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FIRM PROFILE

Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield zealously represents plaintiff classes in actions involving violations of state and federal antitrust, securities, consumer protection and racketeering laws. Our attorneys have successfully confronted the world's biggest corporations, and recovered billions of dollars for class plaintiffs.. The firm's reputation for excellence has been recognized in courtrooms across America.

The firm was founded in 2003 by Mark Reinhardt, Mark Wendorf and Garrett Blanchfield, and, It is a nationally known class action firm encompasses the values of hard work, ingenuity, integrity, pride in a quality product and successful result.

ANTITRUST LITIGATION

Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is committed to vigorously prosecuting violations of competition laws and other unlawful business practices on behalf of its clients. The firm's antitrust attorneys have the experience and the economic and legal background necessary to help consumers and businesses injured by anti-competitive conduct. Our attorneys have successfully litigated major antitrust cases in state and federal courts throughout the United States at both the trial court and appellate levels. Some of the antitrust cases in which the firm has held a leadership role are:

In re American Express Anti-Steering Rules Antitrust Litigation (II) Court File No. 11-MD-02221 (EDNY). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was co-lead counsel and is a member of the Executive Committee in this massive merchant antitrust case alleging claims of monopolization.

In re American Express Consolidated Merchants Litigation, Court File No. 04-CV-00366 (SDNY). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is co-lead counsel in this massive merchant antitrust tying case. This case was heard in the United States Supreme

Court sub nom, American Express Company, et al. v. Italian Colors Restaurant, et al., 133 S Ct. 2304 (June 20, 2013).

In re Bromine Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. IP 99-9310-C-B/S (S.D. Ind.). Mark Reinhardt served as lead counsel in this multi-district antitrust class action alleging a nationwide conspiracy to fix the prices of certain bromine products. The plaintiff class recovered nearly \$10,000,000 in cash and product vouchers.

In re Commercial Tissue Products Antitrust Litigation, MDL No. 1189 (N.D. Fla.). The firm was on the executive committee and participated in extensive discovery in this national antitrust case alleging price fixing in the paper products industry. The plaintiff class recovered in excess of \$40,000,000 in settlements.

Kirk Dahl et al., v. Bain Capital Partners LLC, et al., Court File No. 07-cv-12388 (D. Mass.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy among some of the world's largest private equity firms to not compete when bidding on large leveraged buyouts. The plaintiff class recovered in excess of \$590 million in settlements.

In re: European Rail Pass Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 00-Civ.691-WCC (S.D.N.Y). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as lead counsel in this antitrust class action alleging price fixing of the commission paid to travel agents selling passes for European rail travel. The plaintiff class recovered \$375,000 in cash and \$888,000 in rail passes from two defendants who, in the wake of downturns in the travel industry, faced serious financial difficulties and potential bankruptcy.

In re: Industrial Silicon Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 95-2104 (W.D. Pa.). The firm served as co-lead and trial counsel in this class action alleging defendants conspired to fix the price of ferrosilicon, silicon metal and ferrosilicon products in violation of U.S. antitrust laws. Lead counsel negotiated \$22.5 million in settlements from six defendants on behalf of the plaintiff class.

Marcus Corporation v. American Express, Court File No. 04-05432 (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is co-lead counsel in this pending anti-trust case challenging the tying of credit cards to charge cards.

<u>In re: Potash Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 3-93-197 (D. Minn.). The firm served a co-lead counsel in this national antitrust class action alleging the major producers of potash conspired to artificially inflate prices.

In re Rubber Chemicals Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 02-19278 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served on the discovery and expert witness committees in this indirect purchaser antitrust class action and served as lead counsel for the Minnesota case. As lead counsel, Garrett Blanchfield obtained a unanimous reversal of defendants' motion to dismiss from the Minnesota Supreme Court. Lorix v. Crompton Corp., et al, 734 N.W.2d 619 (Minn. 2007). The plaintiff class recovered \$3,798,225 in settlements.

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In addition, the firm has played a significant role in most of the recent cases alleging nationwide violations of federal antitrust laws.

In re Aftermarket Filters Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 08-cv-4883 (N. D. Ill.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel and participated in significant document review in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy to fix the prices and allocate customers for aftermarket air, oil, fuel and transmission filters in violation of §1 of the Sherman Act. Counsel recovered \$18,000,000 on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: ACTOS End-Payor Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 13-cv-09244 (SDNY). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in the antitrust case alleging defendants engaged in an anticompetitive scheme to allocate and unreasonably delay competition in the market for the prescription drugs ACTOS and ACTOSplus.

