boy in a hotel pool during a family Spring Break vacation in San Diego.

Reference: Jennifer Martinez, Esq.

(619) 512-5995, jmartinez@martinezschill.com

Consultant to: Beloryan Law Group

Location: 4730 Woodman Ave., Suite 405

Sherman Oaks, CA 91423

Year: 2016

Involvement: Bykova v. Braemar Country Club. Plaintiff. Near drowning of a three year

old girl. The child had been sitting on lounge chair on an overcrowded pool

deck and was pushed into the pool.

Reference: Haik Beloryan, Esq.

(818) 387-6428, beloryanlaw@gmail.com

Consultant to: Gillin, Jacobson, Ellis, Larson & Lucey

Location: 2 Theatre Square, Suite 230

Orinda, CA 94563

Year: 2016

Involvement: Indugula v. Saleforce.com, Ltd.; Abraham Wood, Dmitry Kryuk.

Plaintiff. The plaintiff drowned after the small overloaded boat in which he was riding capsized in Del Valle Lake, throwing all the passengers returning

to the dock after a company picnic into the water.

Reference: Luke Ellis, Esq.

(925) 253-5800 (O), (925) 253-5858 (F), luke@gjel.com

Consultant to: Lewis, Brisbois, Bisgaard & Smith, LLP

Location: 650 Town Center Drive, Suite 1400

Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Year: 2016

Involvement: Reynoso v. Irvine Company. Defendant. An 8 year old boy drowned in an

apartment complex swimming pool during a family party being held at the

pool.

Reference: Samantha E. Dorey, Esq.

(714) 668-5586, Samantha. Dorey@lewisbrisbois.com

Consultant to: Adam Barlow Law, P.C. Location: 4704 E. Southern Ave.

Mesa. AZ 85206

Year: 2016

Involvement: Nunez v. Polygroup, Ltd. (General Foam Plastic), Walmart. Plaintiff. An

eleven year old boy became entangled in a torn aboveground pool cover

while trying to pull the cover out of the water, and drowned.

Reference: Adam Barlow, Esq.

(480) 835-5553, www.facebook.com/adambarlowlaw

Consultant to: Messner, Reeves

Location: 5556 S. Fort Apache Road, Suite 100

Las Vegas, NV 89148

Year: 2016

Involvement: Kaesbauer v. Aquarius Gaming, LLC, and American Medical Response.

Defendant. Plaintiff Kaesbauer entered the pool area at the Aquarius Casino Resort after-hours, dove in to the shallow end of the pool, hit his head on the bottom of the pool, and suffered severe injuries including

paralysis.

Reference: Aaron Motschenbacher, Esq.,

(702) 363-5100 (O), (702) 363-5101 (F), amotschenbacher@messner.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Robert J. Debry & Associates

Location: 4252 South 700 East

Salt Lake City, UT 84107

Year: 2016

Involvement: Olsen v. South Valley Municipal Pool. Plaintiff. The 10 year old plaintiff

jumped off the 3 meter diving board and was in the process of surfacing when an usupervised 5 year old boy, who didn't wait for her to surface and swim out of the

area, ran off the end of the board and landed directly on top of her.

Reference: G. Steven Sullivan, Esq.

(801) 262-8915, ssullivan@robertdebry.com

Consultant to: **David H. Pierce & Associates**Location: 14724 Ventura Blvd., Suite 910
Sherman Oaks. CA 91403-3501

2016

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Involvement: Martin v. Ladera Neighborhood HOA. Plaintiff. Shallow water pool diving

accident.

Reference: Lorne Pollock, Esq.

(818) 826-5480 (O), (818) 826-5486 (F), Lpollock@dpierce.com

Consultant to: Messner, Reeves

Location: 5556 S. Fort Apache Road, Suite 100

Las Vegas, NV 89148

Year: 2016

Involvement: Longo v. Stratosphere Gambling, LLC. Defendant. A sudden gust of

wind tipped over an unoccupied lifeguard tower which landed on top of and

injured Mr. Longo while he was standing in the 8th floor outdoor pool.

Reference: Aaron Motschenbacher, Esq.,

(702) 363-5100 (O), (702) 363-5101 (F), amotschenbacher@messner.com

Consultant to: Foss Swim School
Location: 6545 Flying Cloud Dr.
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

2011

Involvement: Visited and inspected 8 of 11 locations in Minnesota and Illinois. Presented

results and recommendations to owners and management group from Foss

and Carlile Swimming Organisation.

Reference: Jonathan Foss, CEO; (952) 935-8969, jfoss@fossswimschool.com

John Coutts, 011 61 414 516 308, jcoutts@carlile.com.au

Consultant to: Conroy, Simberg, Ganon, Krevans, Abel, Lurvey, Morrow & Schefer

Location: 1801 Centrepark Drive East, Suite 200

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

Year: 2015

Involvement: Rosenberg v. Addison Reserve Country Club. Defendant. A club

member was found unconscious in the steam room located in the men's locker room, and died a week later from complications of hyperthermia.

Reference: Ashley Wilson, Esq.,

(561) 697-8088 (O), (561) 697-8664 (F), awilson@conroysimberg.com

Consultant to: Shook & Stone Location: 710 S. 4th Street

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2015

Involvement: Deshler v. Harris. Plaintiff. Guest was injured when he fell into an emptied

residential swimming pool.

Reference: John Shook, Esq., Kiana O'Day, Litigation Assistant

(702) 385-2220 (O), (702) 384-0394 ko'day@shookandstone.com

Consultant to: State of Arizona, Office of the Arizona Attorney General Location: Litigation Management Section, State Government Division

1275 West Washington Street

Phoenix, AZ 85007 Year: 2015

Involvement: Shepherd v. State of Arizona, Southwest Human Development, Inc., et al.

Defendant. Backyard pool drowning of a young Native American boy placed in

Kinship Foster Care.

Reference: Mike Tryon, Senior Litigation Counsel; Amy Smyers, Paralegal

(602) 542-7613 (O), (602) 364-2214 (F), amy.smyers@azag.gov

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola, Wood, Campora

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2015

Involvement: Mc Farlane v. Urbana Tahoe, Action Watersports of Tahoe, et al. Plaintiff.

Accident on the pier at the Beach Retreat and Lodge at Tahoe.

Reference: Roger Dreyer, Esq. and Joseph Yates, Esq., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: Mesch, Clark, Rothschild

Location: 259 N. Meyer Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85701-1090

Year: 2015

Involvement: Musabyimana / Ishumwe v. Tran Man Nguyer, Mojave Place Apartments.

Plaintiff. Drowning of a 4 year-old refugee boy from Rwanda, in the closed,

neighboring apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Michael Crawford, Esq., (520) 624-8886 (O), (520) 798-1037 (F)

mcrawford@mcrazlaw.com

Consultant to: Wicker, Smith, O'Hara, McCoy & Ford, P.A.

Location: 100 N. Tampa Street, Suite 1800

Tampa, FL 33602

Year: 2015

Involvement: Mangrum v. Lakewood Ranch Golf Company. Defendant. An elderly club

member was severely burned when he passed out and fell while in the steam

room located inside the men's locker room.

Reference: Susan Wilson, Esq., (813) 222-7221 (D), (813) 222-3939 (O), (813) 222-3938 (F)

swilson1@wiczzzkersmith.com

Consultant to: Cook, Wooten, Lerner, Griffin & Hansen

Location: 12400 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 2015

Involvement: Abbott v. San Diego Yacht Club. Defendant. A 4-tear old boy who was

attending an elementary school end-of-year party was found floating supine on the surface in the yacht club swimming pool. He was cyanotic when removed from the pool, resuscitated back to a coma state, and later taken off of life support and pronounced dead. A lifeguard had been on duty but had just left for the day. The child's mother was socializing with other parents on the grass area

near the pavilion abot 30 feet away from the pool.

Reference: Alex Gruft, Esq and Neil Lerner, Esq.

(310) 979-9144 (O), robert@jacksontriallawyers.com

Consultant to: Law Office of Frank S. Clowney III

Location: 600 B Street, Suite 2300

San Diego, CA 92101-4598

Year: 2015

Involvement: Ross v. Bain. Plaintiff. Participant in a sailing meet-up event was injured while

steping from the sailboat and onto the pier.

Reference: Frank Clowney III, Esq.

(619) 557-0458 (O), (619) 557-0482 (F), worklaw@sbcglobal.net

Consultant to: Parker, Scheer, Lagomarsino
Location: 9555 South Eastern Ave., Suite 210

Las Vegas, NV 89123

Year: 2015

Involvement: Hirata / Taylor / Jones v. Southern Nevada Health District. Plaintiffs. Three

employees who had worked as health inspectors reported pools not built to code,

safety concerns, inconsistencies with plan check, excessive delays, and suspected malfeasance filed grievances which were denied, were retaliated against and eventually forced to resign their jobs with the health district, brought

suit against the district and some supervisory employees.

Reference: Andre Lagomarsino, Esq., (702) 383-2864(O), (702) 383-0065 (F)

Consultant to: **David H. Pierce & Associates**Location: 14724 Ventura Blvd., Suite 910

Sherman Oaks, CA 91403-3501

Year: 2015

Involvement: Hodge v. Decron Properties.

Reference: Lorne Pollock, Esq.

(818) 826-5480 (O), (818) 826-5486 (F), Lpollock@dpierce.com

Consultant to: Philips, Branch & Hodges

1415 Wynnton Road, Suite A

Columbus, GA 31906

Year: 2015

Involvement: St. Paul United Methodist Church v. Gulf States Conference Association of

Seventh Day Adventists, Inc. DBA: Camp Alamisco. Defendant. Case involving indemnification issues that arose after settlement of the **Hackaday v.**Bombardier Recreational Products, Inc., et al. case in which a female camp counselor suffered serious orifice injuries requiring extensive surgery when riding

as a passenger when she was ejected off the back of a Sea-Doo.

Reference: Jason Branch, Esq., Brian Worstell, Esq.

(706) 323-6461 (O), (706) 571-0765 (F), Jason@philips-branch.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Luis A. Carrillo
Location: 1499 Huntington Drive, Suite 402

South Pasadena, CA 91030

Year: 2015

Involvement: Herrera / Ortiz v. Los Angeles Unified School District. Plaintiff. Fatal

drowning of a special needs student in a guarded public swimming pool during

an end-of-year school awards ceremony at a community park.

Reference: Luis A. Carrillo, Esq.

(626) 799-9375 (O), (626) 799-9380 (F), iac4justice@gmail.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Baker & Associates
Location: 655 N. Central Ave., Suite 2108

Glendale, CA 91203

Year: 2015

Involvement: Blevens v. Westview Condominium Association, Pacific Pinnacle Real

Estate Services, Inc. Defendant. Toddler wandered away unnoticed from his father who was in the garage cleaning out his truck and his fiance's car. The child fell into a decorative pond in the center of the complex and drowned,

Reference: Patrick Torsney, Esq.

(818) 638-8541 x145 (O), (626) 799-9380 (F), ptorsney@eibaservices.com

Consultant to: Law Office of David A. Wallis / Nationwide Mutual Insurance Comany

Location: 2251 Harvard Street, Suite 100

Sacramento, CA 95815

Year: 2015

Involvement: Lewis v. Dake. Defendant. Boat collision in the Stockton Deep Water Channel

of the San Joaquin River.

Reference: David Wallis, Esq., Sharon Gong,

(916) 921-9353 (O), (916) 283-2676 (D), (916) 921-9040 (F)

gongs@nationwide.com

Consultant to: Habush, Habush & Rottier
Location: Suite 2000, 150 E. Gilman Street

Madison, WI 53703

Year: 2015

Involvement: Newmann / Darrah v. Everts. Plaintiff. Mr. Darrah was swimming between

shore and a marked rock in Montana's Flathead Lake when he was run over by a

motorboat operated by Dr. Everts. The propeller amputated Mr. Darrah's leg and

he bled to death while being towed to shore.

Reference: Daniel Rottier, Esq.

(608) 255-6663 (O), (608) 255-0745 (F)

Consultant to: **Johnson & Gregory, PLLC**Location: 4445 E. Holmes, Suite 107

Mesa, AZ 85206

Year: 2015

Involvement: Re-Davila v. Glendale Unified High School District. Plaintiff. Novice

competitive swimmer suffered shoulder, neck, spinal and facial injuries while attempting her second ever entry from a starting block during the warm-up period

prior to an away swim meet.

Reference: Robert Gregory, Esq. and Ray Johnson, Esq.

(480) 218-4000

Consultant to: Law Offices of Sean M. Cleary, P.A. Location: 19 West Flagler Street, Suite 618

Miami, FL 33130

Year: 2015

Involvement: Sofillas v. Carnival Cruise Lines. Plaintiff. MRSA, necrotizing fasciitis, and

other bacterial infections resulting in hospitalizations and several surgical procedures caused by exposure to contaminated water in a recreational spa

aboard the Carnival Splendor.

Reference: Sean Cleary, Esq.

(305) 416-9805 (O), (305) 416-9807 (F), sean@clearypa.com

Consultant to: Elk & Elk Co., Ltd.

Location: 6105 Parkland Blvd., Suite 200

Mayfield Heights, OH 44124

Year: 2015

Involvement: Henderson v. Kalahari Resorts. Plaintiff. Indoor waterpark 3-person tube ride

accident.

Reference: William J. Price, Esq.

(440) 442-6677 (O), (440) 442-6163 (D), wprice@elkandelk.com

Consultant to: **Banafsheh, Danesh & Javid, PC**Location: 9454 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 900

Beverly Hills, CA 90212

Year: 2015

Involvement: Summers v. Hidden Valley Lake. Plaintiff. Fatal drowning of a 2 year old boy

in a private community lake located directly behind the house where the boy and

his mother were staying.

Reference: Rafael Javid, Esq.

(310) 887-1818, (310) 600-2224, rj@bhattorneys.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Sean M. Cleary, P.A. Location: 19 West Flagler Street, Suite 618

Miami. FL 33130

Year: 2015

Involvement: Atwell v. Carnival Cruise Lines. Plaintiff. Bacterial infection and resulting

medical and surgical treatments resulting from exposure to contaminated water

in a recreational spa aboard the Carnival Pride.

Reference: Sean Cleary, Esq.

(305) 416-9805 (O), (305) 416-9807 (F), sean@clearypa.com

Consultant to: Copeland, Cook, Taylor & Bush

Location: Gulf Coast Professional Towers, 2781 C.T. Switzer Sr. Drive, Suite 200

Biloxi, MS 39531

Year: 2015

Involvement: Thompson / Barnes v. Mark IV Realty. Defendant. Fatal drowning of a 5 year

old boy in an apartment complex swimming pool, while being supervised by a

caregiver.

Reference: Karen Sawyer, Esq.

(228) 863-6101 (O), (228) 867-0818 (D)

Consultant to: Waddell, Cole & Jones

Location: 310 East St., Suite A / P.O. Box 1700

Jonesboro, AR 72403

Year: 2015

Involvement: Smith / Mobley v. Brownwood Country Club. Plaintiff. Drowning of a 7 year

old boy in a guarded country club pool.

Reference: Paul Waddell, Esq.

(870) 931-1700 (O), (870) 926-2690 (C), pwaddell@wcjfirm.com

Consultant to: Shook & Stone Location: 710 S. 4th Street

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2015

Involvement: Grace v. Thatcher Company of Nevada. Plaintiff. Casino security officer

inhaled pool chemical fumes which caused respiratory distress, chemical

pneumonitis and ongoing respiratory problems.

Reference: John Shook, Esq.

(702) 385-2220 (O), (702) 384-0394 ko'day@shookandstone.com

Consultant to: Bonjour, Thorman, Baray & Billingsley

Location: 4900 Shadowfalls Drive

Martinez, CA 94553

Year: 2015

Involvement: Pastur v. Fremont Unified School District. Plaintiff. Non fatal drowning during

a poorly supervised high school physical education class.

Reference: Michael Lipzen, Esq.

(510) 785-8400 (O), (925) 917-0421, lipzen@btbandb.com

Consultant to: Help Point Claim Services

Location: P.O. Box 268994

Oklahoma City, OK 73126

Year: 2015

Involvement: Finke v. La Jolla Mesa Estates. Defendant. An adult guest was injured while

performing a forward flip into the water from the deck.

Reference: Patti Rinden, CPCU, Senior General Claims Adjuster

(714) 693-3790 (O), (714) 200-0424 (F), patti.rinden@farmersinsurance.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Otto L. Haselhoff

Location: 201 Wilshire Blvd. 2nd Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90401

Year: 2014

Involvement: Greer v. Leagcy Partners Residential, Addison Pools, Webcor

Construction, et al. Plaintiff. Diving accident in an extremely shallow

apartment rooftop swimming pool.

Reference: Otto L. Haselhoff, Esq.

(301) 434-9260, otto@olhpc.com

Consultant to: Schwartz, Semerdjian, Ballard & Cauley, LLP

Location: 101 West Broadway, Suite 810

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2014

Involvement: Cooper v. Malibu Boats. Plaintiff. The plaintiff was a passenger in a new wake

boat that was towing an inflatable. The tow line snapped, recoiled into the poorly

welded tower, and hit the plaintiff injuring him severely.

Reference: Dick Semerdjian, Esq.

(619) 699-8326 (D), (619) 236-8821 (O), (619) 236-8827 (F), das@ssbclaw.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Gary L. Grubler

Location: 610 S. Front Street

Columbus, OH 43215

Year: 2014

Involvement: Miller v. Battles. Defendant. Fatal drowning of a child of a family friend in a

residential pool. The parents had left the child at the pool during the family party, assuming that other adults present and socializing poolside would watch the

child.

Reference: Gary L. Grubler, esq.

(614) 449-5900 (O), (614) 449-5980 (F), grublerg@grangeinsurance.com

Consultant to: The Ramos Injury Firm (Colorado's Law Doctor)

Location: 801 E. 17th Avenue

Denver, CO 80218

Year: 2014

Involvement: Williamson v. City of Fruita DBA Fruita Community and Recreation Center.

Plaintiff. Mr. Williamson was injured when the jump board he was using recoiled

and broke his leg.

Reference: Dale Pugh, Esq.

(303) 733-6353 (O), (303) 865-5666 F), dpugh@ramosinjuryfirm.com

Consultant to: Martinian & Associates, Inc.

Location: 2801 Cahuenga Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90068

Year: 2014

Involvement: Torrico / Beltran v. Sedgwick, El Dorado Mobile Home Park. Plaintiff. Fatal

drowning of a young boy who was a guest and visiting his uncle who lived at the mobile home park. Lack of supervision, inadequate barriers, inoperable lights,

and inadequate illumination were issues in the case.

Reference: Tigran Martinian, Esq.

(323) 952-2987 (D), (323) 850-1943 (F), ak@martinianlaw.com

Consultant to: Rizio & Nelson

Location: 1801 H Parkcourt Place

Santa Ana, CA 92701

Year: 2014

Involvement: Miranda v. Palos Verdes Inn – Redondo Beach, CA. Plaintiff.

Reference: Unwitnessed fatal drowning. The 14 year old was at the pool with family friends

who had checked in to the hotel for the day in order to use the swimming pool.

Reference: Eric Ryan, Esq., Gregory Rizio, Esq.

(714) 505-2468 (O), (714) 547-1245 (F), grizio@rizioandnelson.com

Consultant to: **Boyd, Prazak**

Location: 2301 Moores Lane, P.O. Box 6297

Texarkana, TX 75505-6297

Year: 2014

Involvement: Scott / Smith v. American National Red Cross, Jason Thompson. Plaintiff.

Near drowning of a young boy at a guarded public swimming pool, who survived,

but in a permanent vegetative state.

Reference: Jack Boyd, Esq.

(903) 838-6123 (O), (903) 832-8489 (F), jboyd@boydprazak.com

Consultant to: Calendo, Puckett, Sheedy, LLP Location: 701 N. Brand Blvd., Suite 300

Glendale, CA 91203-1242

Year: 2014

Involvement: Molina v. Rivera. Defendant. Drowning of a 1-1/2 year old child in a rental

property backyard swimming pool.

Reference: Chris M. Sheedy, Esq.

(818) 549-1935 (O), (818) 549-1942 (D), (818) 549-0037 (F), law23@cpsd.com

Consultant to: The Rooney Law Firm

Location: 42104 N. Venture Drive, Suite D126

Anthem. AZ 85086

Year: 2014

Involvement: Khan v. Doubletree Hotel – Tucson, AZ. Plaintiff. Fatal drowning of a guest in

the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Kristen A. Rooney, Esq.

(623) 551-7942 (O), (866) 594-4694 (F)

Consultant to: Emmanuel Law Group

Location: 702 Marshall Street, Suite 400

Redwood City, CA 94063

Year: 2014

Reference:

Involvement: Li / Xiong v. Arcadia Management Services Company DBA: The Woods

Apartments, **et al.** Plaintiff. A female graduate student from China drowned in an apartment complex swimming pool. Inadequate illumination for nighttime

swimming was a factor in the case. Deirdre O'Reilly Marblestone, Esq.

(650) 369-8900 (O), (650) 369-8999 (F), dom@teinjurylaw.com

Consultant to: The Orloski Law Firm

Location: 111 North Cedar Crest Blvd.

Allentown, PA 18104-4602

Year: 2014

Involvement: Spady v. Bethlehem Area School District, et al. Plaintiff. Death of a high

school physical education student from delayed or secondary drowning.

Reference: Richard J. Orloski, Esq.

(610) 433-2363 (O), (610) 433-4785 (F), RJO@orloskilaw.com

Consultant to: David H. Pierce & Associates

Location: 14724 Ventura Blvd., Suite 910

Sherman Oaks, CA 91403-3501

Year: 2014

Involvement: Hodge v. Decron Properties. Plaintiff. Spinal injury resulting from a head first

entry into a very shallow apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Lorne Pollock, Esq.

(818) 826-5480 (O), (818) 826-5486 (F), Lpollock@dpierce.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Sean M. Cleary, P.A.

Location: 19 West Flagler Street, Suite 618

Miami. FL 33130

Year: 2013

Involvement: Lankford v. Carnival Cruise Lines. Lawsuit filed against the cruise line as a

result of disease transmission trough improperly maintained spa water on its 24

ships.

Reference: Sean Cleary, Esq.

(305) 416-9805 (O), (305) 416-9807 (F), sean@clearypa.com

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry
Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101-1419

Year: 2013

Involvement: Muntean / De Mos v. Morales, Ever Clear Pools, et al. Plaintiff. Several

individuals were attacked and bitten by a German Shepherd that was able to escape from a fenced backyard with a poorly maintained gate, while the pool

technician was servicing the pool.

Reference: Angela Jae, Esq.

(619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232 (F)

Consultant to: Hasenyager & Summerill

Location: 1004 24th Street

Ogden, UT 84401

Year: 2013

Involvement: Sagapolu v. Roy City. Plaintiff. An adult male, recreational diver, tore

ligaments in his knee when he slipped while performing a hurdle on a diving board. The aluminum oxide at the tip of the board was very worn and the board

was slippery.

Reference: James Hasenyager, Esq.

(801) 621-3662 (O), (801) 392-2543 (F)

Consultant to: Bennett, Samuelsen, Reynolds & Allard

1301 Marina Village Parkway, Suite 300

Alameda, CA 94501-1094

Year: 2013

Involvement: Jones v. Newell. Defendant homeowner. Pre-school aged boy drowned in a

residential pool while attending day care being operated on the premises by the

renter of the property.

Reference: David Samuelsen, Esq.

(510) 444-7688 (O), (510) 444-5849 (F)

Consultant to: Vorys, Slater, Seymour & Pease

700 Louisiana Street, Suite 4100

Houston, TX 77002

Year: 2013

Involvement: Flores v. City of Corpus Christi. Defendant slide manufacturer. Mr. Flores

was injured while exiting the flume in a prone, head first position.

Reference: Paul Kerlin, Esq.

(713) 588-7004 (0), (713) 588-7065 (F), pbkerlin@vorys.com

Consultant to: **Just Float, Inc.**

Location: 2342 Canyon Crest Drive

Laverne, CA 91750

Year: 2013

Involvement: Consultation and preparation of the design program for a new line of sensory

deprivation tanks.

Reference: Jim Hefner

(949) 375-1190 (O), jim@justfloat.com

Consultant to: Fennemore, Craig

Location: 2394 E. Camelback Road, Suite 600

Phoenix, AZ 85016

Year: 2013

Involvement: Carillo v. Ostlund. Plaintiff. A pre school aged girl suffered a non fatal

drowning resulting in brain damage. The siblings were playing in the backyard of the rental property where they had recently moved, and while their parents were momentarily distracted in the adjacent laundry room, Courtney fell into the deep

end of the pool.

James Goodnow, Esq.

(602) 916-5440 9D), (602) 916-5640 (F), jgoodnow@fclaw.com

Consultant to: Poyner, Spruill

P.O. Box 353, 130 S. Franklin Street Rocky Mount, NC 27802-0353

Year: 2013

Involvement: Hall v. Scottish Hills Recreational Club. Plaintiff. Drowning of a young female

swimmer in the community pool.

Reference: Timothy Wilson, Esq.

(252) 972-7114 (D), (252) 972-7045 (F), Twilson@poynerspruill.com

Consultant to: Philips, Branch & Hodges

1415 Wynnton Road, Suite A

Columbus, GA 31906

Year: 2013

Involvement: Hackaday v. Bombardier Recreational Products, Inc., et al. Plaintiff. A

female camp counselor suffered serious orifice injuries requiring extensive

surgery when riding as a passenger she was thrown off the back of a Sea-Doo.

Reference: Jason Branch, Esq.

(706) 323-6461 (O), (706) 571-0765 (F), Jason@philips-branch.com

Consultant to: Bearnson & Caldwell

Location: 399 N. Main Street, Suite 270

Logan, UT 84321

Year: 2013

Involvement: Bassett v. Four Seasons Apartments. A young boy wandered away from a

wedding reception, climbed under the barrier fence to gain access to an apartment complex swimming pool. Once relatives realized he was missing, a

search ensued, and he was found submerged and drowned in the pool.

Reference: Brad Bearnson, Esq.

(435) 752-6300 (O), (435) 752-6301 (F), bbearnson@bearnsonlaw.com

Consultant to: Schechter, Mc Elwee, Shaffer & Harris, LLP

3200 Travis, rd Floor

Houston, TX 77006

Year: 2013

Involvement: Middleton v. Quality Hotel. Plaintiff. Suction entrapment accident which

occurred in a hotel spa in Houma, Louisiana.

Reference: Matthew Shaffer, Esq.

(713) 337-8304 (D), (713) 524-3500 (O). (713) 751-0412 (F)

mshaffer@smslegal.com

Consultant to: **Boyle, Shaughnessy & Campo**Location: 280 Trumbull Street, 23rd Floor

Hartford, CT 06103

Year: 2013

Involvement: Maclay v. Curatolo, et al. Defendant. An autistic 7 year old boy in foster care

had a seizure and drowned in a residential swimming pool, while being given a 1-

on-1 swimming lesson by a neighbor.

Reference: Kevin Kratzer, Esq.

(860) 952-9800 (O), (860) 278-7757 (F), kkratzer@BSCtrialattorneys.com

Consultant to: AIG

Location: P.O. Box 25588

Shawnee Mission, KS 66225

Year: 2013

Involvement: Knapp / Blacktop Realty Advisors. Drowning of a young boy in the Jefferson at

Carmel Mountain Ranch apartment complex swimming pool. The child and several other children were being supervised by a resident, while his mother

went to pick up dinner.

Reference: Annemarie Malekos, Director, San Ramon Complex Case Unit

(925) 901-2223 (O), (925) 487-2346 (F), Annemarie.malekos@aig.com

Consultant to: Wilson, Elser. Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker

Location: 300 S. 4th Street, 11th Floor

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2013

Involvement: Olds v. Wynn Las Vegas. Defendant. An elderly gentleman slipped-and-fell

while walking on the deck between the Encore European Pool and his chaise

lounge.

Reference: Lara Hoover, Esq.

(702) 727-1247 (D), (702) 727-1400 (O)(702) 727-1401 (F)

lara.hoover@wilsonelser.com

Consultant to: Farmers Insurance

Location: Western Commercial Claims Office, CCO-Y6

P.O. Box 268 994

Oklahoma City, OK 73126-8994

Year: 2013

Involvement: Miramar Terrace HOA, Claim: 8001467943-1-1. Drowning of an adult resident in

the apartment complex spa.

Reference: Mark Jones, Senior General Claims Adjuster

(559) 299-0426, (866) 275-5917, (877) 217-1389 (F), mark.1.jones@hpcs.com

Consultant to: Marquis, Aurbach, Coffing

Location: 10001 Park Run Drive

Las Vegas, NV 89145

Year: 2013

Involvement: Johnson v. Wynn Las Vegas. Defendant. Slip-and-fall accident while walking

on the deck next to the Encore Family Pool.

Reference: Tye Hanseen, Esq.

(702) 207-6080 (D), (702) 856-8949 (F), thanseen@maclaw.com

Consultant to: Nordstrom, Steele, Nicolette & Blythe

Location: 17542 East 17th Street, Suite 470

Tustin, CA 92780

Year: 2013

Involvement: Evans v. City of Twentynine Palms, Twenty-Nine Palms Youth Club, et al.

Plaintiff. Non fatal drowning during a summer camp outing to a public swimming

pool.

Reference: Alan Nicolette, Esq.

(714) 750-1010 (O), (714) 750-0786 (F)

Consultant to: Mc Laughlin & Laurcella, P.C.

Location: One Commerce Square, 2005 Market Street, Suite 2300

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Year: 2013

Involvement: Smith / Williams v. Outdoor World, et al. Plaintiff. Drowning of a 6 year old

girl in a campground resort pool in the Pocono Mountains, during a family and

friends reunion.

Reference: Paul Lauricella, Esq.

(267) 238-9786 (D), (215) 568-1510 (O), (215) 568-4170 (F)

pal@best-lawyers.com

Consultant to: Rake Law Group

Location: 2701 East Camelback Road, Suite 160

Phoenix, AZ 85016

Year: 2013

Involvement: Bartleman v. Sheraton Operating Corporation, et al. Plaintiff. Adult male

broke his leg when it caught on the side of the flume just after he entered the

open serpentine, fiberglass waterslide.

Reference: Daniel Benchoff, Esq.

(602) 773-2652 (O), (602) 265-2628 (F), dbenchoff@aztriallaw.com

Consultant to: Blank, Moorstein & Lipshutz Location: 11 Rockville Pike, Suite 400

Rockville, MD 20850

Year: 2013

Involvement: Fleming v. Rolling Hills Apartments. Plaintiff. Guest injured his leg when the

ABS plastic ladder rung broke while he was exiting the pool.

Reference: Stuart Lipshutz, Esq.

(301) 279-2200 (O), (301) 279-7138 (F)

Consultant to: The Thurswell Law Firm
Location: 1000 Town Center, Suite 500

Southfield, MI 48075-1221

Year: 2013

Involvement: Green v. Embassy Suites Hotel – Livonia, MI. Plaintiff. Fatal drowning during

a birthday party held in a hotel swimming pool. The child's body was obstructed

from view by a waterfall and cloudy, murky water.

Reference: Ardiana Culaj, Esq.

(248) 354-2222 (O), (248) 354-2323 (F), aculaj@thurswell.com

Consultant to: Kirk & Zurawski / Liberty Mutual Group, Inc.

Location: 600 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1200

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 2013

Involvement: Genovesi / Moquin v. John Larkin, Inc. DBA Santa Monica Fence, et al.

Defendant. Homeowner invited a homeless woman and her children over to her house after church, for lunch and to see their new puppies. A 6 year old girl drowned in the backyard pool as the children were playing while lunch was being

prepared.

Reference: Jeffrey C. Myers, Esq.

(213) 228-2466 (O), (213) 627-7144 (F)

Consultant to: Bremer, Whyte

Location: 21271 Burbank Blvd., Suite 110

Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Year: 2013

Involvement: Malek v. Palmer Sand Canyon. Defendant. A 2-year old girl drowned in the

apartment complex swimming pool on a Friday evening while her relatives and

their guests were having a family gathering and dinner on the pool deck.

Reference: Patrick Au, Esq.

(818) 712-9800 (O), pu@bremerandwhyte.com

Consultant to: Robinson, Calcagnie, Robinson, Shapiro, Davis, Inc.

Location: 893 East Briar Drive

San Bernardino, CA 92408

Year: 2013

Involvement: Reese v. Leslie's Swimming Pool Supplies, et al. Plaintiff. Pool filter

explosion case which resulted in severe brain injury.

Reference: William Shapiro, Esq.

(909) 890-1000 (O), (909) 890-1001 (F), www.orangecountylaw.com

Consultant to: **John M. O'Brien & Associates**Location: 9401 East Stockton Blvd., Suite 225

Elk Grove. CA 95624

Year: 2012

Involvement: Morris v. HO Sports, Costco. Plaintiff. Mr. Morris suffered severe head and

spinal trauma when the inflatable device on which he was being towed became

airborne, throwing him onto jagged rocks on shore.

Reference: John O'Brien, Esq.

(916) 714-8200 (O), (916) 714-8201 (F), jobrien@jobrienlaw.com

Consultant to: Rubin, Hay & Gould

Location: 205 Newbury Street, P.O. Box 786

Framingham, MA 01701

Year: 2012

Involvement: Weissman v. French Woods Performing Arts Camp. Defendants. A young

male camper was injured when he fell, became entangled in an additional tow line and was dragged behind the ski boat while attempting a waterski trick he had

not been given permission to try.

Reference: Melissa Paradis, Esq. and Rod Gould, Esq.

(508) 875-5222 (O), (508) 879-6803 (F)

Consultant to: Hakeem, Ellis & Marengo
Location: 3414 Brookside Road, Suite 100

Stockton, CA 95219

Year: 2012

Involvement: Por Lee v. San Joaquin Community College District. Plaintiff. Por Lee was a

19 year old male student enrolled in a swim class at the community college. After some brief instruction, students were given free swim time. Lee and a couple of other students made their way to the deep end and were surface diving to the bottom of the pool. Lee did not resurface. The instructor was on the other

side of the pool and not providing direct supervision at the time. Lee near

drowned, and suffered brain injuries.

Reference: Peter Manion, Esq.

(209) 474-2800 (O), Fax (209) 474-3654 (F), pmanion@hemlaw.com

Consultant to: Kemp, Jones & Coulthard

Location: Wells Fargo Tower, 3800 Howard Hughes Parkway, 17th Floor

Las Vegas, NV 89169

Year: 2012

Involvement: O'Brien v. Forever Resorts, et al. Plaintiffs. Ms. O'Brien's foot was impaled on

a boat cleat during a collision between a small powerboat and a houseboat that

was attempting to beach.

Reference: Kevin Murphy, Esq., (619) 684-684-5073 (O), (619) 234-8509 (F)

Randall Jones, Esq., (702) 385-6000 (O), (702) 385-6001 (F)

Consultant to: Rake Law Group

Location: 2701 East Camelback Road

Phoenix, AZ 85016-43261

Year: 2012

Involvement: Taranto, Prescott & Brady v. Aramark Sports and Entertainment Services.

Plaintiffs. Fatal boating accident on Lake Powell. Three couples rented a powerboat for a trip to Rainbow Bridge. On their return trip, they encountered bad weather, the boat rapidly took on water and sank. Four of the six individuals

drowned.

Reference: Buddy Rake, Esq. and Daniel Benchoff, Esq.

(602) 264-9081 (O), (602) 265-2628, brake@aztrilalaw.com

Consultant to: Vannah & Vannah

Location: 400 South Fourth Street, Sixth Floor

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2012

Involvement: Jenkins v. Pentair Pool Products, and Designs by Jay. Plaintiff. Pool filter

explosion case which resulted in severe facial and head trauma, and traumatic

brain injury.

Reference: Mark Jackson, Esq.

(702) 369-4161 (O), (702) 369-0104 (F), mjackson@vannahlaw.com

Consultant to: Fieger, Fieger, Kenny, Giroux & Danzig

Location: 19390 West Ten Mile Road

Southfield, MI 48075-2463

Year: 2012

Involvement: Orlans v. Macomb County Intermediate School District. Plaintiff. Cognitively

impaired special needs student was participating in an inadequately supervised school swim activity when he suffered a non fatal drowning which resulted in

anoxic encephalopathy and permanent brain damage.

Reference: James Craig, Esq.

(248) 355-5555 (O), (248) 355-5148 (F), j.craig@fiegerlaw.com

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry
Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101-1419

Year: 2012

Involvement: Kormylo v. Forever Resorts-Callville Bay. Plaintiff. While swimming in a quiet

cove during a Boy Scout outing on Lake Mead, Dr. Kormylo was run over and

injured by a maintenance boat that entered the anchorage.

Reference: Angela Jae, Esq. and David Casey, Esq.

(619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232 (F)

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry
Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101-1419

Year: 2012

Involvement: Olds v. Mac Gregor Sailboats, Saidah, Hearts of Sailing Foundation.

Plaintiff. A 26 foot Mac Gregor sailboat capsized while carrying the operator and 9 passengers on a day sail on San Diego Bay. The trip was organized to provide sailing trips for families of persons with special needs. The accident resulted in 2

fatalities. Design, ballast and loading issues were involved.

Reference: Robert Francavilla, Esq. and Angela Jae, Esq.

(619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232 (F)

Consultant to: Farmers Insurance

Location: Help Point Claims Services of Farmers

P.O. Box 268994

Oklahoma City, OK 73126-8994

Year: 2012

Involvement: Purcel v. The Boulders Homeowners Association. Defendant. A guest who

had been soaking in the spa after the pool facility closed for the evening, attempted to climb over the wrought iron fence, fell and impaled herself on the

fence.

Reference: Michela Hendrickson, Senior Claims Adjuster

(925) 998-4846 (O), (877) 217-1389 (F), michela.Hendrickson@hpcs.com

Consultant to: Khorrami, LLP

Location: 360 22nd Street, Suite 640

Oakland, CA 94612

Year: 2012

Involvement: Dixon v. Promesa, Wendy Ford, County of Merced, Approachable Foster

Family Agency. Plaintiff. Fatal drowning of a child in a backyard swimming pool

of the residence where he had been placed in foster care.

Reference: Elise Sanguinetti, Esq.

(510) 867-2000 (O), (866) 546-7377 (F),

Consultant to: Aitken, Aitken & Cohn

Location: 3 Mc Arthur Place, Suite 800, P.O. Box 2555

Santa Ana, CA 92707

Year: 2012

Involvement: Vera v. Talegra Homeowners Association. Plaintiff. A teenaged boy was

soaking in the spa with friends when he got up and dove into the adjacent swimming pool. He was rendered unconscious, and suffered serious spinal

injuries after diving into the pool and hitting the bottom.

Reference: Richard Cohn, Esq.

(714) 434-1424 (O), (714) 434-3600 (F), (949) 579-0811 (C)

Consultant to: The Law Offices of Jan K. Apo

Location: Wailuku Executive Center, 24 N. Church Street, Suite 302

Wailuku, HI 96793

Year: 2012

Involvement: Olebara v. Marriott Hotel Services, Inc. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a 6 year

old boy in a 9'6" deep waterslide splash pool located at the Wailea Beach (Maui)

Marriott Resort & Spa.

Reference: Jan Apo, Esq.

(808) 244-6073 (O), (808) 244-6244 (F), jankapo@maui.net

Consultant to: Laticrete International, Inc.

Location: 91 Amity Road

Bethany, CT 06524

Year: 2012

Involvement: Water testing and analysis.

Reference: Steven Fine

(203) 393-0015 x 409 (O), (203) 393-7275 (F)

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry
Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101-1419

Year: 2012

Involvement: Hernandez v. The Welk Group, Inc.; DBA: Welk Resort San Diego. Plaintiff.

Mrs. Hernandez was carrying her infant child while walking on a worn, wet and slippery pool deck at the Lawrence Welk Resort, when she slipped and fell.

Reference: Robert Francavilla, Esq.

(619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232 (F)

Consultant to: Wilcoxen, Callaham

Location: 2114 K Street

Sacramento, CA 95816

Year: 2012

Involvement: Bove v. Pentair. Plaintiff. Pool filter separation/explosion which severely injured

Mrs. Bove.

Reference: Bill Callaham, Esq.

(916) 442-2777 (O), (916) 442-4118 (F), www.wilcoxenlaw.com

Consultant to: Boyd, Poff & Burgess

Location: 2301 Moores Lane, P.O. Box 6297

Texarkana, TX 75505-6297

Year: 2012

Involvement: Scott / Smith v. City of Sulphur Springs, TX; NASCO, et al. Plaintiff. Near

drowning of a young boy at a guarded public swimming pool, who survived, but in

a permanent vegetative state.

Reference: Jack Boyd, Esq.

(903) 838-6123 (O), (903) 832-8489 (F)

Consultant to: Law Office of Philip H. Lowenthal Location: 33 N. Market Street, Suite 101

Wailuku. HI 96793

Year: 2012

Involvement: State of Hawaii v. Eric Olbrich. Defendant. Criminal case. Capt. Olbrich was

taking a group of tourists on a snorkeling trip just outside of Kaumalapau Harbor

on Lanai. Mr. Amoncio, who was wearing a camouflaged wetsuit and

spearfishing with his wife about 250-300 yards outside of the breakwall, surfaced right in front of the vessel being operated by Olbrich. Amoncio was struck by the

vessel and fatally injured.

Reference: Samuel G. Mac Roberts, Esq.

(808) 242-5000 (O), (808) 242-1500 (F), sgm@lowenthal-hawaii.com

Consultant to: Chambers, Noronha & Kubota

Location: 2070 N. Tustin Ave.

Santa Ana, CA 92705-7827

Year: 2012

Involvement: Squirrell v. City of Huntington Beach. Plaintiff. Eleven year old girl enrolled in

the Junior Lifeguard program, was run over by a rescue boat and killed while

participating in a spiral speed drop drill.

Reference: Peter Noronha, Esq.

(714) 558-1400 (O), (714) 558-0885 (F)

Consultant to: Office of the City Attorney, Storm Lake, Iowa

Location: 716 Lake Ave.

Storm Lake, IA 50588

Year: 2012

Involvement: Reviewed original design and modifications made to the HVAC system for the

City of Storm Lake, Iowa's King's Point indoor waterpark. The facility had been experiencing indoor air quality problems, and modifications to the original design

were made to reduce the level of nitrogen trichloride in the air.

Reference: Paul D. Havens, City Attorney

(712) 732-7262, www.stormlake.org

Consultant to: Law Office of Alton Kuperman
Location: 11512 El Camino Real, Suite 350

San Diego, CA 92130

Year: 2012

Involvement: Brambora v. Oasis Las Vegas. Plaintiff. Ms. Brambora slipped-and-fell on

poorly maintained, wet deck adjacent to the RV resort's swimming pool.

Reference: Alton Kuperman, Esq.

(619) 236-5550 (O), (619) 236-0153 (F), alton@sdpilaw.com

Consultant to: Adams & Gaffaney

Location: 1110 West Park Place, Suite 312, P.O. Box 1758

Coeur D' Alene, ID 83816-1758

Year: 2012

Involvement: Veselka v. Triple Play Family Fun Park. Defendant. Mr. Veselka collided with

his wife who had stopped inside the flume.

Reference: Randall Adams, Esq.

((208) 664-9281 (O), (208) 664-5380 (F), rradams@adamsgaffaney.com

Consultant to: Maranga & Morgenstern
Location: 5850 Canoga Ave., Suite 600

Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Year: 2012

Involvement: Wassiliam v. L.A. Fitness International, Apex Sporting Goods. Defendant

(Apex Sporting Goods). Plaintiff was burned when he fell into a sauna heater at

a health club.

Reference: Dennis Newitt, Esq.

(818) 587-9146 (O), (818) 587-9147 (F), dnewitt@marmorlaw.com

Consultant to: **T-Star Enterprises**Location: 578 Daffodil Drive

Benicia. CA 94510

Year: 2008, 2012

Involvement: Consultant on product safety issues and labeling. Safety audit.

Reference: Han Tunggal

(510) 635-2736 (O), (510) 635-2738 (F), han@thermalpoolcover.com

Consultant to: Law Office of David P. Crandall Location: 24411 Ridge Route Drive, Suite 120

Laguna Hills, CA 92653

Year: 2011

Involvement: Radam v. Sports Aquatics, Negative Split Aquatics, et al. Plaintiff. Two

women were swimming at a community pool on July 4. During the time the lifeguard/pool monitor was away from the area getting a hamburger, both women

were discovered submerged in the deep end of the pool and removed by patrons. One woman died and one survived the drowning incident.

Reference: David Crandall, Esq.

(949) 727-3610 (O), (949) 727-3660 (F)

Consultant to: Vivino & Vivino

Location: 401 Hamburg Turnpike, Suite 201, P.O. Box 2242

Wayne, NJ 07474-2242

Year: 2011

Involvement: Williams v. Marriott Courtyard – Downtown Long Beach, CA. Plaintiff. A

high school student drowned in the unsupervised hotel swimming pool. She and 9 of her New Jersey high school classmates and 2 teachers were in Long Beach

to participate in a robotics competition.

Reference: Raymond Vivino, Esq.

(973) 790-1661 (O), (973) 790-8236 (F)

Consultant to: The Cincinnati Insurance Company

Location: 300 Madison Ave., Suite 1406

Toledo, OH 43604

Year: 2011

Involvement: Boyk v. Laurel Hill Swim and Tennis Club. Defendant. An 8 year old boy fell

from a 3 meter diving board and struck his head on the cement deck below. Protective material was installed between the guard rails and the deck was padded at the base of the ladder, but the guard rail did not extent to or beyond

the edge of the pool.

Reference: Michael Clark, Esq.

(419) 242-3900 (O), (419) 242-6446 (F), Michael_clark@staffdefense.com

Consultant to: Mesch, Clark, Rothschild

Location: 259 N. Meyer Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85701-1090

Year: 2011

Involvement: Kharel v. Alvernon Hacienda Properties. Plaintiff. Drowning of a 4 year-old

boy who fell into an unsecured, permanently closed, algae filled pool.

Reference: Michael Crawford, Esq., (520) 624-8886 (O), (520) 798-1037 (F)

mcrawford@mcrazlaw.com

Consultant to: Demas & Rosenthal

Location: 701 Howe Ave., Suite A-1

Sacramento, CA 95825

Year: 2011

Involvement: Keller v. Sanfilippo, Rola, et al. Plaintiff. Boating fatality on Lake Tahoe. Prop

injury. Victim was a 46 year old dentist who was standing at the stern of a 22 foot powerboat boat as they approached the dock. The vessel operator, who had had less than 3 hours of boating experience, was having difficulty maneuvering. The operator knocked the victim off the boat, ran him over, and severed his leg.

The victim bled to death before help arrived.

Reference: John Demas, Esq.

(916) 442-9000 (O), (916) 441-6444 (F), jdemas@demasandrosenthal.com

Consultant to: **Michelman & Robinson**Location: 15760 Ventura Blvd., 5th Floor

Encino, CA 91436

Year: 2011

Involvement: Solecki v. Hampton Inn – Thousand Oaks. Defendant. Toddler died from

chemical pneumonia a few days after aspirating water from a hotel spa.

Reference: David Samuels, Esq.

(818) 763-5530 (O), (818) 783-5507 (F), dsamuels@mrlip.com

Consultant to: Lido Isle Community Association (LICA)

Location: 701 Via Lido Soud

Newport Beach, CA 92630

Year: 2011

Involvement: Modification of the pier and swim float: Reviewed reports, commented on

alternative proposals from the Float Committee, recommended other ways to separate boating and swimming activities and improve boater and swimmer

safety, recommended products, wording of warning signs.

Reference: Carter Ford, (949) 673-6170, carterford@roadrunner.com

David Shockley, (949) 675-1904, dshock@earthlink.net

Consultant to: Herzfeld & Rubin Location: 125 Broad Street

New York, NY 10004

Year: 2011

Involvement: Casy v. Town of Oyster Bay, Duraflex International. Plaintiff. A young boy

was injured when he fell while climbing a ladder to a 3 meter springboard, falling

onto the concrete deck below.

Reference: Homer Ramsey, Esq. and Jennifer Fink, Esq.

(212) 471-8000 (O), (212) 344-3333 (F)

Consultant to: Law office of Drew Lovell

4100 RCA Blvd., Suite 110 Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410

and

Lytal, Reiter, Smith

515 N. Flagler Dr., Suite 1000 West Palm Beach, FL 33401

Year: 2011

Involvement: Wilson v. Alta Pines, Fiori. Plaintiff. Young woman was rendered quadriplegic

after diving into what she thought was the deep end of a poorly lit, and

deceptively designed swimming pool.

Reference: Drew Lovell, Esq.

(561) 655-7766 (O), (800) 514-3065 (F), dlovell@drewlovellpa.com

Consultant to: Macrae & Edrington

Location: 2677 North Main Street, Suite 200

Santa Ana, CA 92705-6625

Year: 2011

Involvement: Schneiter v. Harbor Pacific Homeowners Association. Defendant. Plaintiff

was injured when his genitals were entrapped in an uncovered pool skimmer

equalizer line.

Reference: John Wallace, Esq., (714) 541-4454 (O), (714) 558-0967 (F)

Consultant to: Casper, Meadows, Schwartz & Cook Location: 2121 North California Blvd., Suite 1020

Walnut Creek, CA 94596-7333

Year: 2011

Involvement: Hoffer v. Rudger Estates Homeowners Association. Plaintiff. Plaintiff

suffered a serious knee injury while using a 1 meter springboard at the

homeowners association swimming pool.

Reference: Stan Casper, Esq.

(925) 947-1147 (O), (925) 947-1131 9F), casper@cmslaw.com

Consultant to: Thurswell Law Firm

Location: 1000 Town Center, Suite 500

Southfield, MI 48075-1221

Year: 2011

Involvement: Randall / Oliver v. Bankston. Plaintiff. A bass boat capsized on Lake Saint

Clair when the outboard motor stalled in deteriorating wind and weather conditions. Both men were thrown into the water wearing PFDs. The vessel

operator suffered hypothermia and his passenger drowned.

Reference: Cary Makrouer, Esq., (248) 345-2222 (O), (248) 345-2323 (F)

Consultant to: Furtado, Jaspovice & Simons

Location: 22274 Main Street

Hayward, CA 94541

Year: 2011

Involvement: Sniffen / Salas v. Hayward Area Rec & Park District, Kids Care Plus.

Plaintiff. Drowning of a 6 year old child enrolled in a summer day camp program.

Reference: Martin Jaspovice, Esq.

(510) 582-1080 (O), (510) 582-8254 (F), www.fjslaw.com

Consultant to: La Montagne & Terhar Location: 2 N. Lake Ave., Suite 550

Pasadena, CA 99101

Year: 2011

Involvement: Seddiqi and Detar v. Aquatic Balance, et al. Defendant. Condo residents

claim they received chemical burns from an improperly maintained spa.

Chlorinator malfunctioned in the on position and fed an entire barrel of sodium

hypochlorite into the spa.

Reference: Michael Terhar, Esq.

(626) 765-6800 (O), (626) 765-6801 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Kenneth E. Goates / Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company

Location: 3993 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 270

Las Vegas, NV 89169

Year: 2010

Involvement: Willaimson v. Don's Pool & Spa Service, Fitpro, LLC DBA: Gold's Gym.

Defendant. Ms. Williamson claimed to have been exposed to excessively high chlorine levels in the natatorium air while taking a water fitness class at Gold's Gym in Sparks, Nevada. Plaintiff claimed the chlorine fumes caused difficulty breathing, bronchospasm/inflammation, severe bruising, and coughing which led

to a prolapsed uterus and hysterectomy.

Reference: Joel Barber, Esq., Brenda Batson, Paralegal

(702) 669-7200 (O), (702) 669-5218 (F)

Consultant to: Brock, Person, Guerra, Reyna

Location: 17339 Redland Road

San Antonio, TX 78247

Year: 2010

Involvement: Rodriguez v. Anacuitas Manor Apartments. Defendant. Drowning of a 5 year

old boy in an apartment complex swimming pool that was closed for the season.

Reference: Mark Stranmo, Esq., (210) 979-0100 (O), (210) 979-7810 (F)

mstrandmo@bpgrlaw.com

Consultant to: White & White Location: 420 E. Washington

Riverton, WY 82501

Year: 2010

Involvement: Goodman v. Star Plunge. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a 6 year old boy in a

swimming pool during a PEP Grant outing for the community and students

organized by the Fremont County, Wyoming School District.

Reference: Jeff Stanbury, Esq., (307) 856-2207 (O), (307) 856-6675 (F)

Consultant to: Law Office of Harry S. Lippman Location: 315 S. Beverly Drive, Suite 415

Beverly Hills, CA 90212

Year: 2010

Involvement: Fletcher v. Sea World. Plaintiff. Adult woman seriously injured her knee after

slipping-and-falling on a wet walkway neat the Journey to Atlantis water ride.

Reference: Harry Lippman, Esq., (310) 550-7959 (O), (310) 550-6222 (F)

hlppman@aol.com

Consultant to: Turbin, Chu

Location: Suite 2730, Mauka Tower, Pacific Guardian Center, 737 Bishop St.

Honolulu, HI 96813

Year: 2010

Involvement: Bethea v. Grand Wailea Resort. Plaintiff. Plaintiff was injured in a waterslide

accident which occurred in one of the resort pools.

Reference: Janice Heidt, Esq., (808) 528-4000 (O), (808) 599-1984 (F)

Consultant to: Turbin, Chu

Location: Suite 2730, Mauka Tower, Pacific Guardian Center, 737 Bishop St.

Honolulu, HI 96813

Year: 2010

Involvement: Donovan v. Four Seasons - Maui. Plaintiff. Mr. Donovan received a chemical

burn to his eyes, developed an eye infection, and suffered some permanent vision loss after swimming in a resort pool that was being improperly treated after

a fecal accident.

Reference: Janice Heidt, Esq., (808) 528-4000 (O), (808) 599-1984 (F)

Consultant to: Gearinger Law Group

Location: 825 Van Ness Ave., 4th floor

San Francisco, CA 94109

and

Rouda, Feber, Tietjenn

44 Montgomery Street, Suite 4000

San Francisco, CA 94104

Year: 2010

Involvement: Christie v. Embassy Suites. Plaintiff. Drowning of an 11 year old boy while

attending a friend's birthday party held at a hotel pool.

Reference: Stephen LaRoe, Esq. and Brian Gearinger, Esq.

(415) 440-3176, (415) 440-3103 (F)

stephen@gearingerlaw.com, brian@gearingerlaw.com

Miles Coper, Esq., (415) 398-5398 (O), (415) 606-1004 (C), mcooper@rftmlaw.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2010

Involvement: Baker v. Modesto City Schools. Plaintiff. While warming up for a high school

water polo tournament, Baker did a racing dive into 3-1/2 feet of water, hit the

bottom of the pool. His injuries resulted in partial quadriplegia.

Reference: Roger Dreyer, Esq., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: Aquatic Resource Network
Location: 3500 Vicksburg Lane, North, #250

Plymouth, MN 55447

Year: 2010

Involvement: Subcontractor. Provided pool design services.

Reference: Andrea Salzman, (651) 587-4811 (C), (888) 514-6133 (F),

asalzman@aquaticnet.com

Consultant to: Krueger, Wong

Location: Wailuku Business Plaza, 2065 Main Street, Suite 102

Wailuku, HI 96793

Year: 2010

Involvement: Song v. Royal Hawaiian. Plaintiff. While with her family on vacation in Hawaii

from Korea, Mrs. Song near drowned in the unguarded hotel swimming pool at

the Royal Hawaiian on Maui (Kaanapali Beach).

Reference: James Krueger, Esq.

(808) 244-7449 (O), (808) 244-4177 (F), www.kruegerlaw.us

Consultant to: Wilcoxen, Callaham Location: 2114 K Street

2114 K Street Sacramento, CA 95816

Year: 2010

Involvement: Feazell v. Pentair. Plaintiff. Mrs. Feazell suffered fatal injuries when her

swimming pool filter separated/exploded.

Reference: William Callaham, Esq.

(916) 442-2777 (O), (916) 442-4118 (F), www.wilcoxenlaw.com

Consultant to: Bower, von Raesfeld

Location: Commercial Plaza Building, 900 Lafayette Street, Suite 706

Santa Clara, CA 95050

Year: 2010

Involvement: Stanford University. Assisted with the re wording of pool rules and

development of signage for the university's Avery Aquatic Center.

Reference: Robert von Raesfeld, Esg.

(408) 261-1200 (O), (408) 985-9042 (F)

Consultant to: Aiken, Schenk, Hawkins & Ricciardi, P.C.

Location: 4742 N. 24th Street, Suite 100

Phoenix. AZ 85016

Year: 2010

Involvement: Abarca v. Banda. Plaintiff. A 3year old child was seriously injured when

climbing on an unsecured, 3-tiered decorative water fountain that collapsed and

fell on top of him.

Reference: J. Tyrrell Taber, Esq.

(602) 248-8203 (O), (602) 248-8840 (F), bam@ashrlaw.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Ronald Gilbert

Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2010

Involvement: Williams v. The Trails at Mt. Moriah Apartments, et al. Plaintiff. Adrian, a 17

year old 6'3, 230 pound football player was rendered quadriplegic when he dove into and hit the bottom of a shallow water apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Ronald Gilbert, Esq., (810) 714-4782 (O), RRGJEDI@aol.com

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry
Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101-1419

Year: 2010

Involvement: Garcia v. Knott's Soak City (Chula Vista), Cedar Fair. Plaintiff. Mr. Garcia

was injured when he was ejected out of the Coronado Express 4-person inner

tube ride and into a shallow splash pool.

Reference: Robert Francavilla, Esq., (619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232, www.cglaw.com

Consultant to: Rooney & Rooney

Location: 2 Penn Center Plaza, 1500 JFK Blvd., Suite 200

Philadelphia, PA 19102

Year: 2010

Involvement: Maldonado v. Wal-Mart. Plaintiff. Drowning of a toddler who fell into an

inflatable ring aboveground swimming pool, which was located in his aunt and

uncle's backyard.

Reference: Mike Rooney, Esq., (215) 854-4085 (O), (215) 732-2440 (F)

Consultant to: The Gomez Law Firm
Location: 625 Broadway, Suite 1200

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2010

Involvement: Reynolds v. Hinsley Plaintiff. Operator hit a wake while driving a speedboat at

an excessive speed. Passengers sitting in the open bow were thrown from their

seats, and Ms. Reynolds broke her back.

Reference: Amy Collins, Esq. and Jim lagman, Esq.

(619) 237-3490 (O), (619) 237-3496 (F)

www.thegomexfirm.com

Consultant to: **Burch, Colston & Buncher**Location: 8001 Irvine Center Drive, #1060

Irvine, CA 92618

Year: 2010

Involvement: Jones and Walden v. BRE Properties. Plaintiff. Two residents contracted

Legionnaire's Disease from the improperly maintained apartment complex spas.

Reference: Sven Buncher, Esq., and Lauren Mullee, Esq.

(949) 502-4400 (O), (949) 502-4405 (F) sven@oclawyer.net, lauren@oclawyer.net

Consultant to: Law Offices of Gerald L. Marcus Location: 23975 Park Sorrento, Suite 230

Calabsas, CA 91302

Year: 2010

Involvement: Maldonado v. CCBC. Plaintiff. Near drowning in the Cathedral City Boy's Club

Resort Hotel's swimming pool, which caused a hypoxic brain injury resulting in a

permanent vegetative state.

Reference: Gerald Marcus, Esq., (818) 784-8544 (O), (818) 784-5970 (F)

Gerald Marcus law@aol.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Palmer & Associates

Location: 2320 Potosi Street, Suite 130

Las Vegas, NV 89146

Year: 2010

Involvement: Powell v. YMCA of Southern Nevada. Plaintiff. Near drowning, resulting in an

anoxic brain injury, of a 7 year old boy who was found submerged in the YMCA

swimming pool.

Reference: William B. Palmer, Esq., (702) 888-2222 (O), (702) 893-0711 (F)

wpalmer@wbpalmer.com

Consultant to: Mesch, Clark, Rothschild

Location: 259 N. Meyer Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85701-1090

Year: 2010

Involvement: Bennett v. Salvation Army. Plaintiff. Non fatal drowning of a young boy during

a day camp outing to the Tucson Salvation Army swimming pool.

Reference: Michael Crawford, Esq., (520) 624-8886 (O), (520) 798-1037 (F)

mcrawford@mcrazlaw.com

Consultant to: **Hagens, Berman, Sobel, Shapiro**Location: 11 West Jefferson, Suite 1000

Phoenix. AZ 85003

Year: 2010

Involvement: Engeriser v. Mesa Hotels. Plaintiff. Mr. Engeriser contracted Legionnaire's

Disease, and teammates contracted Pontiac Fever from the hotel pool / spa while staying at the hotel during a week long senior baseball tournament.

Reference: Andrew St. John, Esq., (602) 840-5900 (O), (602) 840-3012 (F)

andy@hbsslaw.com

Consultant to: Darling & Brisbrough

Location: Griffin Towers, 5 Hutton Centre, Suite 1050

Santa Ana, CA 92707

Year: 2010

Involvement: Gonzales v. Bergdahl. Defendant. Death of a 14 year-old boy in a residential

pool. Five teen aged boys were playing Marco Polo in a friend's pool. The boys were all good swimmers and involved with the Huntington Beach Jr. Lifeguard program. The incident occurred when the adult homeowner was supervising the boys, went inside the house to get hamburgers out of the freezer. The boy who had congenital heart problems, submerged in the pool and failed to surface.

Reference: Robert Yoakum, Esq (714) 384-4250 (O), (714) 384-4251 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Victor C. Marshall Location: 3900 Market Street, Suite 230

Riverside, CA 92501

Year: 2010

Involvement: People of the State of California v. Blaire C. Hall. Defendant. Husband and

wife were relaxing and drinking coffee in their backyard spa early in the morning. They also had their soap and towels and were using the spa for bathing because their bathroom was being remodeled. Mrs. Hall left the spa to go inside the house to wake up their daughter for work, and get more coffee. Mrs. Hall came back outside carrying a cup of coffee and passed her husband as he entered the house. A short time later, Mr. Hall went out to check on his wife and found her face down in the spa, unconscious, with large gashes on the top and back of her head. Mr. Hall yelled for his daughter to call 911 and to help him, because he was having difficulty removing his wife from the spa. Resuscitation attempts were unsuccessful and Mrs. Hall died as a result of drowning. It is believed that Mrs. Hall slipped and fell while entering the spa. There were no handrails, the steps were slippery, water was cloudy and foamy, Mrs. Hall was holding a cup of coffee while she entered the spa and the coffee cup was found at the bottom of the spa. The lacerations on her head were consistent with having fallen on a sharp edge of coping that protruded into the spa. A neighbor peaking through her fence misinterpreted what she saw, began embellishing what she had observed every time she repeated the story, and convinced the police that she saw Mr. Hall struggle with his wife in the spa, and hold his wife's head under water until she

drowned. Police charged Mr. Hall with murdering his wife. Victor Marshall, Esq., (909) 275-5291 (O), (909) 784-8310 (F)

Consultant to: State of lowa Department of Justice

Location: Special Litigation Division

1305 E. Walnut Street Des Moines, IA 50318

Year: 2010

Reference:

Involvement: Griffen v. State of Iowa, University of Northern Iowa. Defendant. An 11-year-

old American boy drowned during a camp outing to the Alzenau swimming pool near Hamburg, Germany. Counselors were trained and placed by the University of Iowa Camp Adventure program, but employed by the U.S. Army to run a

summer sports camp for Army dependents.

Reference: Joanne Moeller, Assistant Attorney General, (515) 281-6668 (O), (515) 281-4902

Jmoelle@ag.state.ia.us

Consultant to: Timothy M. Dick, P.C.

Location: P.O. Box 645

Butte, MT 59703

Year: 2010

Involvement: Ferguson v. Wilder Resorts, DBA: Fairmont Hot Springs. Plaintiff. An adult

guest was injured while transitioning from the waterslide to the pool. He hit right foot on bottom of pool and dislocated his kneecap, sprained an ankle, and injured

his Achilles' tendon.

Reference: Timothy Dick, Esq., (406) 723-2345

Consultant to: Klinedinst Law Firm Location: 501 West Broadway

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2010

Involvement: Santoro v. YMCA of San Diego County (Rancho Penasquitos). Defendant.

The YMCA was sued by its former aquatic director who claims she was fired for discrimination based on sexual orientation, and that the YMCA retaliated for her

taking time off for family leave. She also claims the YMCA failed to

accommodate her needs based on her disability.

Reference: David Monks, Esq., (619) 239-8131

Consultant to: Law Offices of Keith J. Stone
Location: 555 West Beech Street, Unite 210

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2010

Involvement: Freedie v. City of San Diego, La Jolla Kayak & Co. Plaintiff. Collision

between a rental kayak and swimmer at La Jolla Shores.

Reference: Keith Stone, Esq., (619) 531-2022 (O), (619) 531-8824 (F)

Consultant to: Allied Nationwide Insurance
Location: 1 Nationwide Gateway, Dept. 5577

Des Moines, IA 50391

Year: 2010

Involvement: Kilgore v. California Inn. Defendant. Family checked into the hotel located in

the Mojave Desert on a hot summer day to cool off in the air conditioned rooms and swimming pool. A young child left at the pool with an uncle while his mother

went shopping, got into the water unnoticed and drowned.

Reference: Alfredo Hernandez, (909) 481-2456

Consultant to: Workman Law Firm Location: 1208 S. Tryon Street

Charlotte, NC 28203

and

Consultant to: Winner & Carson

510 S. Eighth Street Las Vegas, NV 89101 Year: 2009

Involvement: Michaels v. Pentair. Plaintiff. Exploding pool filter case.

Reference: W. Michael Workman, Esq., (704) 714-6550 (O), (704) 377-0636 (F)

Robert A. Winner, Esq., (702) 471-1111 (O), (702) 471-0110 (F)

Consultant to: Leahi Swim School @ Momilani Community Center

Location: 715 Hoomoana Street

Honolulu, HI 96816

Year: 2009

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Ben Komer, (808) 456-4506, bkdownunder@hotmail.com

Consultant to: Infante, Zumpano, Hudson & Miloch

Location: 500 S. Dixie Highway, Suite 302

Coral Gables, FL 33136

Year: 2009

Involvement: De Salvo v. SVO Vistana Villages, et al. Defendants. A 15 year old girl on

vacation in Orlando, claims she slipped off the gutter and fell into the shallow 3' deep end of the resort pool head first resulting in a C5 burst fracture and

quadriplegia.

Reference: Robert Hudson, Esq., (305) 503-2990 (O), (305) 774-5908 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Keith J. Stone
Location: 555 West Beech Street, Suite 210

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2009

Involvement: Miller v. Kinsella. Plaintiff. Mr. and Mrs. Miller were out for a dinghy ride in

Glorietta Bay on the 4th of July, 2006 and heading to the Coronado Yacht Club for the festivities, when a 16 year old man shot a high pressure water cannon right in Mr. Miller's ear, "blowing out" his inner ear. Defendant claimed the Millers

were in a "soak zone" and they assumed all risk of getting wet.

Reference: Keith J. Stone, Esq., (619) 531-2022 (O), (619) 531-8824 (F)

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry, Schenk, Francavilla, Blatt & Penfield

Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101-1419

Year: 2009

Involvement: Marquardt v. Marriott Desert Springs. Plaintiff. An adult woman slipped on

the concrete deck, coping/pool expansion joint while walking into the hotel pool.

Deck maintenance/design issues, algae growth.

Reference: Robert Francavilla, Esq., (619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232 (F), www.cglaw.com

Consultant to: Royce, Grimm, Vranjes, McCormick & Graham

Location: 550 W. C Street, Suite 1100

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2009

Involvement: Singer v. Duncan Custom Homes, The Crest. Defendant. Homeowner

claimed vanishing edge pool problems and other pool construction defects.

Reference: Kathleen Mc Cormick, Esq., (619) 231-8802 (O), (619) 233-6039 (F)

www.gvmglaw.com

Consultant to: Mounce, Green, Myers, Safi, Paxson & Galatzan

Location: 100 N. Stanton, Suite 1700

El Paso. TX 79901-1448

Year: 2009

Involvement: Jang v. Radisson Suites Defendants. Diving accident in a hotel indoor pool.

Adult male, Kia auto executive visiting with his family from Atlanta, dove in and

hit the bottom of the pool.

Reference: Carl Green, Esq., (915) 532-2000 (O), (915) 203-2275 (F)

Consultant to: **Robertson, Stromber & Pederson**Location: 500-20220 12TH Ave., Box 1037

Regina, SK S4P 3B2, Canada

Year: 2009

Involvement: Biletski v. University of Regina. Plaintiff. Young female swimmer was

seriously injured in a starting blocking diving accident

Reference: Alan G. Mc Intyre, (306) 565-6507

Consultant to: Simone, Roberts & Weiss

Location: 11200 Lomas Blvd., NE, Suite 210

Albuquerque, NM 87112

Year: 2009

Involvement: Garcia v. Jaramillo. Defendant homeowner. Binding arbitration. Drowning

death of a child who gained access to the in-ground pool while he and his sister

and mother were visiting the home of friends.

Reference: Paul Smith, Esq., (505) 298-9400 (O), (505) 298-7070 (F)

Consultant to: Stone & Hiles

Location: 16633 Ventura Blvd., #1420

Encino, CA 91436

Year: 2009

Involvement: Mulcahey v. Tom Sawyer Camps. Defendant. The teenager near drowned in

the camp swimming pool.

Reference: Christopher Kent, Esq., (818) 386-0600 x 213 (O), (818) 386-0649 (F)

ckent@stonehiles.com

Consultant to: Murchison & Cumming
Location: 801 S. Grand Ave., Ninth Floor
Los Angeles, California 90017

Year: 2009

Involvement: Santos v. Legacy Partners, The Park Apartments. Defendant. An adult

woman drowned while using the apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Megan R. Peitzke, Esq , (213) 623-7400 (O), (213) 623-6336 (F)

mpeitzke@murchisonlaw.com

Consultant to: Rollins, Shalkin, Richards & Mackie

Location: 401 N. Charles Street

Baltimore, MD 21201-4405

Year: 2009

Involvement: Blake v. American Pool Management, Cedar Towers. Defendant. An adult

woman drowned while using the apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Donald Whitehead, Jr., Esq , (410) 727-2443 (O), (410) 727-8390 (F)

Consultant to: Farmers' Insurance
Location: P.O. Box 268994

Oklahoma City, OK 73126-8994

Year: 2009

Involvement: Paul v. Corabel Village Green Apartments. Reviewed documents in a claim

brought as a result of a drowning death which occurred in an apartment complex

swimming pool.