In Re: Aggrenox Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 14-md-2516-SRU (D. Conn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendants participated in an anti-competitive scheme to delay generic competition for Aggrenox, including a "pay-for-delay" settlement to delay entry of a generic version of the drug. Endpayor class plaintiffs recovered \$54,000,000 in settlements.

In re Air Cargo Shipping Services Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 06-md-01775-JG-VVP (EDNY). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and participated in document review in this class action alleging antitrust violations in the air cargo shipping services market. More than \$848 million has been recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: Aluminum Warehousing Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 13-md-2841 (SDNY). The firm is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy to increase aluminum stockpiles and load-out delays in order to inflate the Platts Midwest Premium, a key component of aluminum contracts, and thereby drive up aluminum prices.

In Re: Anadarko Basin Oil and Gas Lease Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. CIV-15-209-HE (W.D. Okla.). Mr. Blanchfield served on the Executive Committee in this class action lawsuit alleging defendants fixed the prices paid to leaseholders in exchange for the right to explore for and produce minerals on the land. \$6.95 million in settlements have been recovered on behalf of class plaintiffs.

In re Aspartame Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 06-1732-LDD (E.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging price fixing in the sweeteners industry.

In re ATM Fee Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 04-cv-02676-CRB (N. D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel and participated in significant discovery in this antitrust case relating to bank fees for ATM card usage.

In Re: Automotive Parts Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 12-md-02311 (E.D. Mich.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel and participated in extensive discovery in this massive antitrust case alleging defendants engaged in a decade-long conspiracy to unlawfully fix and artificially raise the price of many automotive parts resulting in increased prices to both automotive manufacturers and consumers. The plaintiff class has recovered \$1.04 billion in settlements.

Binz, et al. v. Amadeus IT Group, S.A., et al., Court File No. 1:15-cv-05457-KPF (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in the antitrust case alleging defendants conspired to fix the price of a service used by airlines to communicate ticket pricing. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was responsible for plaintiffs' discovery and depositions.

In re Blood Reagents Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 09-md-2081 (E.D. Pa.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this class action alleging a conspiracy to artificially fix, raise and/or stabilize the price of Blood Reagents in the United States resulting in millions in market overcharges to plaintiffs and class members. Almost \$40,000,000 in settlements has been recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: Blue Cross Blue Shield Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 13-cv-20000 (N.D. Ala.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represents a class of subscribers alleging defendants engaged in a conspiracy to allocate markets in order to establish and maintain monopoly power throughout the regions in which they operate in violation of the Sherman Act. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves on the brief writing committee, worked on trial preparation, analyzed defendant privilege logs which include preparing objections and attending related meet and confers, and participated in extensive document review and trial preparation.

Boland v. Consolidated Multiple Listing Service, Inc. et al., Court File No. 09-cv-1974-SB (D.S.C.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this case alleging unlawful restraint of competition among real estate brokerages in violation of federal antitrust laws.

In re: Brand Name Prescription Drugs Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 94-C-897 N.D. Ill.). The firm performed substantial work including serving as a member of the trial team, representing the class in this prescription drug antitrust price fixing case that recovered over \$700 million in settlements on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Broiler Chicken Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 16-cv-08637 (N.D. Ill.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendants conspired to illegally fix, raise, maintain and stabilize the price of broiler chickens. The firm participated in extensive document review and preparation of witness packets for depositions.

In re Cattle Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 19-cv-01222-JRY-HB (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendant meat packing conglomerates engaged in an illegal conspiracy to suppress the price paid to the producers of fed cattle.

Chicago Ingredients, Inc. v. Archer Daniels and Midland Company, Inc., Ajinomoto U.S.A., Inc., Ajinomoto Co., Inc., Chiel Foods and Chemicals, Inc., Miwon Co, Ltd., Takeda Chemical Industries, Ltd., Takeda U.S.A., Inc., and Tong Hai Fermentation Industrial Corp., Master File No. CV-00-0384 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this multi-district antitrust class action.