Reference: Michela Hendrickson, Field Claim Representative

(916) 984-4339 (O), (877) 217-1389 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Robert Piering Location: 455 Capital Mall, Suite 350

Sacramento, CA 95814

Year: 2009

Involvement: Rubenstein v. Abbattieolo. Plaintiff. Collision between a powerboat and a

kayak resulting in the death of the kayaker. Decedent was a 53 year old woman

participating in nighttime full moon guided kayak trip.

Reference: Robert A. Piering, Esq., (916) 446-1944 (O), (916) 446-1222 (F)

rob@pieringlawfirm.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2009

Involvement: Reynolds v. Hayward. Expert for the plaintiff. Pool filter explosion case.

Reference: Christopher Wood, Esq., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

www.dbbc.com

Consultant to: Lewis, Brisbois, Bisgaard & Smith Location: 550 W. Adams Street, Suite 300

Chicago, IL 60661

Year: 2009

Involvement: Ugoka v. BH Management. Defendant. Drowning death. Pool was closed and

under renovation, gate was locked and signs were posted indicating that the pool was closed, when a 14 year old boy, along with 4 others, jumped the fence to

play in the pool. Young man did a back flip into deep water, came up yelling

"help me, help me". The other kids thought he was kidding around.

Reference: Michael Carter, Esq., (312) 345-1718 (O), (312) 345-1778 (F)

mcarter@lbbslaw.com

Consultant to: Gray, Langford, Sapp, Mc Gowan, Gray, Gray & Nathanson

Location: P.O.Box 830239, 108 Eastside Street

Tuskegee, AL 36083-0239

Year: 2008

Involvement: Anderson v. Fagan Pools. Defendant. Pool company owner replaced the

existing diving board. Residential pool backyard diving board accident.

Reference: Walter McGowan, Esq., (334) 727-4830 (O), (334) 727-5877 (F)

Consultant to: Michels & Watkins

Location: 11755 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 2009

Involvement: Rivera v. Alcazar. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a young boy who drowned in a

swimming pool behind the residence where his mother was cleaning house.

Reference: Shirley Watkins, Esq., (310) 444-1200, skw@michelwatkins.com

Consultant to: Reed, Smith

Location: 1999 Harrison Street, Suite 2400

Oakland, CA 94612

Year: 2009

Involvement: Blanson v. East Bay Regional Park District (Cull Canyon). Defendant. A

twelve year old boy drowned in the swim lagoon during a family picnic at the

park.

Reference: Juliet Starrett, Esq.

(510) 466-6726 (O), (510) 273-8832 (F)

jstarrett@reedsmith.com

Consultant to: Michels & Watkins

Location: 11755 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 2007

Involvement: Erlanson v. City of Atascadero. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a high school

student during a physical education swimming class.

Reference: Shirley Watkins, Esq., (310) 444-1200, skw@michelwatkins.com

Consultant to: Woodke & Gibbons

Location: One Professional Building, 7253 Grover Street

Omaha, NE 68124

Year: 2009

Involvement: Guevara v. JNS Lodging, Wyndham. Defendant hotel. Drowning of a child in

the hotel's indoor swimming pool.

Reference: Michael T. Gibbons, Esq.

(402) 391-6000 (O), (402) 391-6200 (F) www.woglaw.com, mgibbons@woglaw.com

Consultant to: Moriarity, Badaruddin & Booke

Location: 124 West Pine Street

Missoula, MT 59802

Year: 2009

Involvement: Stickel v. Watercraft Adventures. Plaintiff. Man was injured when a rental

PWC collided with his jet boat while operating on the Colorado River near

Laughlin, Nevada.

Reference: Tina Sunderland, Senior Paralegal.

(406) 728-6868 (O), (406) 728-7722 (F), tina.sunderland@mbblawfirm.com

Consultant to: Gaddis, Kin & Herd

Location: 118 S. Wahsatch, Suite 100

Colorado Springs, CO 80903

Year: 2009

Involvement: Sandoval v. Manitou Aquatics & Fitness Center. Plaintiff. Following a

swimming lesson, a ten year old boy was in the men's locker room washing his hands when a porcelain sink attached to the wall with a single rusted bracket, fell and shattered. He slipped, and severely lacerated both of his hands on the

shards of porcelain.

Reference: Thomas Herd, Esq.

(719) 471-3848 (O), (719) 471-0317 (F), gkh@gassiskinherd.com

Consultant to: Kiesel, Boucher, Larson

Location: 8648 Wilshire Blvd.

Beverly Hills, CA 90211-2910

Year: 2009

Involvement: Ramirez v. Coalinga-Huron Rec & Park District. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a

9 year old girl in a community swimming pool during an open swim session attended by participants enrolled in an arts and crafts camp run by the city. Pool

water was murky and visibility was poor.

Reference: Elaine Mandel, Esq.

(310) 854-4444 (O), (310) 854-0812 (F), emandel@kbla.com

Consultant to: Moreno, Becerra & Casillas

Location: 3500 W. Beverly Blvd.

Montebello, CA 90640

Year: 2009

Involvement: Sepulveda v. Stoneman Park Owners Association, Beven & Brock, et al.

Plaintiff. A 13 year old boy was found drowned in a neighboring townhouse

complex swimming pool.

Reference: Christian Pereira, Esq.

(323) 725-0917 (O), (323) 725-0350 (F)

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2009

Involvement: Hullen v. Wray. Plaintiff. Mother died and son was injured when the Wave

Runner they were riding collided with a boat driven by Wray in the California

Delta.

Reference: Joseph Babich, Esg., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F), www.dbbc.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2009

Involvement: Gilbert v. Golfland Entertainment Centers. Plaintiff. Woman was injured

when ejected when her raft flipped over while riding the Revolution water slide.

Reference: Joseph Babich, Esq., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F), www.dbbc.com

Consultant to: **Tosdal, Smith, Steiner & Wax**Location: 401 West A Street, Suite 320

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2008

Involvement: Columbo and Slagel v. Kohl, Mission Bay Jet Sports, et al. Plaintiffs. Two

young women suffered orifice injuries requiring surgery when intentionally thrown

off a PWC by an operator making tight turns at high speeds.

Reference: Thomas Tosdal, Esq. and Ann Smith, Esq.

(619) 239-7200 (O), (619) 239-6048 (F), ttosdal@tosdalsmith.com

Consultant to: Friedberg & Bunge

Location: 610 w. Ash Street, Suite 1400, P.O. Box 6814

San Diego, CA 92166

Year: 2008

Involvement: Katherine Kurtenbach v. Sundiver, Inc., Ray Arntz. Plaintiff. Female

employee was injured when a boat hatch closed on her head.

Reference: Thomas Friedberg, Esq.

(619) 557-0101 (O), (619) 557-0560 (F)

Consultant to: Law Office of Dennis P. Gauhan
Location: 22342 Avenida Empresa, Suite 240

Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688

Year: 2008

Involvement: Toca v. General Foam Plastics, K-mart. Plaintiff Toca. Two 9 year old girls

drowned when they became entangled in the cover of an above ground

swimming pool.

Reference: Dennis Gauhan, Esq.

(949) 589-3912 (O), (949) 589-3915 (F)

Consultant to: Novato Unified School District

Location: 1015 Seventh Street

Novato, CA 94945

Year: 2008

Involvement: Pool inspection and evaluation

Reference: John Silvestrini, Executive Director of Facilities, Maintenance & Operations

(415) 897-4245

Consultant to: Grassini & Wrinkle

Location: 20750 Ventura Blvd., Suite 221

Woodland Hills, CA 91364

Year: 2008

Involvement: Bostani v. La Costa Resort. Plaintiff. Young boy drowned in the resort

swimming pool after exiting a waterslide. Slide attendants / lifeguards were on

duty but did not notice the child submerged on the pool bottom.

Reference: Lars Johnson, Esq. and Donald Liddy, Esq.

(818) 348-1717 (O), (818) 348-7921 (F), www.grassiniandwrinkle.com

Consultant to: Smith & Woodruff

Location: P.O. Box 420 249, 5225 Katy Freeway, Suite 620

Houston, TX 77042

Year: 2008

Involvement: Malone / Lonon v. Orior Real Estate Services, Stephanie Richardo.

Defendant. A 7 year old drowned in the apartment complex pool. Mom claims she was watching the child, non swimmer, who was playing in a shallow waterfall area separated from the 5' deep end of the pool by a bulkhead, that she just

turned away for a moment and the child was gone.

Reference: Ritu Guta, Esq.

(713) 863-2222 (O), (713) 426-6554 (F), ritu.gupta@zurichna.com

Consultant to: Aitken, Aitken & Cohn

Location: 3 Imperial Promenade, Suite 800

Santa Ana, CA 92707-0555

Year: 2008

Involvement: Epp v. St. Regis Resort – Monarch Beach. Plaintiff. Mr. Epp suffered a

cervical spinal injury which resulted in quadriplegia after diving into a poorly

marked shallow pool.

Reference: Richard Cohn, Esq.

(714) 434-1424 (O), (714) 434-3600 (F)

Consultant to: Casey, Gerry
Location: 110 Laurel Street

San Diego, CA 92101

Reference: Frederick Schenk, Esq.

(619) 238-1811 (O), (619) 544-9232 (F), www.cglaw.com

and

Law Offices of Victor George

2600 Michelson Drive, Suite 1700

Irvine, CA 92612

Reference: Stephen Doorlag, Esq.

(949) 852-3595 (O), (949) 852-3596 (F), sdoorlag@vgeorgelaw.com

Year: 2008

Involvement: Fullington / Goetz v. Horizon Divers, et al. Plaintiff. Drowning death during a

scuba dive at Webster Point at Santa Barbara Island. Decedent was a certified diver, on an organized 3 day lobster diving trip, who became separated from his

assigned buddy.

Consultant to: Silver, Golub & Teitell Location: 184 Atlantic Street Stamford, CT 06901

Year: 2008

Involvement: Cohn v. Shoreline Pools, et al. Plaintiff. Suction entrapment accident which

resulted in the drowning death of a young boy in his family's back yard pool.

Reference: Peter Dreyer, Esq.

(203) 325-4491 (O), (203) 325-3769 (F), pdreyer@sgtlaw.com

Consultant to: De Mont Family Swim School

Location: 3777 N. Vine Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85719

Year: 2008

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Carrie & Rick De Mont, (520) 881-7291, carjdemont@cs.com

Consultant to: Tug Tub

Location: 19512 Pompano Lane #109

Huntington Beach CA 92648

Year: 2008

Involvement: Consultant on design, water treatment systems, labeling, and consumer

education

Reference: Paul West, CSO

(714) 402-8253, paulwest@tugtub.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Bob M. Cohen & Associates

Location: 16000 Ventura Blvd., Suite 701

Encino, CA 91436

Year: 2008

Involvement: Christie v. Rancho Simi Rec & Park district, et al. Plaintiff. A six year old boy

enrolled in a beginner swim class fell off the 3 meter diving board ladder onto the

concrete deck below.

Reference: Max Sauler, Esq.

(818) 986-3332 (O), (818) 986-5879 (F), max@bigverdict.com

Consultant to: Appel Law Firm

Location: One Walnut Creek Center, 100 Pringle Ave.

Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Year: 2008

Involvement: Pole / Takitaki v. Amato. Plaintiff. A child near drowned and suffered severe

brain damage. Standard of care, fencing & barrier issues.

Reference: Joseph Appel, Esq.

(925) 938-2000 (O), (925) 938-2728 (F), www.appellawyer.com

Consultant to: **Bonnie Moss & Associates**Location: 1600 lowa Street, Suite 200

Riverside, CA 92507

Year: 2008

Involvement: Kim v. Lee. Defendant homeowner. Mr. Kim was killed when he was hit by a lid

of an exploding pool filter.

Reference: Mark Devey, Esq.

(951) 328-2052

Consultant to: Law Office of Rocky C. Copley Location: 550 West C Street, Suite 1150

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2008

Involvement: Burk v. Grano. Plaintiff. Passenger was injured in a boating accident which

occurred on San Diego Bay when the defendant ran his boat over a wake at high speed causing two passengers seated on the rear bench seat to be ejected from

the boat

Reference: Rocky Copley, Esq.

(619) 232-3131 (O), ((619) 232-1690 (F)

Consultant to: Mesch, Clark & Rothschild

Location: 259 N. Meyer Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85701-1090

Year: 2008

Involvement: Blanck v. Sierra Tucson. Plaintiff. Pool drowning death.

Reference: Samuel Alfred, Esq., (520) 624-8886, (520) 798-1027 (F), salfred@mcrazlaw.com

Consultant to: Hermansen, Mc Kibben, Woolsey & Villarreal

Location: 1100 Tower 11, 555 N. Carancahua

Corpus Christi, TX 78478

Year: 2008

Involvement: Bailey v. Port Royal by the Sea. Defendant condominium complex. Drowning

of a teenager who was staying at the resort complex with members of her high

school band.

Reference: Tom Hermansen, Esq., (3610) 882-6611 (O), (361) 883-8353 (F), (361) 693-8202 (D)

Consultant to: Richardson & Fair

Location: AAA of Southern California, 2601 S. Figueroa Street

Los Angeles, CA 90007

Year: 2008

Involvement: **Bohm v. Hume**. Defendant Hume. Defended claims made by Carolyn Bohm,

and Perry and Julia Wong, that water damage to their homes is a result of a leak

from their neighbor, Eyrlene Hume's swimming pool.

Reference: Manuel Dominguez, Esq., (213) 741-4583 (O), (213) 741-4190 (F)

Consultant to: The Spence Law Firm, LLC

Location: Post Office Box 548, 15 South Jackson Street

Jackson, Wyoming 83001

Year: 2008

Involvement: Greve / Hardesty v. Green River School District. Plaintiff.

Drowning death of a 10 year old girl during an elementary school field trip to the community pool. The student was a non swimmer and was given a PFD to wear, but children were teasing her about wearing the vest, so she took it off. She was missing about 20 minutes before she was found submerged in the pool. Glare

problems contributed to the delay in finding the body.

Reference: Emily Rankin, Esq.

(307) 733-7290 (O), (307) 733-5248 (F), www.spencelawyers.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Richard A. Moss

Location: 255 S. Marengo Avenue

Pasadena, CA 91101

Year: 2008

Involvement: Golub v. Island Packers Corp. Plaintiff. Plaintiff was a passenger on a 68'

excursion vessel traveling to Anacapa Island and run by Island Packers Corp. who provides transportation to the Channel Islands National Park. She fell on the steps while going to the snack bar, received contusions and broke her arm.

Reference: Eduardo Brito, Esq.

(626) 796-7400 (O), (626) 796-7789 (F), ebrito@rmosslaw.com

Consultant to: Rosenthal & Watson

Location: 6601 Vaught Ranch Road, Suite 200

Austin, TX 78730

Year: 2008

Involvement: Dronet v. Cody Pools. Plaintiff. Three year old boy drowned in the family's new

backyard swimming pool. The family wanted isolation fencing installed to prevent access to the pool by their 3 pre-school aged children, but the pool salesman convinced them to purchase a Katch-a-Kid net instead. The pool construction was completed, and the pool was filled with water, but the net had

not yet been ordered.

Reference: Ernest Garcia, Esq.

(512) 477-2275 (O), (512) 474-2667 (F), www.rosenthalwatson.com

Consultant to: MG Law Group

Location: 13825 N. Northsight Blvd., Suite 201

Scottsdale, AZ 85260

Year: 2008

Involvement: Jimenez v. Gilbert. Plaintiff. Brandon (age 5) was playing hide-and-seek with

his brother and mother in the grass courtyard in front of their apartment. He leaned on the cement fountain, and the unsecured prefabricated cement pieces collapsed and fell on Brandon trapping him, crushing his skull and causing

permanent brain damage.

Reference: Jeffrey Gill, Esq.

(480) 778-1500 (O), (480) 355-9866 (F), www.MGlawgoup.com

Consultant to: Hays / Mc Conn

Location: 400 Two Allen Center, 1200 Smith Street

Houston, TX 77002

Year: 2007

Involvement: Marcial v. AON Properties (DBA: Riveraine Apartments), Greystone Asset

Management. Defendant. Near drowning and death from complications of near drowning. Four year old boy wandered away from his apartment where he was supposedly being watched by his grandfather and stepfather while his mother was at work. He was found by a leasing agent floating face down in the pool.

Reference: Kristie Buras, Esq. and Bruce Gaible, Esq.

(713) 752-8309 (O), (713) 650-0027 (F), www.haysmcconn.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2007

Involvement: Kohler v. Rayzor. Plaintiffs. Big Cat Poker Run boating accident which

occurred during a high speed race in the Sacramento Delta. Plaintiffs suffered shoulder and spinal injuries and lacerations in the accident which involved the

collision of seven boats.

Reference: Roger Dreyer, Esq., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F), www.dbbc.com

Consultant to: Michels & Watkins

Location: 11755 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 2007

Involvement: Urena / Acosta v. La Quinta High School, Desert Sands Unified School

District. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a high school freshman during a physical

education swimming class.

Reference: Shirley Watkins, Esq., (310) 444-1200, skw@michelwatkins.com

Consultant to: Siegel, Barnett & Schutz

Location: 300 North Dakota Ave., Suite 606, P.O. Box 1286

Sioux Falls, SD 57101

Year: 2007

Involvement: Grocott v. Ramada Inn. Plaintiff. A 17 year old high school student-athlete was

staying at a Ramada Inn with members of his track team. Plaintiff went feet first down the open flume, 130' long, serpentine, fiberglass waterslide installed in the

hotel pool, and crashed head first into a wall in the splash pool and suffered a severe neck injury. Slide terminus was too close to the pool walls and steps.

Matt Tohin, Esq. (605) 335-6250 (O) (605) 335-6749 (E) shelawst@shelaw.ne

Reference: Matt Tobin, Esq., (605) 335-6250 (O), (605) 335-6749 (F), sbslawsf@sbslaw.net

Consultant to: Law Offices of lan Herzog Location: 233 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 550

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 2007

Involvement: Durazo v. Downey Unified School District, Warren High School. Plaintiff. A

6'1", 200 pound, 14 year old, male, high school JV swimmer, hit the top of his head on the bottom of the pool and fractured 2 vertebrae after diving from a

starting block into 4 feet of water.

Reference: Justin Ehrlich, Esq., (310)458-6660

Consultant to: O'Shea, Macrae, Gress & Edrington

Location: 2677 N. Main Street, Suite 200

Santa Ana, CA 92705 Andrew Macrae III, Esq.

(714) 541-4454 (O), (714) 564-0748 (F), andrew.macrae@farmersinsurance.com

and

Callaham. Mc Cune & Willis

111 Fashion Lane Tustin, CA 92780 Scott Blackstone, Esq.

(714) 730-5700 (O), (714) 730-1642 (F)

Year: 2007

Involvement: **Ebrihm v. Granite Cypress Village**. Defendant. Near drowning and brain

damage of an adult woman in an apartment complex swimming pool.

Consultant to: Chapin, Wheeler Location: 500 W. C Street

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2007

Involvement: Beda v. Redlinger. Plaintiff. Near drowning and brain damage of a 9 year old

girl who was attending a birthday pool party at a classmate's house.

Reference: Amy Smith, Esq. and Edward Chapin, Esq.

(619) 241-4804 (O), (619) 955-5318 (F), amy@chapinwheeler.com

Consultant to: **The Thurswell Law Firm**Location: 1000 Town Center, Suite 500

Southfield. MI 48075-1221

Year: 2007

Involvement: Dawson v. Howard Johnson / Plaza Hotel / Ambassador Hotel. Plaintiff.

Drowning death of a 4 year old boy in a hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Cary Makrouer, Esq., (866) 354-5544

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2007

Involvement: Bell v. Montz, and Mastercraft. Plaintiff. Boating accident on Lake Oroville in

Northern California. Boat was a 24-foot, open bow, Mastercraft X45 with 18 people on board. The operator was trying to tow a wake boarder, couldn't get up

on a plane, so he had 8 passengers move forward to the bow. When the operator slowed the boat after the wakeboarder fell, several passengers, including the 19 year old plaintiff washed off the boat. The operator drove in a circle and ran over two women in the water. The plaintiff suffered numerous

injuries from coming in contact with the prop, including brain damage.

Reference: Robert Bale, Esg., (916) 379-3500 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: Clapp, Moroney, Bellagamba, Vucinich

Location: 6130 Stoneridge Mall Road, Suite 275, P.O. Box 8003.8603

Pleasanton, CA 94588-3237

Year: 2007

Involvement: Foley v. Fremont Oaks Homeowners Association. Defendant HOA. A two

year old boy wandered away from his mother while she was doing the laundry in the complex laundry room, got into the pool area and drowned in the community

pool.

Reference: Christopher Beeman, Esq., (925) 734-0990 (O), (925) 734-0888

Consultant to: Bleau, Fox

Location: 3575 Cahuenga Blvd., West, Suite 580

Los Angeles, CA 90068

Year: 2007

Involvement: Hyun Juo Song v. Mc Comber Place. Plaintiff. The plaintiff dove into a condo

pool and suffered injuries resulting in quadriplegia.

Reference: Martin Fox, Esq., (323) 874-8613 (O)

Consultant to: Scott, Hulse, Marshall, Feuille, Finger & Thurmnond

Location: 201 E. Main Street, Suite 1100

El Paso, TX 79901

Year: 2007

Involvement: Castle v. Coronado Golf & Country Club, and Steven Dusty Meitler.

Defendant. Drowning death of a 4 year old boy during a dive-in movie held at the country club pool. An adult neighbor was watching 5 children, including two of her own, when she noticed the child was missing about 10 minutes before the movie ended. Lifeguards were eventually notified. Lifeguards scanned but initially didn't see the body. Child was found directly on top of the black racing

stripes on the transitional slope.

Reference: Mitchell Moss, Esq., (915) 546-8315 (O), (915) 546-8333 (F), jmoss@scotthulse.com

Consultant to: Cronin & Cronin Location: 225 E. Third Ave.

Escondido, CA 92025-4203

Year: 2007

Involvement: Boulanger v. Butts. Cross-defendants Roland and Julie Boulanger. Parents

sued the grandparents of a young child who drowned in a residential swimming

pool owned by the Butts.

Reference: John O. Cronin, Esq., (760)745-8103 (O), (760) 745-8107 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Robert J. Debry & Associates

Location: 4252 South 700 East

Salt Lake City, UT 84107

Year: 2007

Involvement: Contreras-Mora v. Roy City. Plaintiff. Drowning of a 9 year old non swimmer

during a birthday party held at a community pool. Lifequards did not observe the

drowning incident which was recorded by the video surveillance camera.

Reference: Brad Debry, Esq., (800) 232-8915

Consultant to: Eric C. Deters & Associates

Location: 5247 Madison Pike

Independencel, KY 41051

Year: 2007

Involvement: Palmer v. Orcutt, Intex. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a 9 year old boy who had

been playing in a 19 inch deep inflatable pool with his older sister, a 7 year old friend and his friend's teen aged sister. Homeowners were inside the house and not supervising the children who were engaged in horseplay. While having chicken fights, the decedent fell off and hit the pool bottom. He may have been

forcefully held under water.

Reference: Eric Deters, Esq., (859) 363-1900 (O), (859) 363-1444 (F), eric@ericdeters.com

Consultant to: Gonzales, Hoblit, Ferguson

Location: Bank of America Plaza, 300 Convent Street, Suite 1450

San Antonio, TX 78205

Year: 2007

Involvement: Castillo v. Paradise Bay Apartments, NHP Management, LDCM, Inc., et al.

Defendant apartment complex. Drowning of a 2 year old girl in the apartment complex swimming pool. Older teenage siblings took the child to the pool, but at

some point left her in the care of a 10 year old sibling.

Reference: Harvey Ferguson, Esq., (210) 224-9991 (O)

Consultant to: Hays / McConn

Location: 400 Two Allen Center, 1200 Smith Street

Houston, TX 77002

Year: 2007

Involvement: Aguilar v. Bentworth Apartments, Flagship Properties Corp., PFC

Bentworth. Defendant. Drowning death in of a 12 year old, 4'11" tall girl in a 5' deep apartment complex swimming pool. The plaintiff and 3 friends climbed into the pool area. The pool was posted as closed for the season, and the gates

were chained.

Reference: Craig Wolcott, Esq., (713) 752-8309 (O), (713) 650-0027 (F),

cwolcott@haysmcconn.com

Consultant to: Ivie, Mc Neill & Wyatt

Location: 444 S. Flower Street, 18th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90071

Year: 2007

Involvement: Adolphus v. Sampson. Plaintiffs. A 5 year old boy, was floating on a raft and fell

off and drowned while attending a cook-out at an estate in Malibu. He was playing in an artificially created pond / lake that was built without a permit, and poorly maintained. The 16 foot deep body of water was dark and murky, and rescuers

had difficulty finding the body.

Reference: Lilia Duchrow, Esq.; (213) 489-0028 (O), (213) 489-0552, www.imwlaw.com

Consultant to: Marler, Clark

Location: 6600 Columbia Center, 701 Fifth Ave.

Seattle, WA 98104

Year: 2006

Involvement: Seneca Lake Spraypark Cryptosporidium Outbreak. Retained on behalf of

plaintiffs in class action lawsuit filed as a result of the incident.

Reference: Bruce Clark, Esq.; (206) 346-1888

Consultant to: Barnett & Traver

Location: 3520 Pontiac Lake Road

Waterford, MI 48328

Year: 2007

Involvement: Barnett v. Steinbach Days Inn. Plaintiff. Decedent was visiting Winnipeg,

Manitoba and staying at a Days Inn with an indoor swimming pool. There was no lifeguard on duty. There was video surveillance, but no one was monitoring the video. Decedent went head first down the 20' slide manufactured by Western Recreation. The drop slide ended approximately 30 inches above the water surface. Decedent hit his head on the pool bottom and severed his spinal cord. His friend pulled him out of the pool. He lived for about a week then died from

his injuries.

Reference: Larry Barnett, Esq.; (248) 673-1099

Consultant to: Brumbelow, Drechsel Law Group

Location: 750 94th Ave., N. Suite 202

St. Petersburg, FL 33702

Year: 2007

Involvement: Jones v. Montgomery. Plaintiff. Drowning of a 1-1/2 year old in a residential

pool. Mom and child fell asleep in a guest room. Child woke up, wandered out of the bedroom, and was able to exit the house through a sliding glass door the

grandparents left open so the dog could go outside.

Reference: Jushua Drechsel, Esq.; (727) 576-6262 (O), (727) 563-0703 (F)

Consultant to: **Brownwood, Chazen & Cannon**

Location: 525 B Street, Suite 1300

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2006

Involvement: Barcelo v. Rancho Bernardo Swim & Tennis Club. Defendant. Plaintiff was

injured when he slipped off the edge of a diving board.

Reference: Robert Luster, Esq., (619) 744-6800 (O), (619) 744-6811 (F)

Consultant to: Lenny Krayzelburg Swim School

Location: 5870 Olympic Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90036

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool inspection.

Reference: Lenny Krayzelburg, (818) 613-8426 (C), (323) 525-0326 (F), lenny@lksports.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of C. Ray Carlson Location: 27951 Smyth Drive, Suite 101

Valencia, CA 91355-4048

Year: 2006

Involvement: Bateman v. Six Flags Hurricane Harbor, White Water West, Inc., and Sunco

Innertubes. Plaintiff. Guest shattered his ankle when he fell off his innertube

and crashed into the bottom of the splashpool.

Reference: Bob French, Esq., (661) 294-0044 (O), (661) 294-9475 (F)

Consultant to: Baker, Keener & Nahra
Location: 633 W. Fifth Street, 54th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90071-2005

Year: 2006

Involvement: Glassgow / Hendrix v. Topping. Plaintiff. Drowning of one child and near

drowning of another child in a neighbor's pool.

Reference: Ken Spenser, Esq., (213) 241-0900 (O), (310) 210-1807 (C), (213) 241-0990 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Michaels & Watkins Location: 11755 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300

Los Angeles, CA 90025-1540

Year: 2006

Involvement: Vasquez / Mora / Puente v. City of El Monte, et al. Plaintiff. Drowning death

of a student during a summer school trip to the El Monte Aquatic Park

Reference: Shirley Watkins, Esq., (310) 444-1200 (O), (310) 444-1211 (F)

Consultant to: Ability First

Location: 1300 East Green Street

Pasadena, California 91106

Year: 2006 - 2007

Reference: Kelly Privitt, Associate Director of Programs and Services, (626) 396-1010,

(310) 433-8090 (C), (626) 396-1021 (F), kprivitt@abilityfirst.org

Consultant to: Ability First – Claremont Center

Location: 480 S. Indian Hill

Claremont, CA 91711

Year: 2007

Involvement: Pool inspection. L.A. Care Health Plan grant evaluation. Reference: Grace Castro, Center Director, (909) 621-4727, (909)

624-8388 (F), gcastro@abilityfirst.org

Consultant to: Ability First – Lawrence L. Frank Center

Location: 201S Kinneloa Ave.

Pasadena, CA 91107

Year: 2007

Involvement: Pool inspection.

Reference: Michael Barkyoumb, Director, (626) 429-5661, (626) 449-

1519 (F), mbarkyoumb@abilityfirst.org.

Consultant to: Ability First – Long Beach Center

Location: 3770 E. Willow Street

Long Beach, CA 90815

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool inspection.

Reference: Barbara Schlosser, Center Director, (562) 426-6161,

(562) 426-6148 (F), bschlosser@abilityfirst.org.

Consultant to: Ability First – Harry A. Meir Center

Location: 8090 Crenshaw Blvd.

Inglewood, CA 90305

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool inspection.

Reference: Christel McDowell, Center Director, (323) 753-3101, (323)

753-5472 (F), cmcdowell@abilityfirst.org

Consultant to: Ability First – Camp Paivika

Location: 600 Playground Drive

Crestline, CA 92325

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool inspection.

Reference: Kenny Kunsek, (909) 338-1102, kkunsek@abilityfirst.org

Consultant to: Ability First – Paul Weston Center

Location: 6530 Winnetka Ave.

Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool design. For the rebuilding and reopening of the

therapy pool.

Reference: Jeffrey Richards, Center Director; (818) 884-6612 ext. 12

(O) / (818) 742-7792 (C)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Ronald Gilbert

Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2006

Involvement: Myers v. Holiday Inn Express. Plaintiff. Female hotel guest was injured as a

result of exposure to excessive levels of bromine.

Reference: Ron Gilbert, Esq., (810) 714-4782

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callaham

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2006

Involvement: Cockrell & Wagner v. Williams Sport Rentals. Plaintiffs. Extended family

vacation on Lake Tahoe. Adults rented PWCs for teenage family members. Marina allowed a 7 year old to sit in front of the 14 year old driver. Seven year old Jordan Cockrell and 14 year old Ashley Wagner were killed in a collision with their 15 year old cousin Derek Cockrell. Case involves issues relating to duties

of a boat rental company.

Reference: Roger Dreyer, Esq., (916) 379-3432 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: City of Coronado, Recreation Services

Location: 1845 Strand Way

Coronado, CA 92118

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool facility safety audit.

Reference: Linda Rahn, Director of Recreation; (619) 522-7342

Consultant to: Laufenberg & Hoefle, S.C. Location: 115 S. 84th Street, Suite 330

Milwaukee, WI 53214

Year: 2006

Involvement: Buanya v. Lawrence University. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a college athlete

during a team building activity in the Lawrence University swimming pool. Decedent was from Ghana, male, non swimmer, and member of the soccer

team.

Reference: Lynn Laufenberg, Esq., (414) 778-0700

Consultant to: Snohomish County Prosecutors Office, Civil Division Location: Admin East 7th Floor, M/S 504, 3000 Rockefeller Ave.

Everett, WA 98201-4060

Year: 2006

Involvement: Moen v. Snohomish County. Defendant. The case involves the drowning

death of a child at the Mc Collum Park Pool.

Reference: Bridget Casey, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, (425) 388-6341

Consultant to: **The Gomez Law Firm**Location: 625 Broadway, Suite 1104

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2006

Involvement: Chiquete v. Seaforth Boat Rentals. Plaintiff. PWC / motorboat collision.

Seaforth Boat Rental mechanic test riding an 18' Searay bowrider with a 115 hp Mercury outboard, and a Yamaha Waverunner had a t-bone collision while running northbound near Government Island and the western shore of Fiesta Island on Mission Bay. A 7 year old child passenger on the Waverunner was seriously injured in the collision, suffered head trauma and is still in a coma.

Reference: Maria Palmieri, Esq. and John Gomez, Esq., (619) 237-3490

Consultant to: Saf-T-Swim, Inc.

Location: 3400 Veterans Memorial Highway

Bohemia, NY 11764

Year: 2006

Involvement: Swim school facility design. Reference: Jim Hazen, (631) 252-9717

Consultant to: California Elite Sports Center Location: 22982 Avenida Empresa f

Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688

Year: 2006

Involvement: Pool inspection.

Reference: Lynn Ledford, (949) 589-1512 (O), (949) 589-1377 (F), www.calelite.com

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2006

Involvement: Gilday v. Thunderboats, International Hot Boat Association. Plaintiff.

Accident involves the IHBA sanctioned, Thunderboat drag race sponsored event on Mission Bay. Rescue crews relayed information about safety of the course and race conditions via radio. The sanctioning body and master of ceremonies ignored the information about rolling waves and debris relayed by the rescue crews, and allowed the race to proceed. Mr. Gilday was seriously injured when

his boat became airborne, crashed and disintegrated.

Reference: William Callaham, Esq., (916) 379-3432 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Steinberg & Spencer Location: 3250 Ocean Park Blvd., Suite 170

Santa Monica, CA 90405

Year: 2006

Involvement: Mc Daniel / Williams v. Williams. Plaintiff. Drowning of a toddler in a backyard

loog

Reference: Steve Hilst, Esq., (310) 450-5960

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callaham

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2006

Involvement: Intille v. Kings. Plaintiff. Woman contracted Legionnaire's Disease from the

water in a Softub spa installed in her room at the Marina Dunes Resort in Monterey, CA. The Health Dept. had previously told the hotel (after another guest reported a uterine infection) that the 60 they had installed spas were in

violation of code and had to be removed.

Reference: William Callaham, Esq., (916) 379-3432 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: **Joyce, Johnson & Mac Donald**Location: 321 W. Galena Street. Suite B

321 W. Galena Street, Suite B Butte. MT 59701

Year: 2006

Involvement: Castleblanco v. Wilder Resort. Plaintiff. Waterslide accident. A child was

permitted to sit on his mother's lap while descending the serpentine flume. The accident occurred in the splash pool when the child was propelled forward,

collided with his mother' and broke his femur.

Reference: John Johnston, Esq.; (406) 723-8700

Consultant to: **Kazan & Shaughnessy**Location: 746 Chestnut Street

Manchester, NH 03104-3001

Year: 2006

Involvement: Camerato v. American Skiing Company, Attitash, New Hampshire Bear

Peak Resort, et al. Plaintiff. Hotel guest was able to gain access to the

unlocked and unmonitored pool facility late at night after having been a guest at a wedding reception held at the resort. Mr. Camerato dove into the shallow end of

the pool and fractured his cervical spine.

Reference: James Kazan, Esq.; (603) 644-4357, (603) 225-5361 (O)

Consultant to: A.J. Wilson / Like New Pool Services

Location: 10224 Baroness Ave.

San Diego, CA 92126

Year: 2006

Involvement: Miramar MCAS. Pool site visit, meetings, water testing and analysis.

Preparation of a report recommending changing the type of sanitizer-oxidizer

used in the Marine Corps Air Station pools.

Reference: A. J. Wilson, (619) 417-1709

Consultant to: Noonan Family Swim School – San Marcos

Location: P.O. Box 285

Del Mar, CA 92014

Year: 2006

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Jeff Noonan, (858) 847-0794

Consultant to: Murphy, Pearson, Bradley & Feeney

Location: 88 Kearney Street, 10th Floor

San Francisco, CA 94108

Year: 2006

Involvement: Raymond v. Martinez, et al. Defendant Lyle's Fiberglass. Plaintiff was

intoxicated (BAL at hospital was 0.22) when he dove off a board manufactured by Inter-Fab, into the deep end of the pool and hit the transitional slope. The injury resulted in quadriplegia. Prior to the sale of the home, Lyle resurfaced the

pool with fiberglass and covered over an old, non functioning light niche.

Reference: Steven Kronenberg, Esq., (415) 788-1900

Consultant to: Wesierski & Zurek

Location: 1000 Wilshire Blvd. #1750

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 2006

Involvement: Gomez v. Muniz. Defendant homeowner. Eighteen year old, intoxicated young

man with a BAL of 0.16 drowned in a residential swimming pool. Gomez jumped $\,$

in the unheated pool and walked toward the deep end. The three friends watched him drown, but thought he was just goofing around. One of the friends actually videotaped the entire incident. Eventually the three friends realized

Gomez was in trouble.

Reference: Stephen Ziemann, Esq., (213) 627-2300

Consultant to: La Petite Baleen Swim School – Presidio

Location: 775 Main Street

Half Moon Bay, CA 94019

Year: 2006

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: John Kolbesin, (650) 726-7166, jskolb@aol.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Donald J. Deshaw (In-house Counsel for Safeco Insurance)

Location: 2730 Gateway Oaks, Suite 210

Sacramento, CA 95833

Year: 2006

Involvement: Thornton v. Perdock. Defendant. The boating accident occurred at 9:30 pm on

Clear Lake, a large inland lake in northern California. The defendant is a deputy sheriff who collided with a sailboat that was operating without running lights.

There were several passenger injuries and one fatality in the sailboat.

Reference: Sheila Gonzalez, Esq.; (916) 923-9505(O), (888) 879-2169 (F), shegon@safeco.com

Consultant to: Law Offices of Paul Justi

Location: 18 Crow Canyon Court, Suite 160

San Ramon, CA 94583

Year: 2006

Involvement: Simmons v. The Tides Foundation, et al. Plaintiff. A fifteen year old boy who

lived in inner city San Francisco drowned in a reservoir while on a weekend camping trip sponsored by a charitable foundation. Two boys and a counselor attempted to swim back from a small island in what they mistakenly thought was

shallow water.

Reference: Paul Justi, Esq.; (925) 837-9677 (O), (925) 837-0548 (F), pbjusti@earthlink.net

Consultant to: Schulten, Ward & Turner

Location: 260 Peachtree Street, NW, Suite 2700

Atlanta, GA 30303

Year: 2006

Kotschedoff v. Jacuzzi. Plaintiff. Suction entrapment / evisceration incident. Involvement:

> Three year old boy lost 8" of his colon when entrapped while wearing a PFD and sitting in a Beachport aboveground residential spa in his backyard in Mission Viejo, CA. His mom shut off the pump immediately when she heard his cry, but it was too late to prevent the serious injury. The spa was installed by a previous owner of the home around 1980. The accident occurred in August 2005.

Reference: Cristina Leon, Esq.; (404) 419-2972 (O), (404) 419-2978 (F), ccl@swtlaw.com

Bunda, Stutz & DeWitt Consultant to: Location: One Sea Gate, Suite 650

Toledo, OH 43604-1546

Year: 2006

Involvement: Hertzfeld v. Hayward Pool Products. Defendant. Service company installed

an inline erosion feeder on a residential pool, but plaintiff claims that she was not given a copy of the O & M manual. At the end of the season, she dismantled the feeder and stored it in her garage, without first rinsing the feeder. Someone told the plaintiff that the fumes from the chlorinator could damage her car, so she attached both ends of the chlorine feed lines together. Pressure built up in the vessel over the Winter. In the Spring when the plaintiff wanted to reinstall the feeder, she could not get it open. laintiff whacked the feeder with a hammer and it cracked. The feeder lid blew off hitting and injuring her hand and her

boyfriend's face.

Bob Bunda, Esq.; (419) 254-3111 (O), (419) 241-4697 (F) Reference:

Consultant to: Masry & Vititoe

Location: 5707 Corsa Ave., 2nd Floor

Westlake Village, CA 91362

Year:

Involvement: Dupuy v. Six Flags Hurricane Harbor. Plaintiff. An adult female and

inexperienced rider who lost control on a closed flume and catapulted head first into the bottom of the pool, hitting her head and losing consciousness. The lifequard never responded. Friends entered the pool to rescue her and called the

ambulance. Injuries included abrasions, and continuing headaches.

Reference: Jeffrey Bell, Esg. And Steven Mazza, Esg.

(818) 991-8900 (O, (818) 991-6200 (F), www.masryvititoe.com

Consultant to: Hosp, Gilbert, Bergsten & Phillips Location: 301 North Lake Ave., Suite 410

Pasadena, CA 91101

Year:

Involvement: Nelson v. Menifee Lakes, et al. Defendant, Plaintiffs claimed that the

chlorinator or controller was not properly installed which caused an excess of chemicals to be discharged into the pool. Several young children suffered minor

injuries.

Reference: Joe Hough, Esq.

(626) 792-2400 (O), (626) 356-9656

Consultant to: Sturgeon & Wehbe

Location: P.O. Box 9030, Mission Viejo, CA 92690-9030

19100 Von Karman Ave., Suite 500, Irvine, CA 92612-6557

Year: 2006

Involvement: Cunningham v. Town & Country Custom Pools. Defendant. Residential pool

construction defect claims.

Reference: Marc Soble, Esq.

(949) 252-0555 (O), (949) 252-0515 (F), msoble@sturgeonwehbe.com

Consultant to: **DPRA**, **Inc.**

Location: 100 San Marcos Blvd, Suite 308

San Marcos, CA 92069

Year: 2006

Involvement: Hume. Retained to investigate claims made by Carolyn Bohm, and Perry and

Julia Wong, that water damage to their homes is a result of a leak from their

neighbor, Eyrlene Hume's swimming pool.

Reference: Ioana G. Petrisor, Ph.D., Environmental Scientist and Gary Vargas, R.G., C.HG.,

Senior Associate, (760) 752-8342 x12

Consultant to: Prindle, Decker & Amaro

Location: 310 Golden Shore, 4th Floor, P.O. Box 22711

Long Beach, CA 90802

Year: 2006

Involvement: Rosen v. 24 Hour Fitness. Defendant. Screws were removed from the deck

drain grates by an independent contractor housekeeping service. Plaintiff claims

that the grate moved when she stepped on it causing her to fall.

Reference: Jack Nick, Esq., *562) 436-3946

Consultant to: Freidman, Collard & Panneton
Location: 7750 College Town Drive, Suite 300

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2006

Involvement: Edwards v. Thomas. Plaintiff. One year old infant crawled out through the

doggy door into a backyard pool. He suffered a non fatal submersion incident

which resulted in severe brain damage.

Reference: John Panneton, Esq., (916) 381-9012

Consultant to: Morrow, Kidman & Morrow

Location: The Winslow Building, 400 Winslow Way East, Suite 230

Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

Year: 2006

Involvement: Mc Donald v. Bainbridge Island, WA. Plaintiff. Child suffered brain damage as

a result of a non fatal submersion incident. The young boy was attending a birthday party at the community pool. The child, a non swimmer, fell off of an inflatable mat into deep water, and remained submerged for 5 minutes until

rescued by a patron.

Reference: Kerry Kidman, Esq., ((206) 842-3330

Consultant to: Stanley Law Offices

Location: 500 S. Salina Street, Suite 1020

Syracuse, NY 13202

Year: 2006

Involvement: Williams v. Soderberg Aquatic Center (Skaneateles, NY). Plaintiff. A pool

manager and coach who has developed hypersensitivity, chemical induced asthma, chronic fatigue, and overheating which prevents him from being near or

working in pools.

Reference: Joseph Stanley, Esq., (315) 474-3742

Consultant to: Thorndal, Armstrong, Delk, Balkenbush & Eisinger

Location: 6590 S. McCarran Blvd., #B

Reno, NV 89509

Year: 2005

Involvement: Minasian v. Farahi. Defendant. Mr. Farahi was operating his boat on the

Nevada side of Lake Tahoe on July 4th when a rental PWC operated by the plaintiff turned suddenly to port right in front of him and caused a collision. The accident occurred when the PWC operator's hat blew off and she made an

attempt to pick it up.

Reference: Steve Balkenbush, Esq., (775) 786-2882

Consultant to: Mintzer, Sarowitz

Location: 1528 Walnut Street, 22nd floor

Philadelphia, PA 19102

Year: 2005

Involvement: **Teich v. Taylor Technologies**. Defendant. A swim instructor at the JCC pool in

Philadelphia claims he suffered permanent eye damage as a result of swimming in a heavily chlorinated pool. The pool operator did not know that elevated chlorine levels tend to bleach out test reagents. Water samples were taken to a chemical distributor, who confirmed that the chlorine levels were high, rather than low. They had been having problems with the chlorinator and were hand feeding

granular chlorine directly to the pool. The plaintiff has sued the test kit manufacturer and claims inadequate labeling and test kit instructions.

Reference: Steve Cherry, Esq., (215) 735-7200

Consultant to: Murray Callan Swim Schools

Location: 1012 Law Street

San Diego, CA 92109

Year: 2005

Involvement: Facility inspections for Murray Callan Swim School – Pacific Beach and Murray

Callan Swim School – San Marcos.

Reference: Glen Callan, (858) 273-7946

Consultant to: Allen, Polgar, Proietti

Location: P.O. Box 2184

Merced, CA 95340

Year: 2005

Involvement: Trevino v. Merced Irrigation District. Plaintiff. A 4 year old boy drowned in an

irrigation canal adjacent to his house.

Reference: Terry Allen, Esq., (209) 723-4372

Consultant to: Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center – Seattle

Location: 4800 Sand Point Way NE, P.O. Box 5371 / 2C-1

Seattle, WA 98105-0371

Year: 2005

Involvement: Therapy pool inspection.

Reference: Kathleen Bateman, (206) 987-2000 x 2547

Consultant to: Darrell Palmer, LL.M.
Location: 2869 India Street

San Diego, CA 92103-6011

Year: 2005

Involvement: Imlay v. Seaforth Boat Rentals. Plaintiff. Mr. Imlay and his wife were invited to

go boating with friends who had won a free boat rental from Seaforth. The group went out on Mission Bay in the 21' ski boat. While in the Mission Bay channel the boat was hit by a large wake and came out of the water, throwing Mr. Imlay

who broke his back.

Reference: Daryl Palmer, Esq. and Mark Miller, Esq.; (619) 293-3100

Consultant to: Kings

Location: 5 St. Catherine Court, P.O. Box 1216

Mornington, Victoria 3931, Australia

Year: 2005

Involvement: Pool facility inspections: Chirnside, Narre Warren, Langwarrin Park, Frankston

High School, Mornington and Armadale.

Reference: Phil King, General Manager; 011-61-3-5976-3777

Consultant to: Watts Law Firm

Location: Bank of America Plaza, Suite 100, 300 Convent Street

San Antonio, TX 78205

Year: 2005

Involvement: Gonzales v. Fun Jet Vacations. Plaintiff. Decedent drowned after getting

caught in a current while snorkeling with an organized group at an ocean resort near Cancun. He was on vacation with his family in Mexico and had booked an

all inclusive trip offered by Fun Jet Vacations.

Reference: Shalimar Wallis, Esq.; (210) 527-0500

Consultant to: Law Offices of Robert von Raesfeld

Location: 909 Lafayette Street, Suite 706

Santa Clara, CA 98050

and

Thelen, Reid, Brown, Raysman & Steiner

101 Second Street, Suite 1800 San Francisco, CA 94105

Year: 2005

Involvement: Johnson v. Stanford University. Defendant. Drowning of a goalie during a

charity inner tube water polo game held at the Stanford University pool.

Reference: Robert von Raesfeld, Esq.; (408) 246-3000

Matthew Richards, Esq., (415) 369-7740 (O), (415) 369-8951 (F)

Consultant to: Law Office of Mark H. Miller

Bishop's Woods - Pinnacle III, 13845 Bishop Dr., Suite 110 Location:

Brookfield, WI 53005

Year: 2005

Involvement: Mc Arthey v. Brown County, WI Association of Retarded Citizens.

> Defendant. Plaintiff is a developmentally disabled adult who was participating in an outing to the YMCA pool as part of a group from the Brown County Assoc. of

Retarded Citizens when he became submerged in the pool.

Reference: Geri Wilkinson, Esq.; (262) 821-4623

Consultant to: Fieger, Fieger, Kenney & Johnson

Location: 19390 West Ten Mile Road

Southfield, MI 48075

Year: 2005

Redmond / Kelly v. Eastern Michigan University. Plaintiff. A 17 year old high Involvement:

school student from inner city Detroit drowned while attending a lock-in party at

the EMU natatorium.

Reference: Todd Weglarz, Esq., (248) 355-5555

Consultant to: **Alexander Rogers** 6924 Weller Street Location:

San Diego, CA 92122

Year: 2005

Year:

Involvement: Pool inspection and evaluation prior to home purchase.

Reference: **Alexander Rogers**

Consultant to: **Steve Kasche** Location: 14760 Via Mantova San Diego, CA 92124

Involvement: Residential spa and water feature inspection, and report.

Reference: Steve Kasche, (858) 756-7221

Consultant to: **Mettler Center** Location: 2906 Crossing Court

Champaign, IL 61822

Year: 2005

Involvement: Aquatic therapy facility design.

Miles Mettler, Ph.D., General Manager; (217) 356-6543 (O), (217) 356-8010 (F) Reference:

Consultant to: Borton, Petrini & Conron Location: 200 N. D Street, Suite 500

San Bernardino, CA 92401

Year: 2005

Involvement: Wickstrom v. Guerra. Defendants. Brock Wickstrom, a 6 year old child with

cerebral palsy and other medical disabilities drowned in the backyard spa of the

Guerra residence.

Reference: Barbara Keough, Esq.; (909) 381-0527

Consultant to: Gordon & Reese

Location: 101 W. Broadway, Suite 1600

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2005

Involvement: Owens v. Grand Meadows Apartments. Defendant. Non fatal submersion

incident of a 4 year old boy in a apartment complex pool that had been closed for repairs. The child died months later due to complications following laser surgery

to keep scar tissue from interfering with his breathing.

Reference: Michael Miles, Esq.; (619) 696-6700 (O), (619) 696-7124 (F)

Consultant to: Dreyer, Babich, Buccola & Callahan

Location: 20 Bicentenial Circle

Sacramento, CA 95826

Year: 2005

Involvement: Campagnone v. Enjoyable Pools, Sta-Rite Industries. Plaintiff who was

seriously injured in an exploding pool filter incident.

Reference: Stan Fleshman, Esq. & Steve Davids, Esq., (916) 379-3432 (O), (916) 379-3599 (F)

Consultant to: Law Offices of David L. Roark Location: 555 Figaroa Street, Suite 1232

Los Angeles, CA 90071

Year: 2005

Involvement: Wild v. Korrison. Plaintiff. Group of teenaged boys had been watching the

Lakers basketball game on TV and afterwards decided to sit in the backyard spa. Matt (18 years old, 6'3" tall) was hot from sitting in the spa and got up, walked part way down the pool toward what he thought was deeper water and dove head first into the adjacent swimming pool. Matt struck the bottom of the pool,

and injuries resulted in quadriplegia.

Reference: David Roark, Esq., (213) 624-2388 (O), (213) 624-0374 (F)

Consultant to: **McNulty Law Firm** Location: 827 Moraga Drive

Bel Air, CA 90049

Brett Rosenthal, Esq. / Daniel Glaser, Esq. (310) 471-2707

and

The Waller Law Group

325 S. Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV 89101

Timothy O'Reilly, Esq. (702) 386-3933

Year: 2005

Involvement: Watson v. Altair Condos. Plaintiff. Drowning death of 1-1/2 year old child in a,

unfenced, decorative water feature at a condo in Las Vegas. The child and her 3 year old brother got out of the condo and wandered over to the water feature.

Consultant to: Carlile Systems
Location: 4 Berry Ave.

Fairlight, New South Whales 2094, Australia

Year: 2005

Involvement: Pool design, facility inspection, staff training, development of training materials

and pool O & M manuals.

Reference: John Coutts, Director, 011-61-2-9948-8500 (O), 011-61-2-9948-5700 (F)

Consultant to: Rehab Institute of Southern California

Location: 1800 E. La Veta

Orange, CA 92866

Year: 2005

Involvement: Therapy pool and facility inspection.

Reference: Carol Reese, (714) 633-7400 x 203 (O), (714) 633-4586 (F)

Consultant to: Farmer, Murphy, Smith & Alliston Location: 3640 American River Dr. #150

Sacramento, CA 95864

Year: 2005

Involvement: Hare v. King. Defendant homeowner. An intoxicated, adult male neighbor

slipped while jumping off a jumping rock into defendant's residential pool. He may have hit his head on surrounding rocks. He left the pool and fell 15 minutes later while walking across the street. He died of a subdural hematoma. Autopsy

showed 2 skull fractures.

Reference: Craig Farmer, Esq. and Shauna Ogden, Esq., (916) 484-3500

Consultant to: Choulos, Choulos & Wyle
Location: 425 California St., Suite 180

San Francisco, CA 94104

Year: 2005

Involvement: Phinney v. City of Susanville and Lassen Aquatics. Plaintiff. Elemental gas

chlorine leak during morning swim practice at the City of Susanville's old Roosevelt pool. Twelve year old Jenny Phinney was exposed and suffered chlorine poisoning, chemical burns to her throat and lungs, which led to asthma,

angio edema and chemical sensitivity.

Reference: Claude Wyle, Esq., (415) 474-7800, cwyle@ccwlawyers.com

Consultant to: Hultgren & Kornreich

Location: 2820 Camino Dos Rios, Suite 301

Thousand Oaks, CA 91320-1136

Year: 2005

Involvement: Williams v. Ventura Community College District. Plaintiff. Drowning death of

an 8 year old, profoundly deaf girl during a swim lesson held in the community

college swimming pool.

Reference: Dale Kornreich, Esq., (805) 375-7300

Harrison Sommer, Esq., (818) 992-6058

Consultant to: The Thurswell Law Firm
Location: 1000 Town Center, Suite 500
Southfield, MI 48075-1221

Year: 2005

Involvement: Whiteside v. Grand Days Hospitality (DBA: Airport Days Inn). Expert for the

plaintiff. Drowning death of a young girl during a birthday party held at a hotel

pool.

Reference: Cary Makrouer, Esq., (866) 354-5544

Consultant to: Love To Swim School
Location: 8502 Carlton Woods Drive
San Antonio, TX 78254

Year: 2005

Involvement: Pool facility design and equipment specification.

Reference: Mary Reilly-Magee, (210) 381-9174

Consultant to: Stompoly, Stroud, Glicksman & Erickson

Location: One South Church Ave., Suite 1640, Tucson, AZ 85701

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 190, Tucson, AZ 85702

Year: 2005

Involvement: Baker v. City of Tucson. Plaintiff. Sixteen year old Jeremy was fishing with his

older sister and her husband at a man made lake. His bobber go stuck on

debris, so he waded out, slipped into deep water, and drowned.

Reference: John Stompoly, Esq., (520) 628-8300

Consultant to: Wesierski & Zurek

Location: 1000 Wilshire Blvd. #1750

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 2005

Involvement: Nam v. Park. Defendant. Drowning of a 14 year old, 6' tall, very athletic boy in a

residential backyard pool.

Reference: Steve Ziemann, Esq., (213) 627-2300

Consultant to: Mc Intosh, Sawran, Peltz, Cartaya & Petruccelli

Location: 19 West Flagler Street, Suite 520

Miami, FL 33130

Year: 2004

Involvement: Frank v. Celebrity Cruise Lines. Defendant. Mr. Frank slipped and fell while

exiting the indoor pool on the cruise ship, and broke his shoulder and hip.

Reference: Carol Finklehoffe, Esq., (305) 381-8922

Consultant to: **Dranoff and Patrizio**

Location: 117 South 17th Street, Suite 1600

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Year: 2004

Involvement: Estate of Thomas Bray v. United States of America (USCG), and the City of

Philadelphia. Plaintiff. Officer Bray, a member of the City of Philadelphia's marine unit, drowned in the Delaware River when he became entangled and ran out of air while SCUBA diving. Officer Bray was on the job and working with the

U. S. Coast Guard to recover a sunken buoy.

Reference: Arnold Dranoff. Esq., (215) 569-2121

Consultant to: **Thorsnes, Bartolotta & McGuire**Location: 2550 Fifth Ave., Eleventh Floor

San Diego, CA 92103

Year: 2004

Involvement: Bucci v. Seaforth Boat Rental. Plaintiff. Two girls were run over by the boat by

which they were being towed.

Reference: Kevin Quinn, Esq., (619) 236-9363zž`q

Year: 2004

Involvement: Fitt v. Marina Cortez. Plaintiff. Marina tennant was seriously injured while

climbing up the boardig steps to her boat. The dilapidated wood and concrete

floating pier collapsed causing her to fall.

Reference: Peter Porter, Esq., (714) 835-2700

Consultant to: **Emler Swim School, Inc.** Location: 2201 Lavern Street

Arlington, TX 76013

Year: 2004

Involvement: Pool facility design and equipment specification.

Reference: Jan Emler, (817) 275-7946

Consultant to: Law Office of Haleh Shekarchian Location: 9440 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 700

Beverly Hills, CA 90210

Year: 2003

Involvement: Valdez v. Taubman. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a 5-1/2 year old child in a

residential in-ground pool. The child's mother was substituting as a maid, had been at the residence on 5 other occasions, and was not aware that the family

had removed the isolation fencing separating the pool from the house.

Reference: Haleh Shekarchian, Esq., (310) 271-2121

Consultant to: Acuarela Escuela de Natacion

Location: Privada Laureles s/n, Colonia Reforma, 68050

Oaxaca, Oaxaca, Mexico

Year: 2003

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Beatriz Esesarte Pesqueira, Directora; 011-52-951-313-443-7845

besarteacuarela@prodigy.net.mx, 011-52-951-109-8648

Consultant to: **City of Fullerton, Community Services Department**

Location: 801 W. Valencia Drive Fullerton, CA 92832

Year: 2003

Involvement: Facility audit of the Janet Evans Swim Complex. Gretchen Beatty, Risk Manager; (714)738-5310 Reference:

Consultant to: Borton, Petrini & Conron

Location: Emerald Palza, 402 W. Broadway, Suite 880

San Diego, CA 92101-3542

Year: 2003

Involvement: Lesch v. Helix High School. Plaintiff. High school student caught an infectious

> disease (Legionnaire's Disease) in the high school pool, was hospitalized for an extended amount of time and suffered permanent respiratory system injuries. . The girl's water polo coach held practice even though the pool pump was not in

operation.

Reference: Rocky K. Copley, Esq., (619) 232-2424

Consultant to: **Gruel, Mills, Nims & Pylman** Location: 50 Monroe Ave., NW, Suite 700 W

Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2625

Year: 2003

Involvement: Auman v. YMCA. Plaintiff. James Auman, 36, was at an outing with the Bay

Area Mental Health Group at the Anderson Wave Park in Saginaw, Michigan

when he drowned. The pool is City owned but operated by the YMCA.

J. Paul Janes, Esq., (616) 235-5500 Reference:

Consultant to: Law Offices of Friedberg & Bunge

610 West Ash Street, Suite 1400, P.O. Box 6814 Location:

San Diego, CA 92166-0814

2003 Year:

Involvement: Trigas v. Bruce. Plaintiff. Phillip Triags' right knee was injured when he was hit

by a borrowed PWC operated by John Bruce on Lake Powell.

Reference: Thomas Friedberg, Esq., (619) 557-0101

Consultant to: Klinedinst Attorneys at Law Location:

4 Hutton Center Drive, Suite 675

Santa Ana, CA 92707

Year: 2003

Involvement: Vanegas v. Torres. Defendant.

Reference: Kevin Gramling, Esq., (714) 542-1800, <u>www.klinedinstlaw.com</u>

Consultant to: Law Firm of Rogers, Coleman, Pendas, Knapp & Dill

Location: 34 East Pine Street, P.O. Box 3427

Orlando, FL 32802

Year: 2003

Involvement: Worship v. Bethune Cookman College. Defendant. A young man drowned

when caught in a rip current while trying to rescue a classmate during an outing

to a public beach guarded by Volusia County lifeguards.

Reference: W. David Rogers, Esq., (407) 849-6459

Consultant to: Law Offices of Carpenter & Zuckerman

Location: 9200 Sunset Blvd., Suite 1207

Los Angeles, CA 90069-3502

Year: 2003

Involvement: Villalpando v. City of Los Angeles. Plaintiff. Eight year old Jose Villalpando

was in the Ross Snyder Pool, when he was hit directly in the eye by a bottle rocket set off by boys playing in the park immediately outside the pool fence. Jose lost sight in his left eye when his eye was punctured and the optic nerve

was cut as a result of the fireworks incident.

Reference: Sara Azari and John Carpenter, Esq., (310) 273-1230

Consultant to: Martin P. Elwood, Attorney at Law

Location: 1901 First Ave., Suite 116

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2003

Involvement: Wright v. Pacific Shores Inn. Plaintiff. Mary Wright slipped on the steps and

fell while entering the motel swimming pool.

Reference: Martin Elwood, Esq.; (619) 231-8600

Consultant to: Advance Therapy

Location: 3201 University Drive East, Suite 160

Bryan, TX 77845

Year: 2003

Involvement: Therapy pool design.

Reference: Bruce Forsyth, (979) 774-9958

Consultant to: Boardman Law Firm

Location: 4th Floor, 1 South Pickney St., P.O. Box 927

Madison, WI 53701-0927

Year: 2003

Involvement: Atkins v. Swim West Fitness & Swim Club. Defendant. A 47 year old female

physician died while swimming laps in the pool.

Reference: Bradway A. Liddle, Jr., Esq.; (608) 257-9521

Consultant to: Eric & Susan Schoeppner Location: 26223 Wyndemere Court Escondido, CA 92026

Year: 2003

Involvement: Evaluation of a recently completed residential swimming pool.

Reference: Eric & Susan Schoeppner, (760) 741-3363

Consultant to: Massery & Gillis

Location: 152 N. Third Street, Suite 200

San Jose, CA 95112

Year: 2003

Involvement: Banuelos v. PBM Industries, et al. Plaintiff. Concrete contractor took down the

fence surrounding the backyard pool, and the pool alarm failed to activate when

a young boy fell in the pool and drowned.

Reference: Robert Bohn, Esq., (408) 279-4222

Consultant to: Massery & Gillis Location: 151 Merrimac Street

Boston, MA 02114

Year:

Involvement: Kraemer v. Duraflex International Corp., et al. Plaintiff. A high school

swimmer was injured when a diving board fell on her while assisting her swim

coach in lowering it for a school diving meet.

Reference: Gerald E. Libby, II, Esq., (617) 523-1125

Consultant to: **City of Santa Monica** Location: 1685 Main Street. Suite 212

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 2003

Involvement: Facility inspection of the new Santa Monica Swim Center. Reference: Robin Davidson, Human Services Division, (310) 458-8701

Turner & Turner Consultant to:

26000 W. Twelve Mile Road Location:

Southfield, MI 48034

Year: 2003

Involvement: Mc Giness v. Unique Ventures (DBA: Ramada Inn, Flint, Michigan). Plaintiff.

Mr. Mc Giness hit his head and was seriously injured when he fell on slippery

pool deck tile.

Reference: Matt Turner, Esq.; (248) 355-1727

Law Offices of Michael F. Amlaw Consultant to: Location: 6760 University Ave., Suite 230

San Diego, CA 92115-5827

Year: 2003

Involvement: Phongpradith v. Pluth. Plaintiff. Mr. Phongpradith and his grandson were

returning to the rental dock in a small aluminum hulled, 9.9 hp outboard boat after a few hours of fishing on San Vicente Reservoir, when they were hit by a 16' fiberglass hulled boat with a 115 hp outboard, traveling 20 mph and driven by David Pluth. The Phongpradith boat sustained damage to its port side, and Mr. Phongpradith and his grandson were both injured when they were thrown out of

the boat during the collision.

Reference: Michael Amlaw, Esq., (619) 583-8484

Consultant to: Stephen John Gray, A Professional Law Corp.

Location: P.O. Box 579

Hermosa Beach, CA 90254-0579

Year: 2003

Involvement: Thompson v. Ventura Marina Mobile Home Park. Plaintiff. Al Thompson

slipped and was injured while entering the swimming pool at the mobile home

park.

Reference: Stephen Gray, Esq., (310) 376-8008

Consultant to: Rancho Carlsbad Owners' Association

Location: 5200 El Camino Real

Carlsbad, CA 92008

Year: 2003

Involvement: Pool energy audit and facility inspection.

Reference: Kathy Griffith, Property Manager, (760)-438-0332

Consultant to: Murchison & Cumming

Location: 801 S. Grand Ave., 9th Floor, P.O. Box 17927

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 2003

Involvement: Quach v. USC Shen Win Chinese Institute. Defendant. Eight year old

Anthony Quach drowned in the lake at Santa Fe Dam during a day camp field

trip.

Reference: R. Scott LaSalle, Esq., (213) 630-1066

Consultant to: **Girardi & Keese**Location: 1126 Wilshire Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90017-1904

Year: 2002

Involvement: Karven/Veres v. Tommy Lee. Plaintiff. Daniel Veres drowned in the swimming

pool at the home of Tommy Lee during a birthday party held at the residence for

5 year old Brandon Lee.

Reference: Amy Solomon, Ryan McNamera, David Lira; (213) 977-0211

Consultant to: Dale Sprik & Associates
Location: 933 Four Mile Road, NW

Grand Rapids. MI 49544-1502

Year: 2003

Involvement: Walters v. Hampton Inn – East Lansing, MI. Plaintiff. Timothy Walters

drowned in the hotel spa.

Reference: Scott Hansberry, Esq., (616) 785-3300

Consultant to: Law Offices of Ronald Gilbert

Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2003

Involvement: Sidwa v. City of Chandler, Arizona & Vally of the Sun YMCA. Plaintiff. Six

year old Brandon Hagen-Sidwa near drowned in the shallow end of the

Arrowhead Pool during an outing to the pool with the YMCA day camp.

Reference: Ron Gilbert, Esq., (800) 342-0330

Consultant to: Law Firm of Curt C. Hartman

Location: 3749 Fox Point Court

Amelia, OH 45102

Year: 2003

Involvement: Thompson v. Coney Island. Plaintiff. Nine year old Eric Thompson was injured

when his foot was trapped between the pool wall and an exercise rail, after being

pushed into the pool by another child during a swimming lesson.

Reference: Curt Hartman, Esq., (513) 752-8800

Consultant to: Early, Maslach

Location: 700 S. Flower Street, Suite 2800

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 2002

Involvement: Miuccio v. Hall. Defendant. The plaintiff is an adult woman, age 41, and family

friend of the defendant, who had used the pool many times before. She made a

head first entry from an Aqua Slide 'N Dive fiberglass waterslide into

approximately 4 feet of water. The 25 year old pool is located in the backyard of the defendant's single family residence in Northridge, California. The plaintiff

suffered a simple fracture C5, and was not paralyzed.

Reference: John Notti, Esq. and Greg Fowler, Esq.; (213) 615-2571

Consultant to: Beam, Brobeck & West

Location: 600 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Suite 1000, Santa Ana, CA 92701

P.O. Box 22022, Santa Ana, CA 92702-2022

Year: 2002

Involvement: Ayala v. Farkhondehpour. Defendant. Paolo Ayala drowned in the

Farkhondehpour's residential swimming pool during a birthday party. His body

remained in the pool for 1.5 days, obscured by cloudy water.

Reference: Donald Zalewski, Esq., (714) 558-3944

Consultant to: Phoenix Physical Therapy / Avalanche Development

Location: 7 Winsor Court

South Burlington, VT 05403

Year: 2003

Involvement: Therapy pool design.
Reference: David & Jane Kaufman

Consultant to: Stockdale & Bridges

Location: Sowcroft Historical Home, 795 East 24th Street

Ogden, UT 84401

Year: 2003

Involvement: Hansen v. Mann. Plaintiff. While at the home of family friends with his older

sister, 3 year old Justin Hansen drowned in a backyard pool which was partially

covered with an automatic pool safety cover.

Reference: J. Paul Stockdale, Esq., (801) 621-1384

Consultant to: Law Offices of Steve E. Wenzel

Location: 520 Mount Rose Street

Reno, NV 89509

Year: 2002

Involvement: American General Development / Silver State Pools v. Krump Construction.

Plaintiff. Construction issues on the Duffield residential swimming pool project in

Incline Village, Nevada.

Reference: Steve Wenzel, Esq., (775) 827-2720

Consultant to: Jacoby & Meyers

Location: 1440 Broadway Street, Suite 1000

Oakland, CA 94612

Year: 2002

Involvement: Davis v. Cherry, et al. Plaintiff. A 19 month old child left his grandparent's

house unnoticed through a sliding glass door on which the lock was broken, and

drowned in a poorly maintained backyard pool.

Reference: Gary A. Peterson, Esq., (510) 891-8870

Consultant to: Grassini & Wrinkle

Location: 20750 Ventura Blvd., Suite 221

Woodland Hills, CA 91364

Year: 2002

Involvement: Janeway v. City of Santa Barbara. Plaintiff. Fourteen year old Katie Janeway

drowned in the Los Banos del Mar pool while attending a summer Adventure

Camp program.

Reference: William R. Champan, Esq.; (818) 348-1717

Consultant to: Law Offices of Ronald A. Gorrie

Location: Jamboree Center, 3 Park Plaza, Suite 1260

Irvine, CA 92614

Year: 2002

Involvement: Near v. Lake Forest Community Association. Plaintiff. Guest was injured in a

springboard diving accident.

Reference: Ronald Gorrie, Esq., (949) 679-6551

Consultant to: DiMarco, Araujo & Montevideo

Location: 1324 North Broadway

Santa Ana, CA 92706

Year: 2002

Involvement: Montebello v. Santa Ana Unified School District. Plaintiff. Fifteen year old

sophomore Ivan Montebello drowned during a physical education class at Santa

Ana High School.

Reference: John Montevideo, Esq., (714) 835-6990

Consultant to: Starfish Swim School, Inc.
Location: 4401 S. Tamarac Parkway #111

Denver, CO 80237

Year: 2002

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Ann & Michael Shidler, (720) 200-4444 or (303) 755-1826

Consultant to: **Thorsnes, Bartolotta & McGuire**Location: 2550 Fifth Ave., Eleventh Floor

San Diego, CA 92103

Year: 2002

Involvement: Roberts v. Council. Plaintiff. Joel Roberts was run over and seriously injured

by a propeller and the boat driven by Darin Council. Mr. Roberts was skin diving and spear fishing in the Pacific Ocean near Bird Rock when he was hit by the

boat.