In re Carbon Black Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 03-cv-10191 (D. Mass.). The firm served as class counsel in this national antitrust class action alleging specialty chemicals manufacturers conspired to fix the prices for carbon black sold in the united states in violation of federal antitrust laws. \$16,000,000 in settlements were recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re: Carbon Dioxide Industry Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. MDL 940 (M.D. Fla.) Our attorneys and paralegals performed substantial work representing the class in this antitrust case alleging that the major manufacturers of bulk liquid carbon dioxide engaged in a horizontal agreement to fix prices. The plaintiff class recovered \$53 million in settlements along with significant therapeutic relief.

In Re: Cathode Ray Tube (CRT) Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 3:07-cv-05944-SC, MDL No. 1917 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a national conspiracy to fix the price of, cathode-ray tubes ("CRTs") and products containing CRTs. Over \$149,000,000 in settlements was obtained on behalf of the plaintiff class.

CC1 Limited Partnership, et al v. Horizon Lines, Inc., et al, Court File No. 08-cv-01467-DRD (D.P.R.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy to suppress and eliminate competition in the market for coastal water freight transportation services between the United States and Puerto Rico. Class counsel negotiated \$52,250,000 in settlements on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Chocolate Confectionary Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. MDL 1935 (M.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy to fix the prices of chocolate in the worldwide chocolate market.

In re Cigarette Antitrust Litigation, Court File No.1:00-CV-0447-JOF (N.D. Ga.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served on the expert witness committee in this nationwide antitrust case against the major manufacturers of cigarettes.

In Re: Domestic Air Transportation Antitrust Litig., MDL File No. 861 (N.D. Ga.). The firm served as class counsel in this class action alleging violations of federal antitrust laws related to airfare pricing. Counsel negotiated settlements totaling \$458,000,000 on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re: Domestic Drywall Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 13-md-2437-MMB (E.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging manufacturers conspired to fix, raise, stabilize and maintain the prices of gypsum board in violation of Federal Antitrust laws. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield did extensive

discovery work, including taking the deposition of one of the defendants. Over \$170,000,000 in settlements have been obtained on behalf of the settlement class.

In re DRAM Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. MDL 1486 (C.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel and participated in extensive discovery in this antitrust case alleging a national conspiracy to fix the price of D-RAM, a type of computer chip. Counsel negotiated settlements in the amount of \$325,997,000 on behalf of the plaintiff class.

Matthew Edwards v. National Milk Producers Federation et. al., 11-cv-4766-JSW (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represented two of the named plaintiffs in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy to limit the production of raw farm milk in violation of Federal Antitrust laws. The firm handled discovery for the named plaintiffs, including defending their depositions. The plaintiff class recovered \$52,000,000 in settlements.

Expressions Hair Design v. Schneiderman, Court File No. 13-cv-3775-JSR (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this case alleging the New York nosurcharge law, N.Y. Gen. Bus. Law § 518, violates the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, is unconstitutionally vague, and is preempted by federal antitrust law.

In re Fasteners Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. MDL 1912 (E.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a national conspiracy to fix the price of fasteners, zippers, snaps, hooks & eyes, rivets, eyelets and similar fastening devices. Counsel recovered \$17,550,000 in settlements for the plaintiff class.

In re Flash Memory Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 07-0086 SBA, MDL 1852 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this indirect purchaser antitrust class action alleging a national conspiracy to fix the price of flash memory chips which were used in a variety of applications, including, memory cards, USB storage devices, digital audio devices, mobile wireless technology, game consoles and personal computers.

In re Flat Glass Antitrust Litigation (II), Court File No. 08-cv-180-DWA (W.D. Pa.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and worked extensively with the economic experts in this antitrust case alleging a national conspiracy to fix the prices of Construction Flat Glass. Over \$22.3 million in settlements was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re Flat Glass Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 97-cv-550 (*W.D. Pa.*). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was on the executive committee of this antitrust case alleging a horizontal price fixing conspiracy. Class counsel recovered \$61.7 million in settlements on behalf of the class.

Fond du Lac Bumper Exchange, Inc., et al. v. Jui Li Enterprise Co., et al, Court File No. 09-cv-00852 (E.D. Wis.) The firm served as class counsel in this national class action alleging a conspiracy to fix the price of aftermarket auto sheet metal parts in violation of

Federal antitrust laws. Settlements in excess of \$28,000,000 have been recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Graphics Processing Units Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 07-cv-01826-WHA, (N. D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this indirect purchaser class action alleging violation of federal antitrust laws related to Graphics Processing Units and Cards.

Grubb Lumber Company, Inc. v. Masonite Corporation et al., Court File No. 18-cv-00718-JAG (E.D. Va). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendants participated in an illegal collusive pricing scheme for interior molded doors. The firm has participated in extensive document review as well as prepared documents for and attended depositions.