Reference: Kevin Quinn, Erik Seiken and Jill Cleary, (619) 236-9363

Consultant to: Manion, Devens, McFetridge, Spiros & Schum

Location: 216 S. Market Street, P.O. Box 100

Hoopestown, IL 60942-0100

Year: 2002

Involvement: XXX v. Turtle Run. Plaintiff. A six year old boy was seriously injured when he

fell from the ladder of a 3 meter diving board onto a concrete pool deck.

Reference: Paul Manion, Esq.; (217) 283-5597

Consultant to: Plunkett & Cooney

Location: Plaza One Financial Center, 111 E. Court Street, Suite 1B

Flint, MI 48502

Year: 2002

Involvement: Winkfield v. KOA. Defendant. Drowning at a campground lake.

Reference: Richard Szymczak, Esq. and H. William Reising, Esq.; (810) 342-7001

Consultant to: Bible, Hoy & Trachok

Location: 201 W. Liberty Street, Suite 300

Reno, NV 89501-1808

Year: 2002

Involvement: American General Development / Silver State Pools v. Wilson. Plaintiff.

Homeowners refused to pay for construction of a residential swimming pool. The defendant claimed pool construction defects and prevented completion of the

project.

Reference: Mike Hoy, Esq. and Mark Lutz, Esq., (702) 755-8000

Consultant to: AqA Pool Management & Supply Location: 2185 Faraday Ave., Suite 130

Carlsbad, CA 92008

Year: 2002

Involvement: Gieseke v. Aquatic Quality Assurance and 24 Hour Fitness. Defendant.

Judy Gieseke claimed she contracted a bacterial infection and developed an extensive rash as a result of poor maintenance and water quality in the spa.

Reference: Berwick Drury, (760) 431-5757

Consultant to: Fulbright & Jaworski

Location: 865 S. Figueroa St., 29th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 2002

Involvement: Sanchez v. Al-Saud. Defendants: H.R.H. Haifa Bint Faisal Bin Faud Bin

Abdoulaziz Bin Al-Saud and H.H. Saud Bin Khaled Bin Abdullah Al-Saud. Case against the Saudi royal family was brought by an employee whose son drowned

on the premises of one of their rented homes in Beverly Hills.

Reference: Robert Dawson, Esq., (213) 892-9211

Consultant to: R. A. Brubaker & Associates
Location: 4605 Lankersham Blvd., Suite 807

North Hollywood, CA 91602

Year: 2002

Involvement: Fresquez v. Istrin. Plaintiff. The Fresquez's 18-month old son drowned when

he fell into the pool in the backyard of the Istrin rental property.

Reference: Richard Brubaker, Esq.; (818) 755-3830

Consultant to: DiMarco, Araujo & Montevideo

Location: 1324 North Broadway

Santa Ana, CA 92706

Year: 2002

Involvement: Heredia v. Hansen. Plaintiff. Javier Heredia broke his neck when he dove into

the shallow end of an apartment complex swimming pool

Reference: John Montevideo, Esq., (714) 835-6990

Consultant to: Denn, Kacal, Adams, Pappas & Law

Location: One Riverway, Suite 1200

Houston, TX 77056

Year: 2002

Involvement: Martinez v. Siller, M.D. and Memorial Hermann Hospital System. Expert for

the defendant. Judith Martinez claims that during a post-surgery physical therapy session, she developed a "dirty water" infection as a result of having a scab on her foot removed and being treated in an improperly cleaned water

therapy tank.

Reference: Richard Law, Esq. and Lisa Tiemann, R.N.; (713) 529-3992

Consultant to: Faruki, Gilliam & Ireland

Location: 500 Courthouse Plaza, SW, 10 N. Ludlow Street

Dayton, OH 45402

Year: 2002

Involvement: Swartz, et al. v. O'Brien International, Inc. Defendant. Seven year old

passenger Dylan Swartz as injured while seated in a Bayliner facing the stern. The strap on the tow rope pulling two riders on a tube behind the boat broke free from the attachment point on the tube. The tow rope recoiled back at the boat

and the snap hit Dylan with enough force to embed in his face.

Reference: Jeffrey Cox, Esq.; (937) 227-3704

Consultant to: Nix & Graddock
Location: 124 Church Street

Decatur, GA 30030-3325

Year: 2002

Involvement: Pennington v. Weeks. Plaintiff. Eight year old Pierre Pennington drowned in an

apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Christopher Graddock, Esq.; (404) 377-7600

Consultant to: **John C. Torjesen & Associates** Location: 11601 Wilshire Blvd., Site 2000

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 2002

Involvement: Ravins v. Morrow Bay. Plaintiff. Case involved a boating accident and the

drowning deaths of two children.

Reference: John Torjesen, Esq.; (310) 473-3828

Consultant to: Law Offices of Josua Stein Location: 333 City Blvd., Suite 1610

Orange, CA 92868

Year: 2002

Involvement: Sura v. Ruth. Plaintiff. Andrea Sura was a passenger in a 28' Bayliner being

operated on San Diego Bay. Defendant Stephen Ruth was operating at a speed estimated at 35 mph when the Bayliner hit the wake of another boat. No evasive action was taken and passengers were not warned. Ms. Sura was thrown into

the windshield, knocking out 8 teeth and suffering a concussion.

Reference: Josua Stein, Esq.; (714) 558-1844

Consultant to: Less & Weaver

Location: Cathedral Hill Office Building, 1255 Post Street, Suite 747

San Francisco, CA 94109-6710

Year: 2002

Involvement: Madrigal v. East Side Union High School District. Plaintiff. Fifteen year old

Roberto Madrigal drowned in a swimming pool during a physical education class

at Overfelt High School.

Reference: Lawrence J. Less, Esq.; (415) 398-9800

Consultant to: Ronald R. Gilbert, PC Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2002

Involvement: Bae v. Stratford Chase Townhouses. Plaintiff. Six year old Nina Bae died

after drowning in the shallow end of the apartment complex pool. She was being

supervised by a baby sitter who did not recognize that Nina was drowning.

Reference: Ronald Gilbert, Esq.; (800) 342-0330

Consultant to: Stutz, Gallagher, Artiano, Shinoff & Holtz

Location: 401 W. A Street, 15th Floor

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2002

Involvement: Brennecke v. San Diego Community College District. Defendant. Robert

Brennecke, age 50, suffered a seizure which precipitated a drowning event, while

swimming laps during an early morning community college swim fitness class.

Reference: Jeffrey A. Morris, Esq.; (619) 232-3122

Consultant to: Turner & Turner

Location: 26000 W. Twelve Mile Road

Southfield, MI 48034

Year: 2002

Involvement: Psillas v. MGM Grand Las Vegas. Plaintiff. Mr. Psillas slipped-and-fell on the

wet and slippery concrete pool deck at the MGM Grand Hotel.

Reference: Matt Turner, Esq.; (248) 355-1727

Consultant to: Rodgers, Perfilio, Heiman & Sewinsky

Location: 29 Vine Ave.

Sharon, PA 16146-2112

Year: 2002

Involvement: Scullin v. Greenville Area Leisure Services Association. Plaintiff. Seventeen

year old Erin Scullin was killed when she fell off a 1-meter diving board into a twelve foot deep empty swimming pool and was hit by the falling board. The diving board had been placed on the frame but not bolted to the framework.

Reference: Henry E. Sewinsky, Esq.; (724) 981-8000

Consultant to: Swim America Swim School

Location: 13453 Photo Drive

Woodbridge, VA 22193

Year: 2002

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Dave & Cindy Tonnesen, (703) 590-9296

Consultant to: Law Offices of Donald R. Knight Location: 7852 S. Elati Street, Suite 201

Littleton, CO 80120

Year: 2002

Involvement: Howe v. Hyland Hills Water World, Superior Foam, and Whitewater West

Industries. Plaintiff. Donna Howe was injured when she was ejected from her inner tube after hitting the fishladders intended to slow riders in the Arkansas

River serpentine flume.

Reference: Donald Knight, Esq.; (303) 797-1645

Consultant to: Northern Virginia Swim America / Potomac Swim School

Location: P.O. Box 975

Ashburn, VA 20146-0975

Year: 2002

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Eric Moore & Donna Boone, (703) 590-9296

Consultant to: Law Offices of Gerald L. Marcus Location: 22801 Ventura Blvd., Suite 111

Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Year: 2002

Involvement: Alarcon v. Oasis Park. Plaintiff. Case involves the near drowning of a 14-year

old boy in a campground swimming pool, which occurred when the lifeguard left

swimmers unattended while he went on a break.

Reference: Gerald Marcus, Esq. (818) 784-8533

Consultant to: Corette, Pohlman & Kebe

Location: Mayer Building, 129 West Park Street, P.O. Box 509

Butte, MT 59703

Year: 2001

Involvement: Elston v. Fairmont Hot Springs Resort. Plaintiff. Gary Elston was injured

when his right leg slammed into the pool bottom upon exiting a tube slide.

Reference: John Johnston, Esq.; (406) 782-5800

Consultant to: Stuart Law Firm

Location: 12400 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 400

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 2001

Involvement: Essa v. Monticello Town Home Assoc., et al. Plaintiff. Yousif Essa drowned

in the condominium swimming pool.

Reference: Tony Stuart, Esq.; (310) 207-0070

Consultant to: Canfield & Associates
Location: 1230 Berschauer Industrial

Ephrata, WA 98823

Year: 2001

Involvement: Slaughter v. West Valley School District. Defendant. Drowning of a student

during a swim class.

Reference: Jerry Moberg, Esq.; (509) 754-2027

Consultant to: Disneyland

Location: 1313 Harbor Blvd., P.O. Box 3232

Anaheim, CA 92803-3232

Year: 2000-20014

Involvement: Consultation, inspections, review of documents for water elements at Disneyland

including Dumbo, It's a Small World, Splash Mountain, Submarine Ride / Finding Nemo, Pirates of the Caribbean, and Cosmic Wave, Downtown Disney fountains, Disney's Paradise Pier Hotel, and Disney's California Adventures theme park, including the: Sun Icon Entry Fountain, Grizzly River Run Attraction, and Paradise Pier Lagoon. Pool operator training and certification. Preparation of O

& M manuals for hotel pools and spas: Grand Californian, Paradise Pier Hotel and Disneyland Hotel. Disneyland Hotel Central Courtyard Improvements.

Reference: Janina Jarvis & Michele Fujimoto, Resort Environmental Affairs, (714) 781-3563,

(714) 936-1347

Michael Hubbard, Utilities & Support Services, (714) 781-0535

Consultant to: Benesch, Friedlander, Coplan & Aronoff

Location: 88 East Broad Street, Suite 900

Columbus, OH 43215-3506

Year: 2000

Involvement: City of Dublin, Ohio v. Moody/Nolan, Korda/Nemeth, et al. Plaintiff. Case

involved air quality issues and construction defects in the Dublin Rec Center

aquatic leisure pool.

Reference: John Stock, Esq.; (614) 223-9300

Consultant to: American General Development and Silver State Pools

Location: P.O. Box 2064

Carson City, NV 89702

Year: 2000

Involvement: Inspections of the Carson City Aquatic Center including installation of the

waterslide, construction of the therapy pool and renovation of the 50 meter competitive pool. Inspection of defects claimed by owners of the Wilson, Evans and Duffield residential swimming pools in Carson City, Reno, and Incline

Village, Nevada.

Reference: John Sieben, Jr. (American General Development); (775) 883-4048

David Priess (Silver State Pools); (775) 883-9300

Consultant to: Ramseyer & Kuhlman

Location: 9255 Towne Centre Dr., Suite 255

San Diego, CA 92121

Year: 2001

Involvement: Espiritu v. Frogs/Club One. Plaintiff. Mr. Espiritu drowned while swimming at

the Carmel Ranch pool.

Reference: Grant B. Luna, Esq.; (858) 455-0255

Consultant to: Hayes, Simpson, Greene

Location: One America Plaza, 600 W. Broadway, Suite 400

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2001

Involvement: Garner v. Hilton Hotels, Aquatic Quality Assurance. Defendant AQA. Case

involves claims of injuries resulting from exposure to high levels of chlorine.

Reference: Harvey M. Payne, Esq.; (619) 702-4307

Consultant to: Law Offices of Steven M. McCarthy

Location: South Basin Landing, 2100 Embarcadero, Suite 100

Oakland, CA 94606

Year: 2001

Involvement: DeLeon v. United States, USDC (N. CA), USCG (Alameda) Plaintiff. Aida

DeLeon, a civilian Coast Guard employee, drowned while swimming in the pool

operated by the USCG on the Alameda Island base.

Reference: Steven McCarthy, Esq.; (510) 536-6163

Consultant to: U. S. Navy – Naval Station San Diego, Building 153

Location: South Bay AFT, 2585 Callagan Highway, Naval Station Building 99

San Diego, CA 92136-8929

Year: 2001

Involvement: Subcontractor to Bechard Long & Associates. Facility inspection and evaluation to

determine energy reduction and renovation needs.

Reference: Nelly Totty, (619) 556-7368; Gregory Veca (858) 578-8861

Consultant to: Selman & Breitman

Location: 11766 Wilshire Blvd., 6th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90025-6538

Year: 2001

Involvement: Rockwell v. Sunterra Pacific, et al. Defendant. Doyle Denny Rockwell, a 55

year old guest at the Vallarta Torre resort in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico; suffered a serious spinal injury resulting in quadriplegia when he made a head first entry into a shallow swimming pool after leaving the pool briefly to retrieve a volleyball that

had been hit out of the pool.

Reference: Craig Breitman, Esq.; (310) 445-0800; and Timothy Acker, Esq.; (69) 88-00-80

Consultant to: Taylor Physical Therapy & Fitness

Location: 215 Summit Street

Galena, IL 61036

Year: 2001

Involvement: Therapeutic aquatic facility design. Reference: Matt Taylor, PT; (815) 777-1340

Consultant to: J.C. Chang & Associates, Inc. - Engineers, Architects, Planners

Location: 367 Van Ness Way, Suite 608

Torrance, CA 90501-1435

Year: 2001

Involvement: Review of construction diagrams and specifications for the California State

University Northridge - Western Center for Adaptive Aquatic Therapy.

Reference: J.C. Chang, (310) 212-7644

Consultant to: Venture Architects / Kahler Slater Architects

Location: 205 W. Highland Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53203

Year: 2001

Involvement: Consultant on the aquatic therapy facility addition to the Klotsche Center at the

University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee.

Reference: Jeff Piette, AIA; (414) 272-2000

Consultant to: Robert E. Dickey, Jr., Esq.

Location: Montclair Suites, 1610 Montclair Ave., Suite A

Reno, NV 89509

Year: 2001

Involvement: Polen v. Serva-Pool. Plaintiff. A fiberglass shell swimming pool was improperly

installed, which resulted in leaking and settling of the pool.

Reference: Robert Dickey, Jr.; (775) 324-4010

Consultant to: Law Office of Riccardo D. Arcaro

Location: Tower 14, Suite 920, 21700 Northwestern Highway

Southfield, MI 48075

Year: 2001

Involvement: Hall v. Harley Hotel. Plaintiff. Three girls attending a birthday party at the

improperly maintained hotel swimming pool were involved in a drowning incident which resulted in the drowning death of Shrea Monique Hall. Shrea's body was discovered in the pool more than 30 minutes after the ambulance left for the

hospital with her cousin Terea McAbee.

Reference: Riccardo Arcaro, Esq. (248) 552-9181

Consultant to: Ice, Miller

Location: One American Square, Box 82001

Indianapolis, IN 46282-0002

Year: 2001

Involvement: Arnett v. Williamsburg on the Lake Apartments. Defendant. Drowning of 19

year old non-swimmer D'Juan Arnette in an apartment complex swimming pool

that was closed for renovation.

Reference: Katherine Hunter, Esq.; (317) 236-5924

Consultant to: Boeggeman, George, Hodges & Corde

Location: 11 Martine Ave., Suite 920

White Plains, NY 10606-1934

Year: 2001

Involvement: Fernandes v. Lawrence, et al. Defendant. Mr. Fernandes suffered a spinal

cord injury when he dove into the shallow swimming pool located at Yogi Bear's

Jellystone Park and Campground.

Reference: Karen Jockimo, Esq.; (914) 761-2252

Consultant to: Boeggeman, George, Hodges & Corde

Location: 11 Martine Ave., Suite 920

White Plains, NY 10606-1934

Year: 2001

Involvement: Jarmolowski v. O'Sullivan's Motel. Defendant. . Mr. Jarmolowski suffered a

cervical spinal cord injury which resulted in quadriplegia when he dove off the

dock into Lake George in Upstate New York.

Reference: Karen Jockimo, Esq.; (914) 761-2252

Consultant to: Reminger & Reminger Location: 113 Saint Clair Ave., NE

Cleveland, OH 44114-1273

Year: 2001

Involvement: Fisher v. Erieview Amusement Park. Defendant. Joseph Fisher flipped out of

his inner tube while going around a turn on an open serpentine waterslide and hit the left side of his face on a splash guard, fracturing 4 bones in his face, and

injuring his teeth.

Reference: John Neville, (216) 430-2141

Consultant to: Lojek Law Offices

Location: 305 W. Fort Street, P.O. Box 1712

Boise, ID 83701

Year: 2001

Involvement: Argyle v. Lodgian Hotels, et al. Plaintiff. Another drowning of a child at the

Holiday Inn in Boise, Idaho.

Reference: Donald Lojek, Esq.; (208) 343-7733

Consultant to: Encompass Insurance

Location: 725 West Town & Country Road, Suite 240

Orange, CA 92868

Year: 2001

Involvement: Claim filed by Lund (renters) v. Bernhagen (property owners). Inspected

barriers and the residential pool drowning accident site to determine if the

barriers and pool were built and maintained in compliance with codes.

Reference: Cheryl Reiter, (714) 347-1041

Consultant to: Normand & Shaughnessy

Location: 15 High Street

Manchester, NH 03101-1615

Year: 2001

Involvement: Collins v. Water Country. Plaintiff. Guest was injured while entering the splash

pool at the termination of the Black Hole flume. Mrs. Collins was riding behind

her husband on a figure-8 inner tube when the tube pitched forward.

Reference: James Kazan, Esq.; (603) 624-6655

Consultant to: Ice, Miller

Location: One American Square, Box 82001

Indianapolis, IN 46282-0002

Year: 2001

Involvement: McGee v. R & K Investment Corp. Defendant. Five year old decedent Darion

Russo was found at the bottom of the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Brian J. Paul, Esq.; (317) 236-5974

Consultant to: Tucker & Ricks

Location: 268 W. Hospitality Lane, Suite 202

San Bernardino, CA 92408-3271

Year: 2001

Involvement: Thabateh v. Oakwood Apartments. Defendant. Eleven year old Asia

Thabateh, visiting from Israel, drowning in the swimming pool at her uncle's apartment complex after she and her cousins pushed a picnic table next to the 6 foot high wrought iron fence and climbed over the fence to gain access to the

closed facility.

Reference: Douglas Glauser, Esq.; (909) 890-3925

Consultant to: Eric C. Deters & Associates
Location: 300 Buttermilk Pike, Suite 334

Fort Mitchell, KY 41017

Year: 2001

Involvement: Roberts v. City of Covington. Plaintiff. Six year old Dylan Roberts drowned in

an abandoned, flood damaged, City pool which had been allowed to partially fill

with debris and rainwater.

Reference: Eric Deters, Esq. And R. Scott Hughes, Esq.; (859) 426-5300

Consultant to: Girl Scout Council of Orange County

Location: 1620 Adams Ave.

Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Year: 2000

Involvement: Camp pool facility inspection.

Reference: Jeannie Burns, E.D./CEO; (714) 979-7900

Consultant to: Miles, Davison, McCarthy

Location: 1600 Bow Valley Square II, 205 5th Ave. SW

Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2P 2V7

Year: 2000

Involvement: Reuben v. City of Calgary. Plaintiff. Pregnant woman slipped-and-fell on a

logo tile while entering a aquatic leisure facility wading pool.

Reference: Todd M. Lee, (403) 298-0342

Consultant to: Law Offices of Eric A. Thomson Location: 402 W. Broadway, 25th Floor

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2000

Involvement: Cutchin v. American Underwater Products (DBA: Oceanic, Inc.) Plaintiff.

John Cutchin was injured as a result of a decompression incident which occurred

when he depended on a DataMax dive computer.

Reference: Eric Thomson, Esq., (619) 232-3742

Consultant to: Hassan Law Firm
Location: 807 Montgomery Street
San Francisco. CA 94133

Year: 2000

Involvement: Zhu v. Franciscan Mobile Homes. Plaintiff. Samantha Zhu drowned in a

swimming pool while being supervised by a family friend who fell asleep.

Reference: Rey Hassan, Esq., (415) 982-2220; Frank Iszac (858) 792-8144

Consultant to: Aim High Gymnastics Academy

Location: 3377 S. Country Trail

East Greenwich, RI 02818

Year: 2000

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Robert & Amy Nelson, (401) 886-7827

Consultant to: Webb, Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair

Location: P.O. Box 50887

Atlanta, GA 30343-0887

Year: 2000

Involvement: Sterling v. YMCA of Athens, Georgia. Defendant Athens YMCA. Drowning of

a high school football player at a Y camp during pre season football camp.

Reference: Brian Neary, Esq.; (404) 221-2270 (404) 264-1080

Consultant to: Hornberger & Brewer

Location: 444 S. Flower Street, 31st Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90071

Year: 2000

Involvement: Chapman v. Renaissance Hotel. Plaintiff. Guest dove into a poorly marked

pool.

Reference: Michael Brewer, Esq., (213) 629-8638; Robert S. Tilles, Esq.; (213) 488-1655

Consultant to: Menifee Beach & Swim Club

Location: 30400 Teal Brook Drive

Menifee, CA 92584

Year: 2000

Involvement: Evaluation of the swimming lagoon, aguatic facilities, and related equipment in

preparation for the developer's turnover of the facility to the homeowners

association.

Reference: Don Harris, (951) 672-0605

Consultant to: Golden & Fonte

Location: One Galleria Building, Suite 1822

Metairie, LA 70001

Year: 2000

Involvement: Lewis v. State of Louisiana. Defendant. Suit was brought against the State as

owner of Lake Pontchartrain. A19 year old man broke his neck when he dove off a pier into Lake Pontchartrain at 5:30 am, after a night of partying in the French

Quarter.

Reference: David Gatto and Ed Golden, Esq.; (504) 849-2600

Consultant to: Lovich & Penn

Location: 777 S. Figueroa Street, Suite 1507

Los Angeles, CA 90017-5815

Year: 2000

Involvement: Flores v. Du Bunne Day Spa. Defendant. Patricia Flores fainted in the shower

and fell breaking her coccyx, after receiving a Slenderizing Sea Clay Wrap

treatment at the spa.

Reference: Richard Lovich, Esq.; (213) 689-3625

Consultant to: Spangenberg, Shibley & Liber

Location: 1900 E. 9th Street, 2400 National City Center

Cleveland, OH 44114-3400

Year: 2000

Involvement: Henn v. Beachwood High School. Plaintiff. Jeffrey Henn, who suffered a

serious spinal cord injury when he made a practice dive prior to a high school swim meet from an 18 inch starting block into three and one-half feet of water

and struck his head on the bottom of the pool.

Reference: Stuart Scott, Esq.; (216) 696-3232

Consultant to: Turtle Rock Crest Community Association

Location: 17731 Irvine Blvd., Suite 212

Tustin, CA 92780

Year: 2000

Involvement: Inspection of Community Association owner swimming pools and spas.

Evaluation of services provided by the Aqua Blue Company.

Reference: Cat Coltrell / Burdman & Benson; (949) 854-2955

Consultant to: Blue Valley School District
Location: 15020 Metcalf, P.O. Box 23901

Overland Park, KS 66283-0901

Year: 2000

Involvement: Inspection of the Blue Valley High School, Blue Valley Northwest High School,

and Blue Valley North High School natatoriums, with a particular emphasis on air quality issues; and evaluation of construction documents for the new Blue Valley

West High School Natatorium.

Reference: Monte Soukup, Assist. Director of Design & Construction; (913) 239-4699

Rita Moore, Pool Supervisor; (913) 685-7719

Consultant to: Stoorman & Friednash

Location: 303 East Seventeenth Ave., Suite 1060

Denver, CO 80203

Year: 2000

Involvement: Bredl v. Highland Hills Water World. Plaintiff. Nicole Bredl who was injured in

a collision with other patrons while riding down a waterslide on an inner tube.

Reference: Samuel Stoorman, Esq.; Kenneth Buechler, (303) 830-7005

Consultant to: Marlin School of Swimming

Location: 2601 Eastwood

Richland, WA 99352

Year: 2000

Involvement: Swim school facility design.

Reference: Tamara & Blaine Marlin, (509) 627-2767

Consultant to: Philip H. Dyson, Attorney at Law

Location: 8461 La Mesa Blvd.

La Mesa, CA 91941

Year: 2000

Involvement: Burton v. Cabo Shore Tours. Plaintiff. Cruise ship passenger was seriously

injured while snorkeling during a shore excursion. Ms. Burton was on a Celebrity Cruise to Mexico, when she was hit by a passenger rope swinging from the

yardarm of the "pirate ship " schooner Sunderland.

Reference: Philip Dyson, (619) 462-3311

Consultant to: Stoorman & Friednash

Location: 303 East Seventeenth Ave., Suite 1060

Denver, CO 80203

Year: 2000

Involvement: Martin v. Premier Parks of Colorado, DBA Six Flags Elitch Gardens.

Plaintiff. Cheryl Martin who was injured in a collision with another adult female

guest who was stopped inside an enclosed flume.

Reference: Samuel Stoorman, Esq. and Kenneth Buechler, Esq.; (303) 830-7005

Consultant to: Giordano & Neilan, Ltd.

Location: 333 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 2800

Chicago, IL 60601

Year: 2000

Involvement: Dresden v. Family Land Water Park. Plaintiff. Four year old John Dresden

drowned in an activity pool at an indoor waterpark during a period of time when

the lifeguard left her post.

Reference: Arthur Handelman, Esq.; (312) 580-5482, (312) 399-7141

Consultant to: Berman, O'Connor & Mann

Location: Suite 503, Bank of Guam Building, 111 Chalan Santo Papa

Hagatna, Guam 96910

Year: 2000

Involvement: Pin-Yu Hsu v. Sherwood Hotel. Plaintiff. Drowning of a young Chinese tourist

in a hotel pool.

Reference: Daniel Berman, Esq.; (671) 477-2778

Consultant to: Southwest Louisiana Area Health Education Center

Location: 103 Independence Blvd.

Lafayette, LA 70506

Year: 2000

Involvement: Therapy pool design and consulting services.

Reference: Conrad Comeaux, (337) 989-0001

Consultant to: Udall, Shumway, Blackhurst, Allen & Lyons

Location: 30 W. First Street

Mesa, AZ 85201-6654

Year: 2000

Involvement: Suter v. Waterworld Safari Park. Defendant. Patricia Suter injured her knee

while entering the splash pool from one of the Python water slides.

Reference: David Schwartz, Esq.; (480) 461-5300

Consultant to: Laskin & Guenard

Location: Plaza Towers, 555 Capitol Mall, Suite 1145

Sacramento, CA 95814

Year: 2000

Involvement: Montez/Garcia v. Parkway Gardens Owners Association. Plaintiff. The pool

maintenance employee left the pool gate unlocked allowing two young children to enter the pool area. One of the children, Alianaza, a 3-year old girl, drowned.

Reference: Mark Regalbuti, Esq.; (916) 329-9010

Consultant to: **Rumph & Peyton**

Bank of America Plaza, 300 S. 4th Street, Suite 800 Location:

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2000

Ludlow v. Luxor Casino Hotel. Defendant. A guest suffered a spinal injury Involvement:

after diving into a shallow swimming pool.

Troy Peyton, Esq.; (702) 388-4466 Reference:

Consultant to: Law Offices of Nick Moceri Location: 122 N. Cortez, Suite 220 Prescott, AZ 86301

Year: 2000

Involvement: Fahs v. Prescott YMCA. Plaintiff. Helen Fahs slipped and fell on the deck while

attending an arthritis aquatic class at the YMCA.

Reference: Nick Moceri, Esq.; (520) 778-2444

Consultant to: Shifflet, Kane & Konoske 1230 Columbia, Suite 900 Location: San Diego, CA 92101-8517

Year: 2000

Involvement: Roberson/Thompson v. YMCA of San Diego County. Defendant. A teen

aged boy drowned in the Jackie Robinson YWCA pool while being observed by a

lifeguard who thought he was just joking around.

Reference: David Skyer, Esq.; (619) 685-4304

Consultant to: Law Offices of Ned Good Location: 70 S. Lake Ave., Suite 600 Pasadena, CA 91101-2672

Year: 2000

Involvement: Dalhover v. Camelot Golfland. Plaintiff. Zachary Dalhover, who was injured on

a waterslide.

Reference: Mark West, Esq.; (626) 440-0000

Consultant to: Jensen & Mc Intosh Location: 1201 S. Hacienda Blvd.

Hacienda Heights, CA 91745

2000 Year.

Inglish v. Raging Waters. Plaintiff. Guest was injured in a waterslide collision Involvement:

when the slide attendant dispatched patrons too close together.

Reference: Hanna Amor, Esq.; (626) 369-8722

Consultant to: Kid's Club Fun & Fitness, Inc.

Location: 4408 NE 141st Circle

Vancouver, WA 98686

Year: 2000

Involvement: Swim school design. Reference: Colleen Bittner, (360) 576-9024

Consultant to: Law Offices of James F. Fenlon, P.C.

Location: 10801 Pacific Street, Suite 1

Omaha, NE 68154

Year: 2000

Involvement: Sanchez v. City of Omaha. Plaintiff. Bianca Sanchez, who was injured at the

Morton Park swimming pool when she slipped and fell off a 3-meter diving board

onto the concrete deck below.

Reference: James Fenlon, Esq.; (402) 333-4000

Consultant to: Aqua-Fitness & Wellness Center

Location: 12 Fourth Ave.

N. Arlington, NJ 07031

Year: 2000

Involvement: Pool design and consulting services.

Reference: JoAnne Van Dien and Curtis Brack, (201) 998-4052

Consultant to: Louisiana College
Location: 1140 College Drive

Pineville, LA 71359

Year: 1999

Involvement: Comprehensive evaluation of the H.O. West Gymnasium swimming pool prior to

renovation.

Reference: Annette Ellington, Director of Aquatic Activities (318) 487-7350; Dr. Carolyn

Spears, Chair of the Dept. of Health and Physical Education (318) 487-7350Jim

Bergen, Director of Maintenance, Grounds and Custodial Services

Consultant to: Cozen & O'Connor

Location: The Atrium, 1900 Market Street

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Year: 2000

Involvement: Butler Fitness Center v. Season's Resort. Plaintiff. Fitness club equipment was

pool water damaged when the air release valve malfunctioned and sand filter

exploded allowing water to flood into the room located below the pool.

Reference: Jeff Stoner, Esq.; (215) 665-2000

Consultant to: Dansky, Katz, Ringold & Fleischer Location: Plaza 1000 at Main Street, suite 206

Voorhees, NJ 08043

Year: 2000

Involvement: Torre v. Raging Waters Mariner's Landing - NJ. Plaintiff. Mrs. Torre broke

her jaw in 3 places and suffered serious dental injuries when she collided with

her young son in a drop-off waterslide splash pool.

Reference: Michael S. Ringold, Esq.; (856) 489-1515

Consultant to: Metroplex Gymnastics, Inc.

Location: 10240 Shadow Way

Dallas, TX 75243

Year: 2000

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Allen Streeter, (972) 727-9095

Consultant to: Wood, Smith, Henning & Berman Location: 801 S. Figueroa Street, 9th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90017-2573

Year: 1999

Involvement: Sanchez v. Al Said. Defendant homeowner William Owens. The 4 year old son

of an employee of the royal family of Saudi Arabia who was brought to work for the day by his father, at the request of the princess, to play with the young prince,

drowned in a backyard pool of a property rented by the royal family.

Reference: Elizabeth Wong, Esq. (213) 622-9300

Consultant to: Goodman, Chesnoff & Keach

Location: 520 S. Fourth Street

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 2000

Involvement: Rider v. Peppermill Resort Hotel Casino. Plaintiff. Thirteen year old Jonathan

Heteniak drowned in the Peppermill's pool #4.

Reference: Eckley M. Keach, Esq.; (702) 384-5563

Consultant to: **Tadano & Silence**Location: 7004 South Central Ave.

Phoenix, AZ 85040

Year: 2000

Involvement: Rodriquez v. City of Litchfield Park. Plaintiff. Gladys Rodriguez suffered a near

drowning at a public swimming pool during an elementary school field trip.

Reference: Joseph Tadano, Esq.; (602) 243-9900

Consultant to: Law Offices of Jeffrey R. Walsh Location: 423 Washington Street, Suite 700 San Francisco, CA 94111-2342

Year: 2000

Involvement: Steinhice v. Optimum Health Institute. Plaintiff. Spa accident.

Reference: John F. Henning, III, Esq.; (415) 981-4400

Consultant to: Ronald R. Gilbert, PC Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2000

Involvement: Vaughn v. Holiday Inn. Plaintiff. Eight year old Tyrelle drowned in a hotel

swimming pool during a birthday party being held at the Holiday Inn in Richfield,

Ohio.

Reference: Ron Gilbert, Esq.; (800) 342-0330

Consultant to: Ronald R. Gilbert, PC Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2000

Involvement: Mc Cartney v. Traci. Plaintiff. Jarrett McCartney suffered a near drowning in a

swimming pool during an unsupervised birthday party at a Holiday Inn. This case involved a malpractice suit brought against the original attorney, Robert Traci.

Reference: Ron Gilbert, Esq.; (800) 342-0330

Consultant to: Ronald R. Gilbert, PC Location: 11230 White Lake Road

Fenton, MI 48430

Year: 2000

Involvement: Peth v. Brooks. Plaintiff. Plaintiff was rendered a quadriplegic when he dove

headfirst into a mudslide on an obstacle course during the Brooks Muddy Buddy

Ride & Run competition held at the Camp Pendleton Marine Corps Base.

Reference: Ron Gilbert, Esq.; (800) 342-0330

Consultant to: Davison, Copple, Copple & Copple

Location: 199 N. Capitol Blvd., Suite 600, P.O. Box 1583

Boise, ID 83701

Year: 2000

Involvement: McPeak v. Holiday Inns. Plaintiff. Drowning that occurred during a birthday

party held at the Holiday Inn's Holidome swimming pool.

Reference: Jon Cox, Esq.; (208) 342-3658

Consultant to: Law Offices of Friedberg & Bunge

Location: Emerald Plaza, 402 W. Broadway, 25th Floor

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 2000

Involvement: Mendez v. Velasquez. Plaintiff. Two year old Brandon drowned in the swimming

pool in the back yard of his aunt and uncle's house.

Reference: Thomas Friedberg, Esq.; (619) 557-0101

Consultant to: Waterbabies

Location: 1213 162nd Lane, NE

Bellevue, WA 98008

Year: 2000

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Chris & Vera Garibaldi, (425) 643-3533

Consultant to: Morey & Upton

Location: 949 South Coast Drive, Suite 475

Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Year: 2000

Involvement: Bitner v. Massey. Plaintiff. 62 year old Ms. Bitner broke her leg and injured her

knee while stepping down onto a seating tier in a residential spa with a 21.5 inch

riser.

Reference: Christopher J. Morey, Esq.; (714) 432-9555

Consultant to: Penney & Henness

Location: 3770 Howard Hughs Parkway, Suite 275

Las Vegas, NV 89109

Year: 2000

Involvement: Stein v. Mirage.