In re High Fructose Corn Syrup Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 95-1477, MDL No. 1087 (D. Ill.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and participated in extensive discovery in this national antitrust case alleging horizontal price fixing by the major manufacturers of high fructose corn syrup. \$431,000,000 in settlement were recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re High Pressure Laminates</u>, Court File No. 00-MD-1368 (CLB) (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging price fixing in the high pressure laminate industry. The plaintiff class recovered \$9.5 million in settlements.

In re Hydrogen Peroxide Antitrust Litigation Court File No. 05-1339, MDL 1682 (E.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging price fixing in the manufacture and sale of Hydrogen Peroxide and its downstream products sodium perborate & sodium per carbonate. Counsel obtained over \$87.3 million in settlements from four defendants on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re International Air Transportation Surcharge Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 06-cv-01793-CRB (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this class action alleging antitrust violations related to fuel surcharges in the air transportation industry. Counsel obtained \$59,007,273 in settlements on behalf the class of U.S. Ticket purchasers and £48,339,176 on behalf U.K. ticket purchasers.

In re K-Dur Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 01-1652-JAG (D.N.J.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and participated in discovery in this antitrust market allocation class action alleging unlawful pay-for-delay agreements between Schering-Plough Corporation, Upsher-Smith Laboratories and American Home Products Corporation related to extended-release potassium chloride tablets and capsules. A settlement in the amount of \$60,000,000 was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

Kleen Products, LLC, et al v. Packaging Corporation of America, et al., Court File No. 10-cv-5711 (N.D. II.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this class action alleging violation of federal antitrust laws. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield oversaw discovery of one of the defendants in this case in which plaintiffs recovered \$375,400,000 in settlements.

<u>In Re: Lidoderm Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 14-md-02521 (N.D. Cal.). The firm is class counsel in this class action alleging defendants engaged in an anticompetitive scheme to delay availability of a generic version of the lidocaine patch Lidoderm. Settlements in the case totaled \$166,000,000.

<u>In re Linen Services Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 03-cv-7823-GEL (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging price fixing in the linen services industry. Counsel negotiated settlements in the amount of \$6.3 million in cash and \$2.9 million in vouchers on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re Linerboard Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 99-CV-2549 (E.D. Pa). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served on the expert witness committee and participated in extensive discovery in this antitrust class action alleging the manufacturers of corrugated linerboard conspired to fix prices on a nationwide level. The Plaintiff class recovered over \$200 million in settlements.

In Re: Lithium Ion Batteries Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 13-md-02420-YGR (N.D. Cal.). The firm is class counsel in this antitrust class action alleging the Manufacturers of Lithium Ion Batteries engaged in a conspiracy to unlawfully fix and artificially raise the prices of Lithium Ion Rechargeable Batteries in violation of federal antitrust laws. Settlements totaling \$70,450,000 have been negotiated on behalf of the plaintiff class.

McDonough, et al v. Toys "R" Us, Inc., et al., Court File No. 06-cv-0242-AB (E.D. Pa.). The firm is class counsel and participated in substantial discovery in this pending class action alleging antitrust violations in the baby products market. Settlements totaling \$35.5 have been obtained on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: Medical X-Ray Film Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. CV-93-5904-CPS (E.D.N.Y.). The firm was on the executive committee in this national class action alleging price fixing in the medical x-ray film industry. The Plaintiff class recovered \$39,360,000 in settlements.

<u>In re Milk Products Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 3-96-458 (D. Minn.). The firm was on the steering committee of this Minnesota antitrust case alleging a regional conspiracy to fix the price of milk.

In re Monosodium Glutamate Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 00-md-1328 PAM/JGL (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield participated in extensive document review in the antitrust case against the producers of MSG. The plaintiff class recovered \$123,400,000 in settlements.

<u>In re NASDAQ Market Makers Antitrust Litigation</u>, *Court File No. 94 Civ. 3996 RWS* (*S.D.N.Y.*). The firm performed substantial work representing the class in this case alleging market manipulation by the market makers in the National Association of Securities Dealers. Over \$1 billion in settlements was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re NCAA Student-Athlete Name and Likeness Licensing Litigation, Court File No. 09-cv-1967 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel and represents one of the named plaintiffs in this class action alleging per se violations of federal antitrust laws by engaging in a price-fixing conspiracy and a group boycott/refusal to deal that has unlawfully foreclosed class members from receiving compensation in connection with commercial exploitation of their images following their conclusion of intercollegiate athletic competition. A \$40 million settlement was reached with two of the defendants. A trial against the remaining defendant resulted in the Court finding that the NCAA's rules prohibiting compensation for likeness use was an antitrust violation and issued a permanent injunction against those rules.