Reference: Michael Haight, Esq.; (702) 369-6050 or (310) 215-7100

Consultant to: Penney & Henness

Location: 3770 Howard Hughs Parkway, Suite 275

Las Vegas, NV 89109

Year: 2000

Involvement: Smith v. Mirage.

Reference: Michael Haight, Esq.; (702) 369-6050 or (310) 215-7100

Consultant to: Peterson & Chapman

Location: 30021 Tomas Street, Suite 300

Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688-2128

Year: 1999-2002

Involvement: Souice v. Los Quatros HOA. Plaintiff. A young boy fell into a spa after entering

through a broken gate, suffered a near drowning and severe brain damage

Reference: Richard Peterson, Esq. (949) 463-1712

and

R.Q. Shupe, Esq.; (714) 558-4898

Shupe & Reagan, 333 Civic Center Dr. West, Santa Ana, CA 92701

Consultant to: Saltz, Mongeluzzi, Barrett & Bendesky

Location: 1 Liberty Place, 34th Floor

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Year: 1999

Involvement: Hayman v. Sesame Place. Plaintiff. Father and son were injured in a waterslide

accident when the innertube flipped inside the flume.

Reference: Larry Bendesky, Esq. (215) 496-8282

Consultant to: Cassidy, Warner, Lane & Winstead Location: 600 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Suite 700

Los Angeles, CA 92701-4536

Year: 1999

Involvement: Trujillo v. Pharaoh's Lost Kingdom. Plaintiff. Case involved injuries resulting

when an innertube flipped over inside a waterslide.

Reference: B. Kent Warner, Esq.; (714) 835-9431

Consultant to: Coach Kennedy's Family Swim School

Location: 413 N. Mt. Vernon Dr.

Iowa City, IA 52245

Year: 1999

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Barbara & Pete Kennedy, (319) 354-0499

Consultant to: McTernan, Stender, Walsh, Weingus & Tondreau

Location: 333 Market Street, Suite 2800

San Francisco, CA 94105-2199

Year: 1999

Involvement: Deng v. Spanish Flat Resort. Plaintiff. Long Xiong drowned while attempting to

swim across Lake Berryessa with her husband.

Reference: Cliff Weingus, Esq.; (415) 777-0313

Consultant to: XXXXX

Location: P.O. Box 10241

Portland, OR 97210

Year: 1999

Involvement: XXXXX v. Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino. Plaintiff. Six year old Luke XXXXX

slipped and fell, and fractured his skull while entering the wave pool at Mandalay

Bay in Las Vegas.

Reference: Paul XXXXX, Esq.; (503) 225-1054

Consultant to: Fadduol, Glasheen & Valles

Location: 1115 Broadway

Lubbock, TX 79401

Year: 1999

Involvement: Garcia v. Petersburg Swimming Pool Association. Plaintiff. Drowning death of

a young boy during an outing at the Petersburg Swimming Pool.

Reference: Sheridan Ryan; (806) 763-9377

Consultant to: The Rapides Foundation
Location: 1412 Centre Court, Suite 205

Alexandria, LA 71301

Year: 1999

Involvement: Review of grant applications, and technical assistance to grantees and grant

applicants.

Reference: Allen Smart and Pat LaCour; (318) 443-3394

Consultant to: U. S. Navy – Naval Station San Diego

Location: South Bay AFT, 2585 Callagan Highway, Naval Station Building 99

San Diego, CA 92136-8929

Year: 1999

Involvement: Advisor under contract: Pool filter replacement project at the Field House. Reference: Nelly Totty, Brad Crawford, John Ohlfest, Paula Ferraco; (619) 556-7368

Consultant to: Bronze & Tang

Location: Suite 105F, Ada's Commercial & Professional Center, 215 Chalan Santa Papa

Agana, Guam 96910

Year: 1999

Involvement: Lee v. Guam Yamanoi. Plaintiff. Jong Kwang Lee, a citizen of the Republic of

Korea, drowned in the Pia Marine Hotel swimming pool while vacationing in Guam.

Reference: Jacques G. Bronze, Esq.; (671) 472-8067

Consultant to: Marler, Clark

Location: 4301 Bank of America Tower, 701 Fifth Ave.

Seattle, WA 98104

Year: 1998

Involvement: Shook v. Silver Dollar City (White Water Atlanta). Plaintiff. Waterpark guests

became ill from E. coli 0157:H7 after swimming in the Capt. Hook's Cove pool.

Reference: Bruce Clark, Esq.; (206) 346-1891

Consultant to: YWCA of Belize

Location: 116 St. Thomas and Freetown Roads

Belize City, Belize

Year: 1999

Involvement: Pool operator and aquatic staff training for the YWCA, British Army, local schools

and the National Sports Council. Pool facility inspection for the YWCA and the

Ministry of Works.

Reference: Sonia Lenares, General Secretary; 011-501-203-4971, bzeywca@yahoo.com

Consultant to: Ice, Miller, Donadio & Ryan
Location: One American Square, Box 82001

Indianapolis, IN 46282-0002

Year: 1999

Involvement: Jones v. Ann-Berkley, Inc. (Holiday Inn Lakeview). Defendant. Near drowning

incident which occurred in the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Jim Peterson, Esq.; (317) 236-2100

Consultant to: **Durbin, Larimore & Bialick**

Location: 920 N. Harvey

Oklahoma City, OK 73102-2610

Year: 1999

Involvement: Ponce v. Tierco – White Water Bay. Defendant waterpark. Guest was injured

on Keel Haul Falls.

Reference: J. Logan Johnson, (405) 235-9584

Consultant to: The Trails Community HOA

Location: 2492 Walnut Ave. #120

Tustin, CA 92780

Year: 1999

Involvement: CMC Association Management. Pool barrier inspection and evaluation.

Reference: Rob Greg, HOA President and Tricia Herrema, Property Manager; (714) 978-9911

Consultant to: **Doherty & Wagner**Location: 2225 LaBranch Street

Houston, TX 77002

Year: 1999

Involvement: Santana v. McCaslin Development, Hidden Lakes Apartment Homes.

Plaintiff. Ms Santana was rendered quadriplegic when she dove from a pier into

a shallow man-made lake.

Reference: Lance Kassab, Esq.; (713) 652-5711

Consultant to: Law Offices of Philip Michels
Location: 924 Westwood Blvd., Suite 1050

Los Angeles, CA 90024

Year: 1999

Involvement: Arce v. Los Angeles Unified School District. Plaintiff. The decedent, 15 year

old Dante Arce, near drowned in the indoor pool during a high school physical education class at Hollywood High School. Complications from the incident lead

to his death a week later.

Reference: Dr. Brad Davis and Phil Michels, Esq.; (310) 443-3200

Consultant to: Garcia, Emmons, Maranga & Morgenstern

Location: Los Angeles, CA

Year: 1999

Involvement: Saroukhanioff v. Nassayan. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a 3-year old girl in a

residential pool owned by her grandmother.

Reference: Christopher Johnson and Robert Morgenstern, Esq.; (818) 380-0008

Consultant to: Grassini & Wrinkle

Location: 20750 Ventura Blvd., Suite 221

Woodland Hills, CA 91364

Year: 1999

Involvement: Freeman v. Phi Gamma Delta. Plaintiff. College student was rendered

quadriplegic after making a head first, slip-and-slide entry into a lagoon during a

fraternity party.

Reference: Roland Wrinkle, Esq.; (818) 348-1717

Consultant to: Willow Valley Manor
Location: 675 Willow Valley Square

Lancaster, PA 17602-4876

Year: 1999

Involvement: Pool facility design for The Center for Vitality.

Reference: Debra Morris, Health and Fitness Supervisor (717) 464-6090

Consultant to: Newman, Heinlein & Beeler

Location: 45 School Street

Boston, MA 02108

Year: 1999

Involvement: Stukanova v. Vacation Resorts International, and Jean Tobey. Plaintiff.

Yuliya Velikovskaya drowned in an unguarded resort pool on Cape Cod.

Reference: Jeffrey Beeler, Esq.; (617) 725-0500

Consultant to: McNamara, Houston, Dodge, McClure & Ney

Location: P.O. Box 5288

Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Year: 1999

Involvement: Buss v. City of Antioch. Defendant, City of Antioch. Guest was assaulted by

another guest at the entrance to the Prewett Family Waterpark.

Reference: Lisa Roberts, Esq., (925) 939-5330

Consultant to: Prindle, Decker & Amaro

Location: 310 Golden Shore, 4th floor, P.O. Box 22711

Long Beach, CA 90801-5511

Year: 1999

Involvement: Reynoso v. Raging Waters. Defendant. Case involving an adult, female patron

who injured her leg upon entry into a serpentine flume splash pool.

Reference: Michael Amaro, Esq.; (562) 436-3946

Consultant to: Law Offices of Harvey Hyman Location: 22 Battery Street, Suite 333

San Francisco, CA 94111

Year: 1999

Involvement: Diener v. University of California Board of Regents. Plaintiff. Alison Diener,

a freshman rower on the University of California at Davis crew was injured during practice when she "caught a crab", and suffered a concussion. A traumatic brain

injury resulted from delayed treatment.

Reference: Harvey Hyman, Esq.; (415) 788-2362

Consultant to: Law Offices of Arnold Abrams
Location: 16530 Ventura Blvd., Suite 211

Encino, CA 91436

Year: 1999

Involvement: Galafeyeva v. Oasis Waterpark. Plaintiff. Guest was injured in a waterslide

accident on the "Rattler" flume.

Reference: Arnold Abrams, Esq.; (818) 774-9300

Consultant to: Cracken, Harkey & Payne
Location: 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1401

Dallas, TX 75225

Year: 1999

Involvement: Franklin v. The Green Apartments. Plaintiff. The case involved a drowning

death in an apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Mark Kolitz, Esq.; (214) 750-1855

Consultant to: Hickman, Goza & Gore

Location: 1305 Madison Ave., P.O. Drawer 668

Oxford, MS 38655-0668

Year: 1999

Involvement: Charlie Morris, Jr. v. Days Inn of America, Inc., et al. Defendant. The case

involved the drowning death of a young boy found dead in the hotel swimming

pool.

Reference: Dion Shanley

Consultant to: Law Offices of Stephen R. Fine

Location: 23 West Webster Street

Manchester, NH 03104

Year: 1999

Involvement: King v. Figueroa and Columbia Leisure Time Products, et al. Plaintiff. C-4/5

fracture dislocation resulting in quadriplegia as a result of a fall into a backyard

swimming pool.

Reference: Stephen Fine, Esq.; (603) 668-2343

Consultant to: Lake Shore Preparatory School

Location: 300 W. Hill Street

Chicago, IL 60610

Year: 1999

Involvement: Instructional pool facility design.

Reference: Richard Levin and Laura Jordan; (312) 266-2020

Consultant to: North American Specialty Insurance Company

Royce, Grimm, Vranjes, McCormick & Graham

Location: 550 W. C Street, Suite 1100

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1999

Involvement: Huddleston v. Wet 'N Wild (Las Vegas). Defendant. Plaintiff was injured when

his raft flipped while in the Black Hole closed flume.

Reference: Michael Martin, Esq.; (619) 231-8802

Consultant to: City of Dublin, Ohio Location: 5200 Emerald Parkway

Dublin, OH 43017

Year: 1999

Involvement: Inspection and evaluation of the Dublin Rec Center natatorium. Reference: Kelly Heal, Rob Tuttle, and Dana McDaniel, (614) 761-6510

Consultant to: **Physical Therapy Specialties**Location: 5990 Stoneridge Drive, Suite 122

Pleasanton, CA 94588

Year: 1999

Involvement: Aquatic therapy facility design review.

Reference: Laren Hirst, (925) 734-8005

Consultant to: Almaden Valley Athletic Club

Location: 5400 Camden Ave.

San Jose, CA 95124

Year: 1999

Involvement: Evaluation of construction plans and specifications for the swim school addition to

the Almaden Valley Athletic Club.

Reference: Jim Theiring, (408) 267-3700

Consultant to: Favret, Demarest, Russo & Lutkewitte

Location: 1515 Poydras Street, Suite 1400

New Orleans, LA 70112

Year: 1999

Involvement: Hicks/Glass v. Magnolia School. Plaintiffs. Mentally retarded young man

drowned while swimming in a guarded, outdoor swimming pool located at a

residential school facility.

Reference: Clarence Favret, III; (504) 636-3280

Consultant to: **Jinnah & Jinnah**Location: 15730 Woodvale Road

Encino, CA 91436

Year: 1999

Involvement: Khan v. Chen. Plaintiff. Case involved the near drowning, brain damage of a 3-

year old boy who fell into a residential in-ground swimming pool.

Reference: Al Jinnah, Esq.; (818) 986-4040

Consultant to: McCauley, Macdonald, Devin & Huddleston Location: 3800 Renaissance Tower, 1201 Elm Street

Dallas, TX 75270

Year: 1999

Involvement: Williams v. Century Products. Defendant. Drowning of a young boy on top of

a winterizing pool cover.

Reference: Tom Stauch, Esq.; (214) 744-3300

Consultant to: Steve Howard, Esq.

Location: 11661 San Vincente Blvd., Suite 820

Los Angeles, CA 90049

Year: 1999

Involvement: Knight v. Brown. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a young girl in an in-ground

swimming pool on the premises of a licensed day care provider.

Reference: Steve Howard, Esq.; (310) 820-3188

Consultant to: **Jeff A. Mann, Attorney at Law** Location: 4929 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 720

Los Angeles, CA 90010

Year: 1999

Involvement: Odums v. Morris. Plaintiff. Drowning death of a young boy in a residential on-

ground swimming pool.

Reference: Jeff Mann, Esq.; (323) 930-1902

Consultant to: Seitzinger & Wilkens

Location: 3300 Douglas Blvd, Suite 120

Roseville, CA 95661

Year: 1998

Involvement: Rakkar v. Pine Mountain Lake Association. Defendant homeowner's

association. Near drowning incident, and eventual death from complications, of a

young man who was swimming in the lake.

Reference: Kent Seitzinger, Esq.; (916) 782-8711

Consultant to: Vancouver General Hospital

Location: 777 West 12th Ave.

Vancouver, BC, Canada V5Z 1M9

Year: 1998

Involvement: Therapy pool inspection and recommendations for renovation.

Reference: Bryan Clements (Manager, Facility Maintenance & Operations), and Brenda

Hudson (Director, Rehabilitation Services); (604) 875-4860

Consultant to: **Pincus & Associates**Location: 4742 N. Oracle, Suite 100

Tucson, AZ 85705

Year: 1998

Involvement: Zimmerman v. Krasnick. Plaintiff. Man was injured when he fell through a

cover and into a spa.

Reference: Steven Pincus, Esq.; (520) 888-2599

Consultant to: City of Corona – Parks, Recreation & Community Services

Location: 815 W. Sixth Street, P.O. Box 940

Corona, CA 91718-0940

Year: 1999

Involvement: Evaluation of a pool waterslide for compliance with codes, placement, and safety

ssues.

Reference: Beth Hartley, Parks Project Manager; (909) 279-3596

Consultant to: Vandeberg, Johnson & Gandara
Location: 1201 Pacific Ave., Suite 1900, Box 1315

Tacoma. WA 98401-1315

Year: 1998

Involvement: Centralia v. Natare. Plaintiffs Centralia School District and Centralia Parks and

Recreation Department. Helped identify the defects in materials and workmanship in the installation of a reinforced PVC pool membrane liner.

Reference: Darrel Addington, Esq.; (253) 383-3791

Consultant to: Strong & Hanni

Location: 6th Floor, Boston Building, 9 Exchange Place

Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Year: 1998

Involvement: Fivas v. Rincon del Sol Apartments. Defendant. Mr. Fivas was seriously

injured after diving from the deck into the apartment complex swimming pool.

Reference: Paul Belnap, Esq.; (801) 532-7080

Consultant to: Affiliated Therapy Services, Inc.

Location: 2204 Robin Ave.

Hammond, LA 70403

Year: 1998

Involvement: Therapy pool design.

Reference: Marilyn Kovar, P.T. (President), and Renee Harrell (CFO); (504) 542-7878

Consultant to: Walt Disney Imagineering

Location: 1401 Flower Street, P.O. Box 25020

Glendale, CA 91221-5020

Year: 1998

Involvement: Development of water treatment protocol for pools and water attractions at

Disney parks. Evaluation of water quality and treatment systems for the Cosmic

Wave at Disneyland.

Reference: Jack Gillette, Senior Special Effects Designer, (818) 544-4764

Consultant to: Law Offices of the Googasian Firm

Location: 6895 Telegraph Road

Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301-3138

Year: 1998

Involvement: Parkhill v. Westin Brisas – Ixtapa, Mexico. Plaintiff. Hotel guest suffered a

serious spinal injury in rough surf.

Reference: Thomas Howlett, (248) 540-3333

Consultant to: **Jonathan Club**

850 Palisades Beach Road Location: Santa Monica, CA 90403

Year: 1998

Involvement: Pool site inspection.

Reference: Robert Sereci, Beach Club Manager; (310) 393-9245

Consultant to: **Durbin, Larimore & Bialick**

Location: 920 N. Harvev

Oklahoma City, OK 73102-2610

Year:

Involvement: Escalera v. Tierco – White Water Bay. Defendant waterpark. Guest was

seriously injured after diving into a shallow water slide catch pool.

Reference: J. Logan Johnson and David Donchin, (405) 235-9584

Consultant to: **Waterman and Harris**

Location: 12304 Santa Monica Blvd. - Penthouse

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 1998

Involvement: Brown v. County of San Bernardino. Plaintiff. Drowning case that occurred at

a San Bernardino County operated, public swimming pool.

Reference: Howard Harris, (310) 553-3309

Consultant to: Stevens. McGuire & Rizio

Location: Parkcenter Plaza, 601 N. Parkcenter Drive, Suite 212

Santa Ana, CA 92705

Year:

Wagoner v. Knott's Berry Farm. Plaintiff. Guest was injured on a raft water Involvement:

ride at the Knott's Berry Farm amusement park.

Reference: Patrick Coffey, Esq.; (714) 547-1234

Consultant to: City of Hurst, Texas - Community Services Department

Location: 901 Precinct Line Road

Hurst, TX 76053

Year: 1998

Involvement: Chisholm Aquatics Center inspection and renovation.

Reference: Steve Polasek, (817) 788-7305

Consultant to: City of Indianapolis - Indy Parks Department

Location: 1426 W. 29th Street

Indianapolis, IN 46208

Year: 1998

Involvement: Indoor pool and waterpark inspections.

David Paschall, Deputy Director of Parks; (317) 327-7192 Reference:

Consultant to: **Team ANZUS** Year: 1998 –1999, 2005

Involvement: Training, facility design and inspection.

Reference:

John Coutts

Carlile Swimming Organisation - Killarney Swim Centre 14 Tralee Ave., Killarney Heights, NSW 2087, Australia 011-61-2-9976-0011

John Bainbridge

Australian Swim School, 1142 Risa Place, Santa Ana, CA 92705, USA (714) 731-1958

Phil King

Kings Aquatic Education Centre, P.O. Box 566, Mornington, Victoria 3931, Australia 011-61-3-5975-0777

Bill Sweetenham

Swim Fast, 6 Oak Street, Nerang, Queensland 4211, Australia 011-61-7-5527-3915

Richard Cahalan

Carlile Swimming Organisation - Castle Cove Swim Centre 2B Holly Street, Castle Cove, NSW 2069, Australia 011-61-2-9417-2060

Hilton Brown

Hilton Brown Swim School Ltd., P.O. Box 29 112, Greenwood C.. Auckland, New Zealand 011-64-9-624-5207

Paul Mason

State Swim Swimming Schools, 5 Fern Ave., Fullarton, S. Australia 5063, Australia 011-61-8-8296-2442

Rob Burnham

Urban Tide Architects, 14 Loller Street, Brighton, Victoria 3186 , Australia 011-61-3-9593-2112

Consultant to: Snyder & Wenner

Location: 2200 E. Camelback Road, Suite 213

Phoenix, AZ 85016

Year(s): 1998

Involvement: Kavoosi v. University of Arizona – Tucson. Expert for the plaintiff who

experienced a near drowning episode while swimming in the Student Recreation

Center pool.

Reference: Howard Snyder, (602) 224-0005

Consultant to: Shula's Athletic Club / Don Shula's Hotel and Golf Club

Location: 15150 Bull Run Road

Miami Lakes, FL 33014

Year: 1998

Involvement: Fitness pool facility design. Reference: Bill Higgs, (305) 820-8030

Consultant to: Orbach & Huff

Location: 1901 Ave. of the Stars, Suite 1630

Los Angeles, CA 90067

Year: 1998

Involvement: Coren v. RWR Development. Pool and equipment inspection for the

homeowners in a pool construction defect case.

Reference: Patricia O'Mahoney, (310) 788-9200

Elana & Martin Coren, (818) 368-6820

Consultant to: Children of the Sea Swim School Location: 10170 SW Nimbus Ave., Suite H 7/8

Portland, OR 97223

Year: 1998

Involvement: Swim school facility inspection and renovation.

Reference: Lynne Zavrski, (503) 620-5970

Consultant to: Easterly & Armstrong

Location: 603 Pine Street

Elko, NV 89801

Year: 1998

Involvement: Swain v. Cactus Pete's. Defendant. Ms. Swain was injured when she entered

the casino swimming pool.

Reference: Eric Easterly, (702) 738-9877

Consultant to: Altman, Kritzer & Levick

Location: 6400 Powers Ferry Road, NW; Suite 224

Atlanta, GA 30339

Year: 1998

Involvement: Holbrook v. Executive Conference Center (Harris Corp.). Defendant. Alfred

Holbrook suffered a near drowning while in the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: J. Scott Carr, (770) 226-1335

Consultant to: Carlile Swimming Organisation

Location: 14 Tralee Ave.

Killarney Height, NSW 2087, Australia

Year: 1998

Involvement: Pool site inspections of facilities in the Sydney area. Swim school facility design

for the Norwest Swim Centre in Baulkham Hills, NSW.

Reference: John Coutts, 011-61-2-9977-3529

Consultant to: Kings Aquatic Education Centre

Location: P.O. Box 566

Mornington, Victoria 3931, Australia

Year: 1998

Involvement: Swim school facility inspection, staff training, pool renovation, plan check.

Reference: Phil King, 011-61-3-5975-0777

Consultant to: Seifert, Henderson & Farricker Location: One Pointe Drive, Suite 520

Brea, CA 92821

Year: 1998

Involvement: Cooke v. Fiesta Village, et al. Expert for the defendant. Ms. Cooke was injured

on a waterslide operated by the defendant.

Reference: Richard Scott, (714) 257-4666

Consultant to: Law Offices of Daniel R. Rosen, PA. Location: 3800 S. Ocean Drive, Suite 219

Hollywood, FL 33019

Year: 1997

Involvement: Dozois v. The Beach & Tennis Club. Plaintiff. James Dozois broke his hip

when he slipped-and-fell on the slippery deck surface at the Ft. Myers, Florida,

Beach & Tennis Club pool.

Reference: Alan Sackrin, (954) 455-0800

Consultant to: Lopatin, Miller, Freedman, Bluestone, Herskovic, Heilmann

& Domol

Location: 3000 Town Center, Suite 1700

Southfield, MI 48075-1188

Year: 1998

Involvement: Kirby v. Monroe County KOA, et al. Plaintiff.

Reference: Stuart Freedman, (810) 213-3806 x261

Consultant to: Law Offices of Edwin Train Caldwell

Location: 100 Van Ness Ave.

San Francisco, CA 94102

Year: 1998

Involvement: Revel v. Super 8 Motel. Plaintiff. Guest was injured as a result of a slip-and-fall

which occurred while entering the motel spa.

Reference: Edwin Caldwell, (415) 431-5310

Consultant to: **Abby Springs**, Inc. Location: P.O. Box 587

Fontana, WI 53125

Year: 1998

Involvement: Advised on correction of water quality problems and improvement of water

treatment and maintenance procedures.

Reference: Michael Falls, (414) 275-6113

Consultant to: Acapulco Recreational Contractors

Location: 1550 Victoria Street, N

Kitchener, Ontario N2B 3E2, Canada

Year: 1998

Involvement: Advised on water problems at the Honda plant and CFB Borden pools.

Reference: Bernie Gall, (519) 743-6357

Consultant to: Francis Parker School
Location: 6501 Linda Vista Road
San Diego, CA 92111

Year: 1998

Involvement: Swimming pool design.

Reference: Judy Hodges, Development Director, (619)

Consultant to: Enartec

Location: 4542 Ruffner Street, Suite 340

San Diego, CA 92111

Year: 1998

Involvement: Sea World of Florida - Discovery Cove pool design evaluation.

Reference: Joel Johnson and Robert Satchell, (619) 571-3966

Consultant to: Kruger Benson Ziemer Architects

Location: 30 W. Arrellaga St.

Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Year: 1997

Involvement: Los Banos Del Mar Swimming pool renovation project, phase II.

Reference: Joe Wilcox, (805) 963-1726

Consultant to: Carson Swim School Location: 2601 Anderson Lane

Brentwood, CA 94513

Year: 1998

Involvement: Review of pool construction documents.

Reference: Craig Carson, (510) 634-6543

Consultant to: Wallace & Hudson Architects

Location: 836 E. Center Street

Pocatello, ID 83201

Year: 1997

Involvement: City of Pocatello aquatic facility design, construction inspections, staff training for

the Ross Park aquatic leisure facility.

Reference: Steve Wallace and Ted Booth, (208) 232-2256

Consultant to: City of Phoenix - Parks, Recreation & Library Department

Location: 1802 W. Encanto Blvd.

Phoenix, AZ 85007

Year: 1997

Involvement: Inspected the diving equipment at 12 City operated pools, and prepared a report

indicating which diving boards should be removed.

Reference: Tom Sindik, Inger Erickson, (602) 495-5564

Consultant to: Law Offices of Brahms & Duxbury

Location: 800 Grand Ave., Suite C-14

Carlsbad, CA 92008

Year: 1997

Involvement: Burns v. USMC, and Dept. of Veteran Affairs. Plaintiff. Mr. Burnd died while

practicing breath holding skills in the Camp Pendleton swimming pool.

Reference: David Brahms, (760) 434-4433

Consultant to: **DEL Industries**Location: 3428 Bullock Lane

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Year: 1997

Involvement: Ozone generator sizing formula and software

Reference: Beth Hamil, (805) 541-1601

Consultant to: Carman, Beauchamp, Sang & Hanenian, P.A. Location: Hillsboro Center, 600 W. Hillsboro Blvd., Suite 400

Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

Year: 1997

Involvement: Knowles v. Pelican Pointe Apartments (Salters v. Carriage Crossing Ltd.

Partnership). Defendant.

Reference: Frank Beauchamp, (954) 426-4401

Consultant to: The Schaeffer Foundation
Location: 12 Village Drive West

St. Charles, MO 63303

Year: 1997

Involvement: Aquatic facility design.

Reference: Susan Schaefer, Bess Maxwell, (314) 949-5321

Consultant to: Biltmore Medical Mall - Aquatic Therapy Pool

Institute for Bone & Joint Disorders

3320 N. Second Street Phoenix, AZ 85012 and

The Orcutt/Winslow Partnership

1130 N. Second Street

Phoenix, AZ 85004

Year: 1997

Involvement: Therapy pool design.

Reference: Chandrika Lotwala, (602) 241-1167

Mari Lederman, (602) 257-1764, (602) 257-9029

Consultant to: Law Offices of Curtis Aldendifer

Location: City Financial Tower, 201 Merchant St., Suite 1600

Honolulu, HI 96813

Year: 1997

Involvement: Haydel v. AOAO "The Whaler". Defendant, Village Resorts, Inc. An adult male

quest dove into a breaking ocean wave while in three feet of water at Kaanapali

Beach, and suffered a serious spinal injury.

Reference: Curtis Aldendifer, (808) 535-4270

Consultant to: Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority

Location: 5400 Ox Road

Fairfax Station, VA 22039

Year: 1997

Involvement: Inspection of the 4 outdoor swimming pool complexes, the waterpark, and related

facilities operated by the NVRPA.

Reference: Rodney Pryor and Jack Robey, (703) 352-5900

Consultant to: Wilson, Elser, Moskowitz, Edelman & Dicker

Location: 1055 W. 7th Street, Suite 2700

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 1997

Involvement: Jabour v. Westin Hotel Company and Westin - Mexico. Defendant. Bradley

Jabour, a guest at the Westin Hotel in Cabo San Lucas injured his discs, ligaments and joints around the spine when he swam butterfly stroke into a

submerged wall in the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Janice Lucas, (213) 624-3044

Consultant to: Surf Cincinnati
Location: 10549 Reading Road

Cincinnati, OH 45241

Year: 1997

Involvement: Signage review, Lifeguard Safety Manual review, waterpark inspection.

Reference: Robert E. Hoeweler, (513) 563-2205

Consultant to: Lopatin, Miller, Freedman, Bluestone, Herskovic, Heilmann

& Domol

Location: 3000 Town Center, Suite 1700

Southfield, MI 48075-1188

Year: 1997

Involvement: Hogg v. Messina Trucking. Plaintiff. Steven Hogg drowned while swimming

across a lake formed by a gravel pit with friends at night.

Reference: Stuart Freedman, (810) 213-3806 x261

Consultant to: Mardirossian & Associates

Location: 6311 Wilshire Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90048-5001

Year: 1997

Involvement: Mercado v. Plummer Grove HOA. Plaintiff. Two year old Hector Mercado

gained entry through a broken gate and near drowned in the condo swimming

pool located across the driveway from his residence.

Reference: Donald Conway and Sara Polinsky, (213) 653-6311

Consultant to: Thomas Grade, M.D. Ltd., Pain Services & Anesthesiology

Location: 6644 E. Baywood

Mesa, AZ 85206

Year: 1997

Involvement: Therapeutic aquatic and wellness center design team.

Reference: Dr. Tom Grade, (602) 981-4250

Consultant to: Unis & Associates

Location: 105 N. Ave. De La Estrella, Suite 2B

San Clemente, CA 92672

Year: 1997

Involvement: Martinez v. Canyon Lake POA. Plaintiff. Victor Martinez, was run into the

causeway rocks while wakeboarding on Canyon Lake, and suffered serious head

and bodily injuries.

Reference: Jerry Unis, John Adams, Sylvia Simmons; (714) 366-6677

Consultant to: Law Offices of Curtis Aldendifer

Location: City Financial Tower, 201 Merchant St., Suite 1600

Honolulu, HI 96813

Year: 1997

Involvement: Marcus v. Asahi Jyuken (Turtle Bay Hilton). Defendant. A young child

drowned in a swimming pool while attending a company picnic organized by his

mother's employer and held at the Turtle Bay Hilton Golf & Tennis Resort.

Reference: Curtis Aldendifer, (808) 535-4270

Consultant to: Oaklawn Hospital Location: 200 N. Madison

Marshall, MI 49068

Year: 1997

Involvement: Hospital aquatic therapy center design team member.

Reference: Alec Allen, (616) 789-3932

Consultant to: Brownwood, Rice & Zurawski

Location: 3430 Camino Del Rio North, Suite 300

San Diego, CA 92108

Year: 1997

Involvement: Sun Hee Chi v. Warner Springs Ranch. Defendant. Ogk Kun Chi, a guest at

the Ranch is believed to have gone into a diabetic coma and near drowned while

in the hot mineral springs pool. Mr. Chi died approximately 5 weeks later.

Reference: J. Dean Rice, (619) 563-1233

Consultant to: Cormack Builders

Location: P.O. Box 1211, East Madison Road

Madison, NH 03849

Year: 1997

Involvement: Roy Lewis Project. Design work on a private therapeutic pool being built in

Maine for a burn victim.

Reference: Kim Frechette, (603) 367-9930

Consultant to: Law Offices of Richard A. Brubaker & Associates

Location: 4605 Lankershim Blvd., Suite 807

North Hollywood, CA 91602

Year: 1997

Involvement: Kregel v. Provence D'Aliso HOA. Plaintiff. Woman was injured as a result of a

fall on the pool steps.

Reference: Richard Brubaker, (818) 755-3830

Consultant to: Pedersen Architects

Location: 1825 State Street. Suite 202

Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Year: 1997

Involvement: Design team, Rehabilitation Institute at Santa Barbara therapy pool.

Reference: Leo Pedersen, AIA; (805) 569-2555

Consultant to: Lewis & Rodgers Architects

Location: Highland Office Center, 550 Pinetown Road, Suite 490

Fort Washington, PA 19034

Year: 1997

Involvement: Methodist Manor House of Seaford, Delaware aquatic complex design team.

Reference: Philip Rodgers, AIA, (215) 653-0935

Consultant to: Ladera Oaks Swim & Tennis Club

Location: 3249 Alpine Road

Portola Valley, CA 94028-7522

Year: 1997

Involvement: Aquatic facility inspection.

Reference: Jim Gorman, (415) 854-3101

Consultant to: Hospital for Special Care

Location: 2150 Corbin Ave.

New Britain, CT 06053

Year: 1997

Involvement: Rehabilitation center aquatic complex design team.

Reference: Laraine Milazzo, (203) 233-2761

Consultant to: Providence Medical Center

Location: 5050 NE Hoyt, #156

Portland, OR 97213

Year: 1997

Involvement: Therapeutic aquatic facility inspection.

Reference: Tammy Marshall, Ricci Susick, De Ann Wilson, Joe Webb, Dana White;

(503) 215-6301, (503) 215-6202

Consultant to: **Pool Science Magazine**Location: 2834 N. Preston Street

Orange, CA 92867

Year: 1997

Involvement: Review of the consumer publication for technical accuracy.

Reference: Sandi Zwick, (714) 637-6800

Consultant to: Aquatic Rehabilitation Consultants

Location: 22 E. Main Street

Smithfield, VA 23430

Year: 1997

Involvement: Review of construction documents for the Whittier Westborough pool complex.

Reference: Gwen Garrett, (757) 357-0342

Consultant to: Health Fitness Corporation

Location: P.O. Box 1409

Crystal Lake, IL 60039

Year: 1997

Involvement: Design team member for the Cardiac Rehabilitation Fitness Center of The

Community Hospital in Munster, Indiana.

Reference: Ed Buda, (612) 831-6830, (815) 477-8088

Consultant to: St. Remy Multimedia
Location: Maisson Bagg, 682 William

Montreal, Quebec H3C 1N9 CANADA

Year: 1997

Involvement: Reviewed Sunset "Swimming Pools" and Sunset "Spas, Hot Tubs & Home

Saunas" textbooks for technical accuracy.

Reference: Adam Van Sertima, Jennifer Ormston, Rob Luetz, (514) 871-9696

Consultant to: El Castillo Residences for Retirement

Location: 250 E. Alameda

Santa Fe, NM 87501

Year: 1997

Involvement: Pool facility renovation project. Reference: Allen Jahner, (505) 988-2877

Consultant to: Canyon Ranch

Location: 8600 E. Rockcliff Road

Tucson, AZ 85750

Year: 1997

Involvement: Facility inspection and renovation.

Reference: Jerry Cohen and Joan Kelly, (520) 749-9655

Consultant to: Law Offices of Patrick J. Stark

Location: Plaza La Jolla Village, 4370 La Jolla Village Drive, Suite 400

San Diego, CA 92122

Year: 1997

Involvement: Turner v. Hoffman. Plaintiff. Seven year-old Jonathan Turner drowned in a

murky water, black bottom residential swimming pool after friends and the

homeowner were unable to pull him to safety.

Reference: Patrick Stark, (619) 287-8275

Consultant to: **Kay's All Swim** Location: P.O. Box 37372

Albuquerque, NM 87176

Year: 1996

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: Kay Quisenberry - Dubay, (505) 898-5023

Consultant to: Kinkle, Rodiger & Spriggs
Location: 3333 Fourteenth Street

Riverside, CA 92501

Year: 1997

Involvement: Peltier v. D.P. Hospitality. Defendant. Plaintiff was injured when he made a

head first entry into the shallow end of the hotel pool.

Reference: Scott Spriggs and Susan Lowe, (909) 683-2410

Consultant to: Foss Swim School Location: 7304 Ontario Blvd.

Eden Prairie, MN 55346

Year: 1996

Involvement: Swim school design.

Reference: John Foss, (612) 935-8732

Consultant to: Isaac, Brant, Ledman & Teetor

Location: The Midland Building, 250 E. Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215-3742

Year: 1996

Involvement: June v. Surf Cincinnati. Defendant. Paula June was injured in a collision with

her husband in the final exit pool on the Runaway Rapids ride at the waterpark.

Reference: Don Anspaugh and Joanne Peters, (614) 221-2121

Consultant to: Clark & Associates, Architects

Location: 3151 N. Black Canyon Highway, Suite 3

Phoenix, AZ 85015

Year: 1996

Involvement: Gompers Center therapeutic aquatic complex design team.

Reference: Robert Vilona, (602) 631-9175

Consultant to: Mardirossian & Associates

Location: 6311 Wilshire Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90048-5001

Year: 1996

Involvement: Todd v. Holiday Inn - Costa Mesa. Plaintiff. Mr. Todd drowned while

swimming in the hotel pool.

Reference: Ken Ogrin, (213) 653-6311

Consultant to: Source of Synergy
Location: 3700 Lone Mountain Road

Hereford, AZ 85615

Year: 1996

Involvement: Sierra Vista aquatic complex design team.

Reference: Nancy Buttke, (520) 378-3765

Krebs Carhuff Architects, Philip Carhuff and Diane Krebs Carhuff, (520) 577-4560

Consultant to: Law Offices of Kenneth H. Stone

Location: 185 West F Street, Suite 100

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1996

Involvement: Kira Pollard-Lipkis v. Scripps Ranch Swim & Racquet Club. Plaintiff. Young

girl was injured as a result of a fall off a ladder of a 3-meter diving board.

Reference: Kenneth Stone and Christina Rimkis, (619) 233-1818

Consultant to: Michael Silver & Assoc.

Location: 115 N. Morgan St.

Chicago, IL 60607

Year: 1996

Involvement: Menorah Park Center for the Aging. Lewis Aquatic & Fitness Center design

team.

Reference: Michael Silver, Wilson & Silver, (312) 850-4710

Ruth Plautz, Director of Rehab Services, Menorah Park, (216) 831-6500

Consultant to: Dinuba Public Schools

Location: 1327 E. El Monte

Dinuba, CA 93618

Year: 1996

Involvement: Dinuba High School Pool. Site inspection, and report to the school board on

needed repairs including pool resurfacing options.

Reference: Stan Carrizosa, Superintendent and Dan Lewis, Assist. Super., (209) 595-7200

Consultant to: **Mazursky, Schwartz & Angelo** Location: 10877 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 600

Los Angeles, CA 90024-4341

Year: 1996

Involvement: Cortland v. Primadonna. Plaintiff. Kenneth Kirschenbaum, was injured when

he collided with Michael Nolen upon exiting the enclosed flume at Buffalo Bills

Casino.

Reference: Arnold Schwartz and Chris Angelo, (310) 824-7725

Consultant to: Prince William County Park Authority

Location: 13025 Chinn Park Drive

Prince William, VA 22192-5073

Year: 1996

Involvement: Chinn Aquatics & Fitness Center. Site visit and meeting with center

supervisors to help identify the source of IAQ problems being experienced by

some employees and patrons.

Reference: Leslie Shinners, Debra Andrew and Tracy Hannigan, (703) 791-2338

Consultant to: Royce, Grimm, Vranjes, McCormick & Graham Location: P.O. Box 121512, 550 West C Street, Suite 1100

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1996

Involvement: Schartman v. City of Vista (The Wave). Defendant. Dr. Schartman was

injured in a collision in the children's pool while standing directly in front of the

SCS playstructure slide exit.

Reference: Mark Vranjes, (619) 231-8802

Consultant to: Arnold Berschler Law Offices
Location: 564 Market Street, Suite 602

San Francisco, CA 94104

Year: 1995

Involvement: Chapman v. Raging Waters. Plaintiff. Adult woman was injured when

entrapped by a torn slide weir padding hem on the Slide Creek flume.

Arnold Berschler, (800) 338-1441 Reference:

Consultant to: Koletsky, Mancini & Feldman

Central Plaza, 8th Floor, 3460 Wilshire Blvd. Location:

Los Angeles, CA 90010-2228

Year: 1996

Involvement: Chu v. Akai Swim School. Defendant. Father of a swim school student

suffered a heart attack and died while swimming laps with his daughter.

Reference: Stephen Mancini, (213) 427-2350

Consultant to: Carondelet - St. Mary's Hospital Location: 1601 West St. Mary's Road

Tucson, AZ 85745

Year: 1996

Involvement: Facility site inspection and report.

Angela Anzelmo and Ronnie Crider, (520) 740-6175 Reference:

Consultant to: **Edwards, White & Sooy** Location: 101 W. Broadway, 9th Floor

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1996

Involvement: Chan v. San Gabriel Valley YMCA, et al. Defendant YMCA. Steven Chan died

from cardiac failure while in the Charter Oak High School pool during a

recreational swim period run by a YMCA summer day camp.

Arthur Hodge and Steven Bergen, (619) 231-1500 Reference:

Mazursky, Schwartz & Angelo Consultant to: Location: 10877 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 600

Los Angeles, CA 90024-4341

Year. 1996

Involvement: Crowder v. McCollum and S.R. Smith, et al. Plaintiff. Guest was injured upon

entry into the shallow end of a swimming pool from a residential pool slide.

Reference: Christopher Angelo, (310) 824-7725

Consultant to: Potter, Carniak, Anderson & DeAgostino

Location: 2701 University Drive, Suite 223

Auburn Hills, MI 48326

Year: 1996

Involvement: Houlihan v. Oakland County, Michigan, et al. Denedants. Missing child - lake

drowning case.

Steven Potter and Lynn Fox, (810) 377-1700 Reference:

Consultant to: Ricardo Legorreta Arqitectos

Location: Palacio De Versalles

285 A 11020, Mexico, D.F.

Year: 1996

Involvement: Assistance with several pool design and equipment sizing projects in Mexico

City, Arizona and Tel Aviv.

Reference: Ricardo Legorreta, 011-52-5-251-96-98

Consultant to: Polaris Pool Systems

Location: P.O. Box 1149, 1709 LaCosta Meadows Drive

San Marcos, CA 92069

Year: 1996

Involvement: Code search and summary report on use of lead products in swimming pools.

Reference: Mark VanEtten, (619) 471-0129

Consultant to: Law Offices of Ronald Lachner Location: 100 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1920

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 1996

Involvement: Truesdell v. Raging Waters. Plaintiff. Patron injured his knees from forward

momentum and impact with the bottom of a splash pool after becoming airborne

on a serpentine body flume.

Reference: Ronald Lachner, (310) 587-2116

Consultant to: Vista Del Monte Location: 3775 Modoc

Santa Barbara, CA 93105

Year: 1996

Involvement: Facility design.

Reference: Charles Frazier, Peggy Buchanan, Jeanne West, Sharon Davis, and Donna

Hunter; (805) 687-0793

Consultant to: Stephen Tucci Law Offices
Location: 350 W. Ash Street, Suite 100

San Diego, CA 92101

and

Armstrong & Armstrong and Bresticker & Chow

1450 Frazee Road, Suite 313

San Diego, CA 92108

Year: 1996

Involvement: Fritchle v. Philipps. Plaintiff. Dan Fritchle suffered a cervical injury after falling

into an aboveground pool from an unstable, poorly designed pool ladder.

Reference: Stephen Tucci, (619) 232-3484

Michael Armstrong and Bert Bresticker, Esq.; (619) 296-6101

Consultant to: Architects Richard Bundy and David Thompson

Location: 371-A 8th Ave.

San Diego, CA 92101-7186

Year: 1995

Involvement: Hourglass Field pool design project. Reference: David Thompson, (619) 231-4929

Consultant to: **SeQual Technologies, Inc.**Location: 11436 Sorrento Valley Road

San Diego, CA 92121

Year: 1996

Involvement: Pool tours and meetings with engineers to discuss hydraulics, pool systems, pool

sanitation - oxidation requirements.

Reference: Bob Schneider, Bob Alpert, Ted Hill, Ed Ratke, (619) 558-0202

Consultant to: Pasadena Athletic Club

Location: 25 West Walnut

Pasadena, CA 91103

Year: 1996

Involvement: Facility inspection.

Reference: John Richards, (909) 605-7745; Craig Fox and Elaine Reilly, (818) 793-8161

Consultant to: Prudential Property and Casualty Insurance Company

Location: P.O. Box 619019

Roseville, CA 95678

Year: 1996

Involvement: Stephen Crowder v. Steven McCollum. Pool slide accident site inspection and

measurements.

Reference: Mario Iorillo, (310) 826-7855

Consultant to: Wellness & Rehabilitation Center of Watsonville Community Hospital

Location: 50 Penny Lane

Watsonville, CA 95076

Year: 1996

Involvement: Development of maintenance and operational practices. Investigation of

alternative sanitation systems.

Reference: Marilou Moschetti, (408) 768-8095

Consultant to: Higgs, Fletcher & Mack

Location: 401 West A Street, 2000 First National Bank Building

San Diego, CA 92101-7913

Year: 1996

Involvement: La Mirianda v. Sprague. Inspected the property and prepared a declaration on

the condition of the pool and equipment and likely causes of damage to the

circulation equipment.

Reference: M. Cory Brown, (619) 236-1551

Consultant to: Royce, Grimm, Vranjes
Location: 185 West F Street, Suite 200

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1996

Involvement: Tappouni v. City of Vista. Defendant. Mrs. Tappouni was injured when she

banged her head while riding down a waterslide flume.

Reference: Mark Vranjes, (619)

Consultant to: Royce, Grimm, Vranjes
Location: 185 West F Street, Suite 200

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1996

Involvement: Daly v. City of Vista. Defendant. Mr. Daly was injured when he hit his nose on

the bottom of a flume splash pool at The Wave while trying to get out of an inner

tube.

Reference: Mark Vranjes, (619)

Consultant to: Law Offices of Elroy Giddens
Location: 4774 Phelan Road, Suite 6

Phelan, CA 92371

Year: 1996

Involvement: Canole v. Stafford. Plaintiff. Drowning of 3 year old Robbie Canole. The case

involved barrier issues.

Reference: Elroy Giddens, (619) 868-1525

Consultant to: Clark, Perdue, Roberts & Scott Location: 471 East Broad Street, Suite 1400

Columbus, OH 43215

Year: 1996

Involvement: Wells v. Funtime. Plaintiff. Anthony Wells suffered a near drowning while in a

wave pool at the Wyandott Lake waterpark.

Reference: Robert Kerpsack, (614) 469-1400

Consultant to: Jerry & Pam George Swim School

Location: 5415 Windy Lake Drive

Kingwood, TX 77345

Year: 1996

Involvement: Review of construction drawings and equipment specifications.

Reference: Jerry & Pam George, (713) 360-4349

Consultant to: **The Chapel** Location: 135 Fir Hill

Akron, OH 44303

Year: 1996

Involvement: Report on review of construction diagrams and pool renovation plans.

Reference: Norval Brown, Minister of Christian Education, (216) 376-6400 x 3320

Consultant to: Gary Symond, Criminal Attorney-at-Law

Location: 25835 San Fernando Road

Santa Clarita, CA 91350-2501

Year: 1996

Involvement: People of the State of California v. Kevin Killian. Appointed as an expert for

Mr. Killian, who was charged with violating the Harbors and Navigation code and operating a ski boat in a reckless and negligent manner when he ran over Paula

DeLeon who fell while water-skiing on Lake Pyramid.

Reference: Gary Symond, (805) 253-3700

Consultant to: McKay, Byrne & Graham Location: 3250 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 603

Los Angeles, CA 90010-1578

Year: 1996

Involvement: Fletcher v. Rohl. Defendant. Boater unknowingly ran over and severed the

hookah hose of a commercial SAS diver gathering sea urchins near the LaJolla

kelp beds.

Reference: Mark Cunningham and Michael Fox, (213) 386-6900

Consultant to: Ventura Family YMCA - Channel Islands YMCA

Location: 3760 Telegraph Road

Ventura, CA 93003

Year: 1996

Involvement: Facility Inspection, identification of water quality problems.

Reference: Mike Stephenson, (805) 642-2131.

Consultant to: Aquanaut Swim School Location: 19715 Big Timber Drive

Humble, TX 77346-1231

Year: 1996

Involvement: Aquatic facility design.

Reference: Leslie Crawford, (713) 852-9435

Consultant to: San Diego Community College District - Mesa College

Location: 1536 Frazee Road

San Diego, CA 92108

Year: 1995

Involvement: Development of fiberglass specifications. Inspection of fiberglass resurfacing

and pool remarking job.

Reference: Ron Hakett, Buildings and Grounds; and Dean Sue Scott, (619)

Consultant to: **University of Kentucky**Location: UKAA - Memorial Coliseum

Lexington, KY 40506-0019

Year: 1995

Involvement: Facility inspection, water and air analysis, athlete surveys, reports prepared.

Reference: Micki King, (606) 257-6848

Steve Eaves, (606) 257-5697 Dr. John Perrine, (606) 323-5823

Gary Connelly, Mike Lyden, Wynn Paul, (606) 257-7946

Consultant to: The Walters Management Company Location: 2251 San Diego Ave., Suite A-250

San Diego, CA 92110

Year: 1996

Involvement: Inspection and evaluation of the Eastlake I and Fashion Hills Pool & Spa pool

resurfacing projects.

Reference: Joseph Farinelli, (619) 497-6522

Consultant to: **Tadpool Swim School** 25253 Everett Drive Location: Santa Clarita, CA 91321

Year: 1995

Involvement: Prepared facility design program. Evaluated construction documents.

Reference: Nicki and Jim Miller, (805) 254-6666, (805) 255-1438

Consultant to: Steven D. Howard, Esq.

Location: 11661 San Vincente Blvd., Suite 820

Los Angeles, CA 90049

Year: 1995

Involvement: **Ugalde**. Drowning site inspection and follow-up. Reference: Steven Howard, (310) 273-2458, (619) 322-0471

Consultant to: **Kiesel & Larson**

8501 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 300 Location:

Beverly Hills, CA 90211-3119

and

Shawn Steel & Associates 8383 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 640 Beverly Hills, CA 90211-2405

Year:

Allen v. Gordy. Plaintiff. Guest was injured after making a head first entry from Involvement:

a spa into a deceptively shallow residential pool.

Reference: Paul Kiesel, (800) 356-9898

Albert Abkarian, (213) 951-9000

Consultant to: **Huguley Memorial Medical Center** Location:

P.O. Box 6337, 11801 South Freeway

Fort Worth, TX 76115

Year: 1995

Involvement: Pool site visit, water analysis, meeting with staff.

Reference: Joy Stockwell

Consultant to: **Huey Athletic Network**

Location: 3014 Arizona Ave.

Santa Monica, CA 90404

and

Rehab Health Care Network 6222 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 302 Los Angeles, CA 90048

Year: 1995

Involvement: Pool design and equipment checklist for the Wilt Chamberlain Rehab Center

Reference: Linda Huey, (310) 231-3377

Mike Shapow, RPT, (213) 965-7333

Consultant to: **Willamette Rehab Services**

Location: 421 S. Evans Street

McMinnville, OR 97128

Year: Development of agreement to participate and pool inspection checklists.

Involvement:

Reference: Karen Gurske and Karen Lake

Consultant to: **Mulvany Residence** Location: 17767 Creciente Way San Diego, CA 92127

Year: Inspections and report on pool plaster resurfacing problems.

Involvement: 1995

Reference: Dr. David & Clara Mulvany, (619) 528-5507

Consultant to: **Gold Medal Swim School** Location: 1957 E. Hermosa Drive

Tempe, AZ 85282

Year: 1995

Involvement: Pool construction site visit.

Reference: Mike Troy, (602) 961-5035, (602) 491-1572

Consultant to: **Law Offices of Sherman Rogers** Location: P.O. Box 1058, 740 E. Tulare Ave.

Tulare, CA 93275

Year:

Involvement: Kari Saltzman v. Tulare Western High School. Plaintiff. Student athlete

suffered a broken nose and facial injuries during a high school swim team

practice.

Reference: Sherman Rogers, (209) 686-1161 Consultant to: **George Clinton Stafford, Esq.** Location: 457 E. Grand Ave., Suite 5

Escondido, CA 92025

Year: 1995

Involvement: Harris v. City of San Marcos and Boys and Girls Club. Expert for the plaintiff.

Near drowning of a young girl while on a club outing to a municipal pool.

Reference: George Stafford, (619) 739-1900

Consultant to: **Montedonico**, **Hamilton & Altman**Location: 10306 Eaton Place, Suite 500

Fairfax, VA 22030

Year: 1995

Involvement: Wallace v. Reston Home Owners Association and Northern Virginia

Regional Park Authority. Defendant Reston HOA. A boy fell off a 3 meter

diving tower during an overnight camp out and trip to a regional pool.

Reference: Brendy Esmond, (703) 591-9700

Consultant to: Fiore, Walker, Racobs & Powers
Location: 18400 Von Karman, Suite 600

Irvine, CA 92715

Year: 1995

Involvement: Maison de Fleur v. William Hudson. Consultant for the homeowner

association wishing to prevent installation of a gazebo around a residential spa

as a sole means of complying with aquatic barrier regulations.

Reference: James Harkins and Mark Hopkins, (714) 955-0560

Consultant to: GPD Associates

Location: 520 S. Main Street, Suite 2531

Akron, OH 44311

Year: 1995

Involvement: Bid proposal to the City of Solon, Ohio for construction of a community aquatic

leisure center.

Reference: John Dodovich, AIA; (216) 434-4300

Consultant to: **John Wallace & Associates**Location: 4115 Broad Street, Suite B-5

San Luis Obispo, CA 93411

Year: 1995

Involvement: Cuesta College pool renovation project, inspection, recommendations,

assistance in preparation of specifications.

Reference: Jeff Werst and Patricia Kroll, P.E.; (805) 544-4011

Pete Pedroni, (805) 541-3120

Consultant to: Fereday Swim School 1222 Camino Rio Verde Location:

Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Year: 1995

Involvement: Preliminary facility design.

Reference: Wendy and Fred Fereday, (805) 967-1649

Consultant to: Agua Wave Swim School Location: 2382 Apple Tree Drive Tustin, CA 92680

Year:

Involvement: Design assistance and review of construction plans for a private swim school

facility.

Reference: Marla Barrera and Paul Blauman, (714) 832-8910

Consultant to: Janotta & Herner, Inc. General Building Contractors

Location: 309 Monroe Street, Box 247

Monroeville, OH 44847

Year: 1995

Involvement: Evaluation of air quality and pool operating problems at the newly built

Ernsthausen Aquatic Center in Norwalk, Ohio.

Reference: James Shelley, Vice President, (419) 465-2593

Law Offices of Glenn M. Rosen Consultant to: Location: 5500 Atherton Street. Suite 227

Long Beach, CA 90815

Year: 1995

Involvement: Minckler v. California Pool & Spa, et al. Defendant Poolmiser. Residential

pool construction defects case.

John Connolly, (714) 832-7578 Reference:

Consultant to: Wave Loch, Inc. Location: 5508 Pacifica Drive

La Jolla, CA 92037

Year: 1994

Involvement: Inspection and report on the condition of the Flow Rider installation at the City of

> Vista's "The Wave" for the manufacturer. Inspection of the Hyland Hills Retro Rider installation "The Colorado Wave". Review of the Operations and

Procedures Manuals. Evaluation of models for future construction projects.

Reference: Tom Lochtefeld, CEO; (619) 273-0307

Consultant to: Steven D. Howard, Esq.

Location: 11661 San Vincente Blvd., Suite 820

Los Angeles, CA 90049

Year:

Involvement: Asesyan v. Oasis Waterpark. Plaintiff. Young woman suffered dental injuries while traveling down an enclosed water flume while riding a defective inner tube.

Reference: Steven Howard, (310) 273-2458, (619) 322-0471

Consultant to: **Westminster - Canterbury**

Location: 1600 Westbrook Ave.

Richmond, VA 23227

Year: 1994

Involvement: Review of pool facility construction plans.

Connie Sarvay, Director of Recreation & Leisure, (804) 264-6273 Reference:

Consultant to: Jane Wright Residence Location: 608 Serpentine Drive

Del Mar, CA 92014

Year: 1994

Involvement: Spa facility design.

Reference: Jane Wright, (619) 481-8789

Consultant to: **Delnor Community Hospital**

Location: 300 Randall Road

Geneva. IL 60134

Year: 1994-1996, 2002

Evaluation of the aquatic therapy facility. Review of new aquatic facility Involvement:

construction documents.

Review of plans for renovation of the natatorium HVAC system.

Reference: Jayne Holley and Bambi Penney, (708) 208-4223

Consultant to: **Teledyne Laars** Location: 6000 Condor Drive

Moorpark, CA 93021

Year: 1994

Involvement: Employee education programs.

Reference: Rebecca Crites, Director of Quality Management, (805) 529-2000

Consultant to: Mc Cann & Carroll Location: 2890 Pio Pico, Suite 201 Carlsbad, CA 92008

Year: 1995

Involvement: Cassise v. Purex. Plaintiff. Pool serviceman was seriously injured when a pool

filter he was servicing exploded.

Reference: Kevin Mc Cann, (619) 729-3400

Consultant to: **Asphalt Green Aqua Center**

555 East 90th Street Location:

New York, NY 10128

Year: 1993

Involvement: Pool site inspections, staff training, consultation on pool design, maintenance

and operations.

Reference: Janette Ryan, E.D. (914) 793-2750

Lorraine Martinelli, (212) 369-8890

Consultant to: Hetrick Center HydoWorX Project

Location: 500 N. Union Street

Middletown, PA 17057

Year: 1994, 1998

Involvement: Product design and testing.

Reference: Jay French and Anson Flake, (717) 653-3761 or (717) 944-5515

Drs. Paul Hetrick and Scott Stoner, (717) 944-2225

Consultant to: City of Jacksonville, Parks & Recreation Department

Location: P.O. Box 793

Jacksonville, AR 72076

Year: 1994

Involvement: Pool design services including review of pool construction diagrams and

specifications.

Reference: Annabelle Davis, (501) 982-4171

Consultant to: Paul & Stuart

Location: 1401 Ocean Ave., Suite 200

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 1994

Involvement: Vega v. Peca Products. Plaintiff. Two 16 year old boys drowned in a

residential swimming pool after inhaling an aerosol product.

Reference: John Janofsky and Bill Daniels, (310) 458-4584

Consultant to: Slovinsky & Slovinsky

Location: 310 "I" Street

Chula Vista, CA 91910

Year: 1994

Involvement: Romonsky, et al. v. W. P. Lee Co. Plaintiffs. Riders were injured in a multiple

rider innertube water slide accident.

Reference: Gustavo Slovinsky, (619) 426-4400

Consultant to: Masters & Taylor, L.C.

Location: 4th Floor, Peoples Building, 179 Summers Street

Charleston, WV 25301

Year: 1994

Involvement: Fotos v. YMCA of Beckley-Raleigh County and Raleigh County Board of

Education. Plaintiff. Ten year old boy died during a Physical Education swim class held at the YMCA from complications when a chemical solvent was injected

into the water instead of chlorine.

Reference: Robert Taylor and Cindy Casto, (304) 342-3106

Consultant to: **Jewish Community Center of Greater Rochester**

Location: 1200 Edgewood Ave.

Rochester, NY 14618

Year: 1994

Involvement: Facility inspection.

Reference: Barb Hammond, David Jacobs, Stan Albert, Kandy Ruta; (716) 461-2000

Consultant to: St. Vincent's Hospital - Bruno Rehab Center

Location: P.O. Box 12407

Birmingham, AL 35202

Year: 1994

Involvement: Facility inspection.

Reference: Annette Mc Crory, (205) 930-2796

Consultant to: Washoe County Parks & Recreation Department

Location: 1502 Washington Street

Reno, NV 89503

Year: 1994

Involvement: Pool facility inspections, water quality analysis, lifeguard audits.

Reference: Gregg Finkler - Parks Operations Superintendent, (702) 785-4319

Consultant to: **Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher**Location: Jamboree Center, 4 Park Plaza

Irvine, CA 92714

Year: 1994

Involvement: Pecinovsky v. Crown Valley Aquatic Services, Steven Rea and Cypress

Village Homeowners Association. Plaintiff. Drowning of an adult male in a homeowner association pool. The pool monitor who was not present on the pool deck at the time of the incident, could not call for help, or perform CPR when

notified of the emergency.

Reference: Tanya McVeigh, Kirsten Hicks Spira and Richard Levy, (714) 451-3800,

(213) 229-7659

Consultant to: Tuburson & Hillyard

Location: 12400 Wilshire Blvd., 13th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 1994

Involvement: Ledesma v. Santa Ana Units Investment Company. Defendant. Plaintiff was

injured when he stepped on a piece of glass in an apartment complex swimming

pool.

Reference: Mario Iorillo, (310) 826-7855

Consultant to: City of La Quinta

Location: 78-495 Calle Tampico, P.O. Box 1504

La Quinta, CA 92253

Year: 1994

Involvement: Pool design services including review of community aquatic leisure center

construction diagrams and specifications.

Reference: David Cosper, Director of Public Works; (619) 777-7075

Consultant to: Appledore Engineering

Location: 1 Simons Lane

Newmarket, NH 03857

Year: 1994

Involvement: Investigated a waterpark accident involving chemical poisoning of patrons and

facility design errors.

Reference: Robert Snover, (603) 659-5615

Consultant to: Rose, Klein & Marias

Location: 5740 Ralston Street, Suite 301

Ventura, CA 93003

Year: 1994

Involvement: Myers v. City of Ventura. Plaintiff. Student sustained a serious back injury as a

result of a collision with a pier during an instructional sailing class.

Reference: Bill Grewe, (805) 642-7101

Consultant to: **Moulton, Bellingham, Longo & Mather**Location: Suite 1900, Sheraton Plaza, P.O. Box 2559

Billings, MT 59103

Year: 1994

Involvement: Cochran v. City of Billings, Montana. Defendant. The case involved the death

of an adult patron who suffered a heart attack while in the municipal pool.

Reference: Harlan Krough, (406) 248-7731

Consultant to: Thon, Beck, Vanni & Phillipi

Location: 1100 E. Green Street

Pasadena, CA 91106-2506

Year: 1994

Involvement: Deedon v. City of Los Angeles. Plaintiff. Child was rescued from the Verdugo

Hills Swimming Pool immediately following her adapted aquatics lesson. The

plaintiff has suffered from a serious seizure disorder since the incident.

Reference: Greg Vanni, (818) 795-8333

Consultant to: Office of the City Attorney, The City of San Diego

Location: 1200 Third Ave., Suite 1200

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1994

Involvement: Sandy v. San Diego. Defendant. The plaintiff was injured in a fall from a 3

meter diving tower.

Reference: Frank Devaney & Lynn Swanson, (619) 533-5841

Consultant to: Long & Williamson

Location: 5 Hutton Centre Drive, Suite 1000

Santa Ana, CA 92707

Year: 1993

Involvement: Gonyea v. El Camino Country Club. Plaintiff. Guest was injured in a fall from

a fiberglass pool slide.

Reference: John Williamson, (714) 668-1400

Consultant to: Law Offices of Sanford M. Gage Location: 9454 Wilshire Blvd., Fifth Floor

Beverly Hills, CA 90212-2982

Year: 1993

Involvement: Metrano v. California Pools and Golden West Gunite. Plaintiff. Actor, Art

Metrano was injured in a fall from a metal extension ladder supplied by the contractors involved with the construction of his backyard swimming pool.

Reference: Sanford Gage, Charles Charleton and Joel Shields, (310) 273-0904

Consultant to: Chattem Consumer Products

Location: 1715 West 38th Street

Chattanooga, TN 37409

Year: 1993

Involvement: Prepared the advertising brochure "The 10 Most Asked Questions About Chlorine &

It's Affects On the Hair & Skin" for the UltraSwim line of skin and hair care products.

Reference: Laurie Hodge, (615) 821-4571 x 207

Consultant to: Tredway, Brandmeyer & Lumsdaine

Location: 10841 Paramount Blvd. Downey, CA 90241

Downey, CA S

Year: 1993

Involvement: Del Real v. Los Angeles County. Plaintiff. Jet skier was run over and killed by

an 11 year old riding a Yamaha Wave Runner.

Reference: Michele Ahrens, (310) 923-0971

Consultant to: Rourke, Woodruff & Spradlin
Location: 701 S. Parker Street, Suite 7000

Orange, CA 92668

Year: 1993

Involvement: Lopez v. City of Fullerton. Defendant. Plaintiff suffered a shallow water

blackout and near drowning after performing repeated feet-first surface dives in

the Independence Park pool.

Reference: Dan Spradlin, Cheryl Lynn and Barry Fisher, (714) 564-2626

Consultant to: Paul Teyssier, Attorney At Law

Location: 3200-3C Highland Ave.

National City, CA 91950

Year: 1993

Involvement: Reynolds v. American Products. Plaintiff. Homeowner was injured when her

pool filter exploded and hit her in the face.

Reference: Paul Teyssier, (619) 474-8870

Consultant to: Liebman, Reiner & McNeil Location: 1851 E. First Street, Suite 1200

Santa Ana, CA 92705

Year: 1993

Involvement: Hodgkins v. Anaheim Union High School District. Defendant. A 15 year old

male student fractured his vertebrae when he dove into the shallow end of the

swimming pool during a physical education class.

Reference: Bridget Desmond, (213) 387-0777

Consultant to: **Bell & Davidson**Location: 601 E. Bridger Ave.

Las Vegas, NV 89101

Year: 1993

Involvement: Michael Holly v. Sunrise Terrace Mobile Home Park. Plaintiff. A 2 year old

boy drowned in a trailer park swimming pool.

Reference: Stewart Bell, (702) 382-5111

Consultant to: Herbert Berstein, Esq.

Location: 16830 Ventura Blvd., Suite 210

Encino, CA 91436

Year: 1993

Involvement: Altuzar v. Raging Waters. Plaintiff. The plaintiff was a male, first time visitor to

a waterpark, Spanish speaking adult unable to read the warning signs who was injured in a wavepool when he was thrown from his raft by generated waves.

Reference: Herbert Berstein, (818) 981-6800

Consultant to: The City of Chula Vista, Department of Parks and Recreation

Location: 276 Fourth Ave.

Chula Vista, CA 91910

Year: 1993-1998

Involvement: Prepared fiberglass resurfacing and equipment replacement specifications.

Supervised pool renovation project. Facility inspections. Lifeguard audits.

Reference: Brian Cox, Mark Basnight, John Gates, (619) 691-5081 or 691-5071

Consultant to: Eugene Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services

Location: 2445 Willakenzie Road

Eugene, OR 97401

Year: 1993

Involvement: Reviewed and critiqued plans for construction of a therapeutic swimming pool

addition to the Sheldon Meadows Pool. Prepared specifications for converting pool sanitation and oxidation, and pH adjustment systems from the use of elemental gas chlorine to sodium hypochlorite and carbon dioxide at the three

city operated natatoriums.

Reference: Juliana Larson, Lucy McIver, (541) 687-5314

Consultant to: **Jewish Community Center of Atlantic County**

Location: 501 N. Jerome

Margate, NJ 08402

Year: 1993

Involvement: Site inspection and investigation of fiberglass resurfacing problems and pool water

irritants.

Reference: Bernice Katzman, (609) 822-1167

Consultant to: **Boys & Girls Clubs of America**Location: 1230 W. Peachtree Street NW

Atlanta, GA 30309

Year: 1992

Involvement: Assistance with revising learn-to-swim program and newsletter. Wrote "Water

Fun & Games" manual. Meetings with executive directors to identify and

prioritize aquatic program and facility needs.

Reference: Tim Richardson, (404) 815-5700

Consultant to: Barbara Denny Swim School

Location: Route 13, Box 916

Leander, TX 78641

Year: 1993

Involvement: Prepared the facility design program. On-going technical support.

Reference: Barbara Denny, (512) 259-4545

Consultant to: Flamingo Physical Therapy and Fitness, Inc.

Location: 1870 NW 122 Terrace

Hollywood, FL 33026

Year: 1993

Involvement: Prepared the facility design program. Inspected pool construction site.

Reference: David Esack, P.T., (305) 435-5300

Consultant to: Stark, Rasak & Clark

Location: Metro Bank Building, 21535 Hawthorne Blvd., Suite 500

Torrance, CA 90503

Year: 1993

Involvement: Casten v. Marriott. Plaintiff. Arbitrated case which involved a slip-and-fall

accident which occurred during an Aquatic Council presentation at the San

Francisco AAHPERD convention.

Reference: Jeffrey Stark, (310) 316-6400 or 316-4898

Consultant to: YWCA of Cobb County
Location: 48 Henderson Street
Marietta, CA 20064

Marietta, GA 30064

Year: 1992

Involvement: Pool sight inspection and preparation of a report on the status of the facility.

Reference: Barb Brugger, (404) 427-2902

Consultant to: YWCA of Trenton
Location: 140 E. Hanover Street
Trenton, NJ 08608

Year: 1993

Involvement: Pool site inspection and preparation of a report on the status of the facility.

Reference: Sandy Ewell, (609) 396-8291

Consultant to: Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps

Location: 600 W. Broadway, Suite 2600

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1992

Involvement: Polovitz v. Lester. Plaintiff. Young man was rendered quadriplegic after

entering a river from a rope swing. Case involved issues of dangerous condition

of the property and lack of signage.

Reference: Chris Jaczko, (619) 699-2559

Consultant to: Fairfax County Park Authority

Location: 3701 Pender Drive

Fairfax, VA 22030

Year: 1992

Involvement: Inspection of the 8 natatoriums and 1 outdoor pool owned and operated by the

FCPA, water analysis, site specific staff training, development of agency-wide

preventative maintenance checklists...

Reference: John McCarthy (703) 281-6501; Gretchen Knutson, (703) 878-0996;

Charles Bittenbring, Patty Paczan or Curtis Welch, (703) 246-5700

Consultant to: Kenneth Rodrigues & Associates, Inc. Location: 50 W. San Fernando Street, Suite 650

San Jose, CA 95113

Year: 1992

Involvement: Facility design, California P.E.O. Home project Reference: Kenneth Rodrigues, Sandy Young, (408) 993-0700

Consultant to: Homefree Village Resorts
Location: 1400 S. Colorado Drive

Denver, CO 80222

Year: 1992

Involvement: Pool facility design for the Rosa Vista Resort in Mesa, Arizona

Reference: Craig Bollman, (800) 435-7128

Consultant to: UCLA Alumni Association, Bruin Woods Family Resort

Location: P.O. Box 160

Lake Arrowhead, CA 92352

Year: 1992

Involvement: Evaluation of swimming pool staffing levels

Reference: Nancy Noble, (714) 337-2478

Consultant to: Royce, Grimm, Vranjes, McCormick & Graham

Location: 185 West F Street, Suite 200

San Diego, CA 92101-6001

Year: 1992

Involvement: Thorton v. Kohler. Defendant. Homeowner claimed the pool service company

was responsible for the fire started by a defective LP gas pool heater which

caused their house to burn down.