In Re: National Football League's "Sunday Ticket" Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 15-md-02668 (C.D. Cal.). The Firm is class counsel in this case filed on behalf of bars and restaurants alleging defendants colluded to charge supra-competitive prices for out of market NFL games via DirecTV's NFL Sunday Ticket package.

In Re: Niaspan Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 13-md-2460 (E.D. Penn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendants engaged in a multifaceted anticompetitive scheme to exclude competition by preventing, suppressing and delaying entry of generic versions from the market for the prescription drug Niaspan.

In re Online DVD Rental Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 09-md-2029 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel and has participated in extensive discovery in this class action alleging monopolization and illegal restraint of trade in the on-line DVD rental market. Class counsel has negotiated a settlement of \$27,250,000 from one of the defendants.

In re Optical Disk Drive Products Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 10-md-2143 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this class action alleging violation of federal antitrust laws in the optical disk drive market. Counsel negotiated settlement totaling \$37,750,000 on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re OSB Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 06-CV-00826-PSD (E.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging a conspiracy to fix the price of OSB board. RWB worked with the experts, participated in extensive discovery and was in charge of the discovery efforts against one of the defendants. The plaintiff class recovered over \$120,000,000 in settlements.

In Re: Packaged Ice Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 08-md-1952-PDV (E.D. Mich.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel and represented one of the named plaintiffs in this antitrust case alleging a national conspiracy to fix the price of packaged ice. The defendants in this case declared bankruptcy, however, counsel was able to negotiate a settlement of \$700,000 with Reddy Ice.

<u>In re Payment Card Interchange Fee and Merchant Discount Antitrust Litigation</u>, *MDL 05-1720-JG-JO (S.D.N.Y.)*. RWB is co-lead counsel of a subset of allegations against Visa and MasterCard and is participating in extensive discovery in this massive anti-trust

case against the issuers of credit cards. Counsel recovered in excess of \$6 billion in settlement on behalf of the plaintiff class.

Performance Labs, Inc., et al. v. American Express Co., et al., Case No. 06-cv-2974-SWK (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is co-lead counsel in this case alleging that the restrictions placed on merchants by American Express are antitrust violations.

In re Photochromic Lens Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 10-md-2173 (M.D. Fla.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this class action alleging violation of federal antitrust laws.

In re Plastic Cutlery Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 96-728 (E.D. Pa.). The firm was co-lead counsel in this national antitrust case alleging the major manufacturers of plastic cutlery engaged in a horizontal agreement to fix prices. The Plaintiff class recovered over \$1.1 million in settlements.

In Re: Plastic Tableware Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 94-CV-3564 (E.D. Pa.). The firm was co-lead counsel in this national antitrust case alleging the major manufacturers of injection molded plasticware engaged in a horizontal agreement to fix prices. Plaintiff class recovered \$9 million in settlements.

In re Polypropylene Carpet Antitrust Litigation, Master File No. 4:95-CV-193-HLM, MDL Docket No. 1075 (N. D. Ga). The firm was on the executive committee and participated in extensive discovery in this national antitrust case alleging price fixing of polypropylene carpet. The plaintiff class recovered over \$7 million in settlements.

In re Polyurethane Foam Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 10-md-2196-JZ (N.D. Ohio). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this antitrust class action alleging violation of federal antitrust laws. The plaintiff class recovered over \$275,500,000 in settlements.

In re Pool Product Distribution Market Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 12-md-02328-SSV, (E.D. La) The firm serves as class counsel in this national antitrust class alleging the Defendants entered into agreements and attempted to monopolize the market for Pool Products in violation of antitrust laws. Counsel negotiated settlements totaling \$15,950,000 on behalf of class plaintiffs.

In re Pork Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 18-cv-01776-JRT-HB (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendants engaged in an illegal conspiracy to coordinate output and limit production as a means to increase the price of pork in the United States.