Reference: Stephen Hogan, (619) 231-8802

Consultant to: Swartz & Swartz Location: 10 Marshall Street

Boston, MA 02108

Year: 1992

Involvement: Fertall v. Pool City. Plaintiff. Near drowning and severe brain damage of a 1

year old boy in a backyard above ground pool surrounded by a wooden deck.

Reference: Alan Cantor, (617) 742-1900

Consultant to: Swartz & Swartz
Location: 10 Marshall Street
Boston, MA 02108

Year: 1992

Involvement: Crocitto v. Heldor. Plaintiff. Drowning of a young child on top of a winterizing

pool cover.

Reference: Alan Cantor, (617) 742-1900

Consultant to: Levin and Associates, Inc., Architects

Location: 811 W. 7th Street, Suite 300

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 1992

Involvement: Facility design and renovation assistance

Reference: Brenda Levin, Maureen Sullivan, Jeff Shelton, (213) 623-8141

Consultant to: Lenox Hill Settlement House

Location: 331 E. 70th Street

New York, NY 10021

Year: 1992

Involvement: Pool site inspection, code compliance, on-going operational assistance

Reference: Nancy Wackstein and Richard Weeks, (212) 744-5022

Consultant to: Mission Beach (Pacific) Water & Sports Physical Therapy

Location: 815 Dover Court

San Diego, CA 92109

Year: 1992

Involvement: Pool site inspection prior to facility purchase.

Reference: Debbie Anderson, (619) 488-2663

Consultant to: Aquabilities
Location: 3220 Noble Street
Laureldale, PA 19605

Year: 1991

Involvement: Facility design and operational assistance. Reference: Cindy Brown & Kris Kennedy, (610) 929-8582

Consultant to: Villa Portofino Homeowners Association

Location: 10603 Escobar Drive

San Diego, CA 92124

Year: 1991

Involvement: Pool site inspection and recommendations for renovation. Reference: Mary McCarroll and Charlotte Bell, (619) 571-0722

Consultant to: U.S. Navy SEALs

Location: Naval Special Warfare Center

Coronado, CA 92115

Year: 1991

Reference: BMCM Rick Knepper, (619) 437-2264

Consultant to: Glenn McWaters
Location: 5074 Shelby Drive

Birmingham, AL 35242

Year: 1991

Involvement: Evaluation of facility prior to purchase.

Reference: Glenn and Lynn McWaters, (205) 991-5245, (205) 699-8268

Consultant to: Naval Submarine Base
Location: 140 Sylvester Road
San Diego, CA 92106

Year: 1993

Involvement: Pool site inspection and post renovation evaluation.

Reference: Sai Sharrieff and Bruce Morehouse, (619) 553-7547

Consultant to: **Aquatic Fitness Products** Location: 631 U.S. Highway 1, Suite 300 North Palm Beach, FL 33408

1990 Year:

Reference: Bob and John Jahn, Milt Velinsky (407) 585-0754

Consultant to: Fig Garden Swim & Racquet Club

Location: 4722 N. Maroa Ave.

Fresno, CA 93704-3299

Year: 1991

Involvement: Facility inspection and recommendations for renovation and equipment

replacement.

Reference: Kathleen Brodrick, (209) 222-4816

Consultant to: Vito Loguidice, M.D. Location: Red School Lane

Phillipsburg, NJ 08865

Year: 1991

Involvement: Facility design.

Reference: Vito Loguidice, M. D., (215) 866-5660

Consultant to: **Cumberland Valley Schools**

Location: 6746 Carlisle Pike

Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Year: 1991

Involvement: Aquatic facility inspection.

Reference: Ann Shenck Dallam, (717) 766-0217, (619) 459-5294

Consultant to: **Guadalupe Youth Center**

Location: 21600 Hart Street

Canoga Park, CA 91303

Year:

Involvement: Facility inspection to determine feasibility of renovating and reopening pool.

Reference: Gabriel Hernandez, (818) 340-2050

Consultant to: Conklin & Roadhouse Location: 100 W. Grand Ave. Chicago, IL 60610

[As of 9-1-95: Rivkin, Radler & Kremer

30 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60602, (312) 782-5680]

Year: 1990

Involvement: Amanat v. Vic Tanny International et al. Defendant. Slip and fall accident occurring in a health club steam room.

Reference: John Roadhouse, Linda Unger, Timothy Forman (312) 670-0220

Consultant to: YWCA of the USA, National Board

Location: Empire State Building, Suite 301, 350 Fifth Ave.

New York, NY 10118

Year: 1987-1992

Involvement: Consultant for all 300+ YWCA pools (including on-site assistance to listed

facilities), aquatic staff training, safety audits, risk management, review of plans for renovation and construction of aquatic facilities, development of training materials, newsletter column, site visits, ran 14 Aquatic Management Training

Institutes...

Reference: Dr. Alpha Alexander, (800) YWCA-US1

Christoph Memorial YWCA	Waukesha, WI	Victoria Wellens	(414) 547-1872
Hawaii Island YWCA	Hilo, HI	Rowie Taylor	(808) 935-7141
Reno-Sparks YWCA	Reno, NV	Richard Gagnebin	(702) 322-4531
YWCA of Asheville	Asheville, NC	Mary Ann Richards	(704) 254-7206
YWCA of Aurora	Aurora, IL	Marjorie Colley Kim Hargus	(708) 896-8588
YWCA of Boston	Boston, MA	Martha Caruso	(617) 536-7940
YWCA of Birmingham	Birmingham, AL	Carolyn Howell	(205) 322-YWCA
YWCA of Brooklyn	Brooklyn, NY	Fran Clifford	(718) 875-1190
YWCA of Central Jersey	New Brunswick, NJ	Geraldine Harvey Kathy Kelly	(908) 545-6622
YWCA of Charlotte	Charlotte, NC	Kitty Speaks Lynne Reyburn	(704) 525-5770
YWCA of Chester	Chester, PA	Erin Sacco	(215) 876-8226
YWCA of Cincinnati	Cincinnati, OH	Melissa Miller	(513) 241-7090
YWCA of Coatsville	Coatsville, PA	Marium Cipolla	(215) 384-9591
YWCA of Decatur	Decatur, IL	Barbara Frey	(217) 423-3415
YWCA of Metropolitan DallasRichardson BranchWidner BranchCentral Branch	Dallas, TX Richardson, TX Dallas, TX Dallas, TX	Mary Sias Pam Chicol Pat Caldwell Sandi Smith	(214) 826-9922 (214) 231-7201 (214) 337-9169 (214) 827-6850
YWCA of Elgin	Elgin, IL	Carol Elias Sue Burton	(708) 742-7930
YWCA of El Paso	El Paso, TX	Diane Wilson	(915) 533-2311

YWCA of Evansville YWCA of Germantown	Evansville, IN Philadelphia, PA	Silvia Weinzapfel Andrea Brown	(812) 422-1191 (215) 438-6266
YWCA of Gettysburg	Gettysburg, PA	Carroll Davenport	(717) 334-9171
YWCA of Greater Flint	Flint, MI	Carol Anselm	(313) 238-2620
YWCA of Greater Lafayette	Lafayette, IN	Susan Laughlin	(317) 742-0075
YWCA of Green Bay-DePere	Green Bay, WI	Patti Payette	(414) 432-5581
YWCA of Greensboro	Greensboro, NC	Ruth Perez	(919) 273-3461
YWCA of Greenwich	Greenwich, CT	Jackie Majors-Myles	(203) 869-6501 (718) 729-6363
YWCA of Los Angeles Angeles Mesa Branch	Los Angeles, CA	Laura Wiltz Donna Reese	(213) 482-3470
YWCA of Manchester	Manchester, NH	Virginia Leiby	(603) 625-5785
YWCA of Maricopa County	Phoenix, AZ	Kathy Patton	(602) 258-0990
YWCA of Metro St. Louis	St. Louis, MO	Angela Barnes	(314) 421-2750
YWCA of New Britain	New Britain, CT	Nancy Hrushka	(203) 225-4681
YWCA of Northwest LouisianaCentral BranchAllendale Branch	Shreveport, LA	Janet Martin Irene Armstrong	(318) 222-2116
YWCA of Oahu	Honolulu, HI	Mikelle Lucero	(808) 538-7061
YWCA of Oklahoma City Ione Branch	Oklahoma City, OK	Dorothy Griffith	(405) 721-2485
YWCA of Pasadena	Pasadena, CA	Donna Lewis Joan Landrock Carol Bridges	(818) 793-5171
YWCA of Passaic-Clifton	Passaic, NJ	Jill Beard	(201) 779-1770
YWCA of Philadelphia Kensington Branch	Philadelphia, PA	Judy Riddle-Kohler	(215) 844-8708
YWCA of Philadelphia Northeast Branch	Philadelphia, PA	Judy Whittle	(215) 335-1222
YWCA of Portland	Portland, OR	Debra Rodgers	(503) 223-6281
YWCA of Racine	Racine, WI	Sandra Tait	(414) 633-3503
YWCA of Reading	Reading, PA	Eloise Wessner	(215) 376-7317
YWCA of Rockford	Rockford, IL	Becky Willett	(815) 968-9681

		Ann Field	
YWCA of St. Joseph	St. Joseph, MO	Aline Pheiffer Sharyn Snapp	(816) 232-4481
YWCA of Salt Lake City	Salt lake City, UT	Jane Langford	(801) 355-2804
YWCA of San Bernardino	San Bernardino, CA	Peggy Swineheart Rosie Markovich	(714) 889-9536
YWCA of San Diego County	San Diego, CA	Janie Davis Mary McCarroll	(619) 239-0355
YWCA of San Francisco	San Francisco, CA	Chris Milham	(415) 397-6880
YWCA of the City of New York	New York, NY	Lorraine Martinelli	(212) 755-4500
YWCA of Wake County	Raleigh, NC	Pamela Dowdy	(919) 828-3205
YWCA of Waco	Waco, TX	Bobbi Affleck Nan Holmes Kay Reese	(817) 753-7334
YWCA of Wake County	Raleigh, NC	Pamela Dowdy	(919) 828-3205
YWCA of Waterbury	Waterbury, CT	Jean King	(203) 754-5136
YWCA of Wilmington	Wilmington, NC	Barb Jo Lineberger	(919) 799-6820
YWCA of Winston-Salem	Winston-Salem, NC	Connie Stafford	(919) 722-5138
YWCA of Yonkers	Yonkers, NY	Patricia Sadler	(914) 963-0640
YWCA of York	York, PA	Denise Hart Sandra Eldstrodt Helen Groft	(717) 845-2631

Consultant to: Conklin & Roadhouse
Location: 100 W. Grand Ave.
Chicago, IL 60610

[As of 9-1-95: Rivkin, Radler & Kremer, 30 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60602]

Year: 1990

Involvement: Schanter v. Vic Tanny International et al. Defendant. Shallow water diving

injury occurring in a health club pool.

Reference: John Roadhouse, Linda Unger, Timothy Forman, (312) 670-0220, 782-5680

Consultant to: Lewis, Marenstein & Wicke
Location: 2500 Wilshire Blvd., Penthouse A

Los Angeles, CA 90057

Year: 1990

Involvement: Webber v. Orchard Lane Condo Association. Plaintiff. Drowning of an eight

year old girl in a condominium swimming pool.

Reference: Tom Hoegh, (213) 487-1393

Consultant to: Royce, Grimm, Vranjes, McCormick & Graham

Location: 185 West F Street, Suite 200

P.O. Box 121512

San Diego, CA 92112-5512

Year: 1990

Involvement: Schwartz v. Lewis, et al. Defendant. Plaintiff claimed he contracted viral

meningitis in defendant's mobile home park swimming pool.

Reference: W. Patrick Grimm, (619) 231-8802

Consultant to: Sports Medicine and Orthopaedics of Manchester, P.C.

Location: 155 Main Street

Manchester, CT 06040

Year: 1990

Involvement: Facility planning and design.

Reference: Jane Rosesco, P.T., (203) 645-1886

Consultant to: Oaks North Community Center

Location: 12578 Oaks North Drive

Rancho Bernardo, CA 92128

Year: 1990

Involvement: Aquatic facility inspection.

Reference: Dick Anderson and Honoria Bunnell, (619) 487-2120

Consultant to: **Fitness Risk Management, Inc.**Location: 3333 S. Wadsworth Blvd., Suite D-319

Denver, CO 80227

Year: 1990

Involvement: Aquatic risk management. Review of site plans.

Reference: Marc Rabinoff and Cameron Douthitt, (303) 986-7550

Consultant to: Weber & Wilson

Location: 101 California Street, Suite 1550

San Francisco, CA 94111

Year: 1990

Involvement: Martinez v. East Bay Regional Park District. Plaintiff. Drowning of a young

man at a 4th of July picnic in an enclosed reservoir swimming area.

Reference: Joe Neirenberg, (415) 788-3900 Consultant to: **Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher**

Location: 333 S. Grand

Los Angeles, CA 90068

Year: 1989

Involvement: Luu v. Anaheim Unified School District. Plaintiff. Near drowning of a high

school student during a physical education swim class.

Reference: Kirsten B. Hicks, (213) 229-7659

Consultant to: **Triton College**Location: 2000 Fifth Ave.

River Grove, IL 60171

Year: 1990

Involvement: Pool site inspection and evaluation Reference: Kathi Deresinski, (708) 456-0300

Consultant to: Cooksey, Howard, Martin & Toolen

Location: 1352 Irvine Blvd.

Tustin, CA 92680

Year: 1988

Involvement: Sloan v. Green Valley Homeowners Association. Defendant. Injury sustained

as a result of a springboard diving accident.

Reference: Robert Toolen and Martin Sable, (714) 832-2474

Consultant to: City of Hallandale, Department of Parks & Recreation

Location: 735 SW 1st Street

Hallandale, FL 33009

Year: 1990

Involvement: Site inspection and evaluation of pool facilities.

Reference: Michelle Henderson, (305) 961-5494

Consultant to: **Nicholas Pereos**Location: 535 E. Plumb Lane

Reno, NV 89502

Year: 1989

Involvement: Francis v. Sierra Woods. Plaintiff. Near drowning and eventual death of a young

boy found submerged in an apartment complex pool with extremely poor water

clarity. Case was tried, appealed, and sent back for a new trial.

Reference: Nicholas Pereos, (702) 329-0678

Consultant to: La Mirage

Location: 6530 Reflection Drive

San Diego, CA 92124

Year: 1990

Involvement: Site inspections, water quality analysis, staff training. Reference: Lynn Z. Riggs, Director of Recreation; (619) 282-1510

Consultant to: Soledad Pool Supply
Location: Hancock Street, Box 86346

San Diego, CA 92138

Year: 1990

Involvement: Reviewed pool chemical and maintenance records, and wrote report in support of

Mr. Smith's claim that his company did not cause the pool shell damage alleged

in the Small Claims Court suit brought by Mr. Dale James.

Reference: Richard Smith, Owner; (619) 291-4646

Consultant to: Rand Borresen

Location: 23201 Mill Creek Road, Suite 100

Laguna Hills, CA 92653

Year: 1989

Involvement: Koch v. Laguna Serrano Apartments. Plaintiff. Diving accident resulting from

a dive into an improperly marked and lit shallow water pool.

Reference: Rand Borresen, (714) 837-8344

Consultant to: The Sporting Club at Aventine

Location: 3625 Lebon Drive

La Jolla, CA 92122

Year: 1989

Involvement: Pre-opening site inspections, assistance with start-up and chemical balancing

procedures, water analysis, water problem identification and treatment.

Reference: Brent Jewell, (619) 273-6048; Randy Frisch, (619) 552-8000

Consultant to: Kassley, Bone, Becker, Dix, Reagan & Young

Location: 5111 W. Main

Belleville, IL 62223

Year: 1989

Involvement: Fuchs v. Hilton Inns. Plaintiff. Slip-and-fall accident which occurred on the

deck and steps of an improperly designed, maintained and supervised hotel spa.

Reference: Patrick Young, (618) 235-0020

Consultant to: Scripps Ranch Swim and Racquet Club

Location: 9875 Aviary

San Diego, CA 92131

Year: 1989

Involvement: Site inspections, pool problem solving, prepared report on converting primary

bactericide systems.

Reference: Mike Armstrong, Debbie Miles, (619) 271-6222

Consultant to: **Monaghan & Metz**Location: 1450 Front Street

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1989

Involvement: Dickenson v. San Diego. Plaintiff. Young man ran and plunged into the

shallow waters of Mission Bay, impacted with the sand bottom and subligated

and fractured his cervical spinal column.

Reference: John Metz, (619) 231-0059

Consultant to: Greene, O'Reilly, Broillet, Paul, Simon & Wheeler

Location: 100 Wilshire Blvd., 21st Floor

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 1989

Involvement: Ladewig v. Ocean Enterprises, et al. Plaintiff. Newly certified SCUBA diver

suffered an air embolism and drowned after running out of air and becoming tangled in kelp. Questions of inadequate training and defective rental equipment

were investigated.

Reference: Christine Spagnoli, (310) 576-1200

Consultant to: Greene, O'Reilly, Broillet, Paul, Simon, Mc Millan, Wheeler & Rosenberg

Location: 100 Wilshire Blvd., 21st Floor

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 1989

Involvement: Scott v. Raging Waters. Plaintiff. Guest sustained ruptured disks after slipping

and falling at a waterpark.

Reference: Mark Quigley, (310) 576-1200

Consultant to: **The Dormans Law Offices**Location: 850 Pomona Ave., P.O. Box 916

Coronado, CA 92118

Year: 1989

Involvement: Murray v. Air Structures, Inc. Plaintiff. Diver was rendered a quadriplegic

after diving head first into an unmarked vinyl liner pool.

Reference: Dennis P. Dorman, (619) 231-1430

Consultant to: Dave and Mary Alper Jewish Community Center

Location: 12401 SW 102nd Ave.

Miami, FL 33176

Year: 1988

Involvement: Consultant for pool design and operations, review of construction plans.

Reference: Ed Rosen, (305) 251-1394

Consultant to: Greene, O'Reilly, Broillet, Paul, Simon, Mc Millan, Wheeler & Rosenberg

Location: 100 Wilshire Blvd., 21st Floor

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Year: 1988

Involvement: Nunez v. Los Angeles County, State of California, YMCA, et al. Plaintiff.

Teenage boy drowned while on an outing to Castaic Lake State Recreation Area.

The case involved questions of inadequate supervision and negligence of

lifeguards.

Reference: Bruce A. Broillet, (310) 576-1200

Consultant to: George P. Andreos

Location: 401 W. A Street, Suite 1400, First National Bank Building

San Diego, CA 92101-7993

Year: 1988

Involvement: **Eklof v. Woodward Sand**. Plaintiff. A young woman was seriously injured while

diving into a gravel pit used for recreational swimming and skiing.

Reference: George Andreos, (619) 233-1077

Consultant to: Klinedinst, Fliehman & Rescigno

Location: 444 W. C Street, Suite 330

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1988

Involvement: Alva v. Jacques "N" Jill Health Club. Plaintiff. Slip-and-fall accident while

leaving the health club pool area.

Reference: Kathryn Meadows, (619) 239-8131

Consultant to: Shifflet, Sharp & Walters

Location: 1370 India Street

San Diego, CA 92101-3481

Year: 1988

Involvement: Cowles v. Grossmont Union High School District. Defendant. Plaintiff

slipped and fell through the mid rail of the three meter diving board at Monte

Vista High School.

Reference: Kay Burningham, (619) 239-0871

Consultant to: Myers, Widders & Gibson

Location: P. O. Box 7209

Ventura, CA 93006

Year: 1988

Involvement: Van Rynsoever v. Ojai Valley Racquet Club. Plaintiff. A four year old boy

suffered neurological damage as a result of falling to the deck from an improperly

maintained three meter diving board.

Reference: Roger Myers, Esq., (805) 644-7188

Consultant to: **Bioaquatic Sports Equipment, Inc.**

Location: P. O. Box 2228

Carlsbad, CA 92008

Year: 1988

Involvement: Aquatic product testing and research for competitive, fitness, therapeutic and rec

uses.

Reference: Kevin Mc Carthy, (619) 438-8863

Consultant to: Breidenbach, Swainston, Crispo & Way

Location: 611 W. 6th Street, Suite 1300

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 1988

Involvement: Barrajas v. Midtowne Spa. Defendant. Drowning in a bath house pool.

Reference: James Cohoon, (213) 624-3431

Consultant to: Bennet Olan Law Corporation

Location: 1776 Highland Ave.

Los Angeles, CA 90028

and

Consultant to: Fogel, Feldman, Ostrow, Ringler & Klevens

Location: 5900 Wilshire Blvd., 26th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90036

Year: 1988

Involvement: Leonard v. Dash. Plaintifff. Near drowning of a woman in an apartment

complex pool, as a result of inadequate pool maintenance procedures and lack of

emergency communication system.

Reference: Bennet Olan, (213) 476-1776 and Clark Ariste, (213) 937-6250

Consultant to: Lawler, Bonham & Walsh

Location: P. O. Box 5527

Oxnard, CA 93031

Year: 1988

Involvement: Nordstrom v. Marshal and Lake Casitas. Defendant. The case involves the

death of a recreational boater in a high speed collision on a large fresh water

lake.

Reference: Terry Bonham, (805) 485-8921

Consultant to: Clark & Trevithick

Location: 800 Wilshire Blvd., 13th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 1988

Involvement: Reyes v. County of Los Angeles. Defendant. Case involved the unwitnessed

drowning of a young man as a result of a possible diving accident at a large

public swimming pool.

Reference: Gregory Houle, (213) 629-5700 and Steven Lubell, (213) 451-9904

Consultant to: Price, Postel & Parma Location: 200 E. Carrillo Street

Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Year: 1988

Involvement: Olivera v. Lucia Mar Unified School District. Plaintiff. Drowning of a young

boy in Lake Lopez during a school outing. Supervision issues.

Reference: Robert Patterson, (805) 962-0011

Consultant to: City of San Diego, Department of Risk Management

Location: 1970 B Street, Suite B

San Diego, CA 92102

Year: 1988

Involvement: Prepared report for use by City Attorney and Risk Management Department for

possible litigation relative to pool operations.

Reference: Ken Evans, (619) 236-6058

Consultant to: Clark & Trevithick Location: 800 Wilshire Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 1988

Involvement: Ibraham v. County of Los Angeles. Defendant. Young boy fell from the ladder

of a three meter diving board.

Reference: Robert Applegate, (213) 629-5700

Consultant to: Covenant House Location: 460 W. 41 Street

New York, NY 10036

Year: 1988

Involvement: Site evaluation and assistance in developing renovation plans for the old National

Maritime Union Building swimming pool for use by the Covenant House in its

Rights of Passage program.

Reference: Michele Sienkiewicz, (212) 247-5672

Consultant to: Shawnee County Counselors Office

Location: 200 E. 7th Street

Topeka, KS 66603

Year: 1988

Involvement: Gonzales v. Shawnee County. Defendant. Case involving a drowning of an

adult patron at a guarded man made lake.

Reference: Douglas Martin, (913) 291-4042

Consultant to: **David Thompson**Location: 580 Beech Ave., #C

Carlsbad, CA 92008

Year: 1987

Involvement: O'Connor v. Rosenblatt. Plaintiff. Case diving injury at an apartment complex

pool.

Reference: David Thompson, (619) 434-5011

Consultant to: Fitness Advantage at the Plunge and Fitness Advantage at the Splash

Location: 3115 Ocean Front Walk

San Diego, CA 92109

Year: 1988 - 1999

Involvement: Reviewed renovation plans, blue prints, and equipment specs; conducted pool

operation workshops; reviewed resumes and prepared interview questions for pool manager applicants, final check-out of facility after renovation, site and

lifeguard staff evaluations.

Reference: Robbie Klinefelter, (619) 674-4480, Richard Meyer, Corey Phelps, (619) 488-3110

Consultant to: M. Larry Lawrence Jewish Community Center

Location: 4126 Executive Drive

La Jolla, CA 92037

Year: 1987

Involvement: Consultant on pool repairs and renovation.

Reference: Marcia Lubick and Michele Henderson, (619) 457-3030

Consultant to: Klinedinst, Fliehman and Rescigno

Location: 440 W. C Street, Suite 330

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1987

Involvement: Duncan v. Pool King and Knight Iron Works. Defendant. Near drowning of

an unsupervised 15 month old child in a backyard swimming pool.

John Klinedinst, (619) 239-8131 Reference:

Consultant to: F.A. Meiser, Jr.

Location: 1495 Pacific Highway, Suite 203

San Diego, CA 92101-2426

Year: 1987

Involvement: Fox v. Flournoy. Plaintiff. Water skier injured by a hit-and-run sailor.

Reference: Rick Meiser, (619) 239-8125

Consultant to: City of San Diego, Department of Parks & Recreation

Community Parks & Recreation Division

Location: World Trade Center, 1250 Sixth Ave.

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1987-Present

Involvement: Evaluation of all municipal pool facilities, modernizing pool operations, staff

training, development of San Diego lifeguard training program, lifeguard audits,

review of staff manuals.

Reference: Mary Ann Oberle, (619) 236-6661; Claudia Murphy, (619) 455-7475; Belinda

Bencomo, (619) 685-1323

Consultant to: **Jeffrey Pheffer**

Location: 12121 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1103

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Year: 1987

Cross v. U.S. Masters Swimming, University of California at Irvine, et al. Involvement:

> Plaintiff. Case involving improper instruction and supervision during a water polo game held during a UC Irvine Masters Swim Club practice. The plaintiff suffered

a detached retina and blindness in one eye.

Reference: Jeffrey Pheffer, (714) 541-5363

Consultant to: F. A. Meiser, Jr. Location:

3555 4th Ave.

San Diego, CA 92103

Year: 1987

Involvement: Jones v. Foster. Plaintiff. Backyard pool drowning.

Reference: Rick Meiser, (619) 239-8125

Consultant to: **James Rucker** Location: 50 S. Anaheim

Anaheim, CA 92805

Year: 1987

Involvement: Aghishian v. Rancho San Tiago Community College District. Plaintiff.

Woman slipped and injured her back while trying to climb out of the deep end of

a pool in which the ladders had been removed.

Reference: James Rucker, (714) 533-8250

Consultant to: Liebman & Reiner

Location: 3255 Wilshire Blvd., 12th Floor

Los Angeles, CA 90010

Year: 1987

Involvement: Gonzalez v. City of San Fernando. Defendant. Near drowning of an adult

woman in a guarded city pool.

Reference: Larry Samelson, (213) 387-0777

Consultant to: **Booth, Mitchel, Strange & Smith**Location: 3152 Red Hill Road. Suite 150

Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Year: 1987

Involvement: Ferouzi v. R. B. Management. Defendant. Guest of a tenant dove over a

volleyball net separating a shallow pool in half, hit his head on the pool bottom and severed his spinal cord. Case involves questions of facility design and

maintenance.

Reference: David Flyer, (714) 641-0217

Consultant to: Clarkson & Boatman

Location: 1880 Santa Barbara Street, Suite D

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Year: 1987

Involvement: Winegart v. City of Atascadero, et al. Plaintiff. Drowning of a three year old

girl in a guarded lake.

Reference: Philip Clarkson, (805) 543-4897

Consultant to: Koslov, Erickson & Cady
Location: 727 W. 7th Street, Suite 650

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Year: 1987

Involvement: Criswell v. Security Pacific National Bank. Defendant. Adult male

slipped/dove into shallow end of a condo pool, severing his spinal cord which resulted in quadriplegia. Plaintiff claimed pool design and construction defects

contributed to his injuries. Eurus Cady, (213) 629-2647

Consultant to: Wingert, Grebing, Anello & Chapin

Location: 450 B Street, Suite 1750

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1987

Reference:

Involvement: Lawlor v. Johnson. Defendant. Near drowning of a young child in a rented

backyard pool. Case involved questions of unusual pool design and fencing.

Reference: Larry Shea, (619) 232-8151

Consultant to: McInnis, Fitzgerald, Rees, Sharkey & McIntyre

Location: 1320 Columbia Street

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1986

Involvement: Lopez v. City of National City, et al. Plaintiffs. Epileptic seizure and near

drowning of a 12 year old boy in a city operated pool, resulting in quadriplegia

and severe brain damage.

Reference: Manuel Corrales, Jr., (619) 480-6404 and

James Millikin, (619) 236-1711

Consultant to: **Di Marco & Araujo**Location: 1015 N. Broadway

Santa Ana, CA 92701

Year: 1986

Involvement: Lopez et al. v. Longpre, et al. Plaintiffs. Near drowning of a six year old in a

residential pool built without construction permits, resulting in coma and eventual

death.

Reference: Edward Lloyd, (714) 835-6990

Consultant to: Knapp, Petersen & Clarke

Location: 70 Universal City Plaza, Suite 400

Universal City, CA 91608

Year: 1987

Involvement: McBroom v. Marriott. Defendant. Drowning during off-hours of an intoxicated

guest in a spa adjacent to the hotel swimming pool.

Reference: Jack Campion, (818) 508-5000

Consultant to: Asian Neighborhood Design

Location: 2705 Ridge Road

Berkeley, CA 94709

Year: 1986

Involvement: Assisted architect with design and planning of the pool operating system and

equipment for the San Francisco YWCA renovation.

Reference: Bill Mah, (415) 841-6747

Consultant to: Redwoods Retirement Community

Location: P.O. Box 796

Mill Valley, CA 94942

Year: 1986

Involvement: Provided information for adapting planned aquatic facilities for the handicapped.

Reference: Philip Murphy, (415) 388-1163

Consultant to: Daniels, Saltz, Mongel, Barrett

Location: 1650 Market Street #34

Philadelphia, PA 19103-7301

Year: 1985

Involvement: Brendan Larrisey v. Quaker Ridge Apartments, et al. Plaintiffs. Drowning of

a young boy in a small poorly maintained apartment pool, in which the water quality prevented the lifeguards on duty from noticing the submerged body for an

extended period of time.

Reference: Stephen Saltz, (215) 545-8282

Consultant to: San Diego Police Department, Mission Bay Harbor Patrol Unit

Location: 1401 Broadway, M.S. 757

San Diego, CA 92101

Year: 1986

Involvement: Discussed staff training needs. Reference: Sgt. Ron Brown, (619) 696-3307

Consultant to: Law Offices of Catherine E. Kroger

Location: 3258 4th Ave.

San Diego, CA 92103

Year: 1986

Involvement: Lowe v. Astro Motel. Plaintiff. Motel pool diving injury resulting in concussion

and cervical strain/sprain.

Reference: Catherine Kroger, (619) 280-5911

Consultant to: Center for Sports Medicine at San Diego Medical Center

Location: 8008 Frost Street

San Diego, CA 92123

Year: 1986

Involvement: Pool facility planning, evaluation of construction plans and specifications.

Reference: Jack Cheever, (619) 569-0885

Consultant to: American Camping Association

Eastern Pennsylvania Section

Location: RD 2, Box 201-1

New Tripoli, PA 18066

Year: 1984

Involvement: Pool chemistry, maintenance and operation workshops, staff selection and

training.

Reference: Debra Zvanut, (215) 683-3460, 285-4082

Consultant to: Camp Twin Hills, Larry Rubin and Partners

Location: 207 Melite Place

Philadelphia, PA 19115

Year: 1985

Involvement: Site evaluation prior to purchase of camp and pool.

Reference: Larry Rubin, (215) 698-8789, 831-1838

Consultant to: Girl Scouts of Greater Philadelphia, Inc.

Location: 7 Benjamin Franklin Parkway

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Year: 1982-1985

Involvement: Shelley Ridge pool site inspection and trouble shooting, staff training workshops.

Reference: Pat Dyer, (215) 564-4657 and Nancy Wismer, (215) 487-0452, 848-5624

Consultant to: Larchmont Swim Club

Location: Larchmont Blvd. and White Chapels Road

P.O. Box 125

Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

Year: 1985

Involvement: Site and safety evaluations. Reference: John Brady, (609) 261-3137

Consultant to: **Temple Towers, Temple University Housing**

Location: 1300 Columbia Ave.

Philadelphia, PA 19122

Year: 1985

Involvement: Planning of facility renovation and equipment purchasing, reopening of pool

facility, staff selection and training.

Reference: Robin Brown, (215) 438-6666 and Craig Denega, (215) 787-6381

Consultant to: Variety Club Camp, Widener Pavilion

Location: Valley Forge and Potshop Roads

Worcester, PA 19490

Year: 1985

Involvement: Identification of construction errors and design deficiencies in preparation for

litigation.

Reference: Jeff Glick and Melanie Byck, (215) 584-4366

Consultant to: Appel Farm Arts and Music Camp

Location: RD 3, Box 532

Elmer, NJ 08318

Year: 1985

Involvement: Site evaluation

Reference: Brent Woods, (609) 358-2472

Consultant to: Society Hill Towers
Location: 200 Locust Street, 12A

Philadelphia, PA 19106

Year: 1982-1985

Involvement: Staffing and staff training, site inspections, seasonal opening Reference: Deborah Carl, (215) 842-0678, Jack Townsend, (215) 923-4105

Consultant to: Galfand, Berger, Senesky, Lurie & March

Location: 1737 Chestnut Street, Suite 1200

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Year: 1985

Involvement: Johnson v. Geltman and Turn-key Pools, et al. Defendant. Lifeguard altered

the design of the diving board which plaintiff alleged contributed to his injury. Plaintiff while intoxicated attempted an inward twisting dive which resulted in a

broken neck and short term paralysis.

Reference: Richard Hohn, (215) 665-1600

Consultant to: Hartzel and Bush Location: Hartzel and Bush 110 N. Main Street

Doylestown, PA 18901

Year: 1985

Involvement: New Britain Township v. County of Bucks. Plaintiff. Township sued the

county for not providing enough water safety personnel to keep the peace and protect patrons at Peace Valley Park, and, for costs incurred from use of city

safety services after three lake drownings.

Reference: George Bush, (215) 345-7060

Consultant to: Office of Physical Planning, Temple University

Location: Conwell Hall, Broad St & Montgomery Ave.

Philadelphia, PA 19122

Year: 1985

Involvement: Ambler Campus new pool facility planning.

Reference: Marc Cooper, (215) 787-8112

Consultant to: Shuster & Beckman

Location: Widener Building, 1339 Chestnut Street,

Philadelphia, PA 19107

Year: 1984

Involvement: Smithy Alsop v. YMCA. Woman injured following an adult beginner swim class.

Reference: William Marvin, (215) 563-2626

Consultant to: Wenonah Swim Club

Location: 233 Main Street

Matua, NJ 08051

Year: 1984

Involvement: Site evaluation, staff training workshop

Reference: Natalie Hogan

Consultant to: Panorama Club
Location: 1500 Locust Street

Philadelphia, PA 19102

Year: 1984

Involvement: Pool site inspections, written recommendations for improvement.

Reference: Rose Moody, (215) 732-1503
Consultant to: **Turn-key Pool Consultants, Inc.**

Location: 9 Colwell Lane

Conshohocken, PA 19428

Year: 1983-1985 Involvement: Staff training.

Reference: Carole Musterait, Bud and Phyllis Borten, (215) 828-5590

Consultant to: Freedom Valley Girl Scout Council: Camps Kiwanis and Tohikanee

Location: PA Year: 1982

Involvement: Site inspections and evaluations.

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