In re Pressure Sensitive Labelstock Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 03-MDL-1556 (M.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and participated discovery in this antitrust case alleging price fixing in the pressure sensitive label industry. Settlements of \$46.5 million have been recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re Publication Paper Litigation</u>, Court File No. 3:04-MD-1631 (D. Conn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this nationwide antitrust case alleging price fixing of coated and uncoated magazine paper.

In Re: Puerto Rican Cabotage Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 08-md-1960 (D.P.R.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this antitrust case alleging Jones Act shipping companies engaged in a conspiracy to fix prices for ocean shipping services between the United States and Puerto Rico. \$52,000,000 in settlements were recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Refrigerant Compressors Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 02-md-02042 (E.D. Mich.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this pending class action alleging a conspiracy to fix, raise, maintain and/or stabilize prices of, and allocate the worldwide market for, hermetically sealed refrigerant compressors. The plaintiff class recovered \$48.4 million in settlements.

Robertson v. Sea Pines Real Estate Companies, Inc. et al., Court File No. 10-cv-0095-SB (D.S.C.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this case alleging the MLS and various real estate brokerage firms engaged in a conspiracy to restrain competition in the Beaufort/Hilton Head South Carolina area by enforcing unlawful rules, regulations, by-laws, policies, and procedures that caused Plaintiff and the class members to pay higher prices for real-estate-brokerage services.

<u>Seiver et al. v. Time Warner</u>, *Court File No. 03-CV-7747(S.D.N.Y.)*. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was co-lead counsel in this antitrust class action alleging Time Warner entered into illegal tying arrangements which required its subscribers to lease unwanted cable modems as part of their subscription fee for cable modem high-speed internet access.

In re Static Random Access Memory (SRAM) Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 07-cv-01819-CW (N.D. Cal.). The firm was class counsel in this class action case alleging a national conspiracy to fix the price of SRAM, a type of computer chip. Over \$76 million in settlements has been recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: Steel Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 08-cv-5214 (N.D. Ill.). The firm is class counsel in this antitrust case alleging defendants engaged in a scheme to artificially restrict the supply of steel products in the United States, thereby allowing defendants to charge supra-competitive prices. Settlements in excess of \$163,000,000 have been negotiated on behalf of the plaintiff class with three defendants remaining in the case.

In Re: TFT-LCD (Flat Panel) Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. M: 07-1827 SI, MDL No. 1827 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel and is participating in extensive discovery in this pending antitrust case alleging a national conspiracy to inflate and stabilize the prices of Thin-Film Transistor Liquid Crystal Displays. Almost \$1.1 billion was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Transpacific Passenger Air Transportation Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 07-cv-5634 (N.D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this class action alleging a long-running international conspiracy to fix the prices of trans-

Pacific air passenger transportation and the fuel surcharges on this transportation. Over \$147,000,000 has been recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: Treasury Securities Auction Antitrust Litigation, Court File No. 15-md-02673 (S.D.N.Y.). The firm is class counsel in this class action alleging defendants engaged in a scheme to manipulate the market for U.S. Treasury bills, notes and bonds in violation of federal antitrust laws.

<u>Universal Delaware, Inc., d/b/a Gap Truck Stop v. ComData Corporation,</u> Court File No. 07-cv-1078-JKG-HSP (E.D. Pa.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and participated in discovery in this class action case alleging anti-competitive conduct related to transaction fees on Comdata Proprietary Card Transactions. Defendants collectively agreed to pay \$130,000,000 in cash settlements.

<u>In re Urethane Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 04-1616 (D. Kan.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represents the class in this ongoing antitrust class action alleging price fixing in the sale of urethane and urethane chemicals. More than \$1.144 billion was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

.<u>In re Vitamins Antitrust Litigation</u>, Court File No. 99-197-TFH (D.D.C). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and participated in extensive discovery in this national antitrust case alleging price fixing in the bulk vitamins industry. This case recovered over \$1 billion in settlements from several of the defendants.

SECURITIES CLASS ACTION LITIGATION

The attorneys of Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield are well-known for their class action securities litigation practice. The firm has represented classes of shareholders throughout the country, recovering millions of dollars for defrauded shareholders. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield aggressively pursues these cases on behalf of shareholders and other victims injured by corporate fraud, misrepresentation, breaches of fiduciary duty, and other financial wrongdoings. Some of the securities cases in which the firm played a significant role are:

In Re: ADC Telecommunications, Inc. Shareholder Litigation, Court File No. 27-cv-10-17053 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this derivative case in which the Defendants agreed to make disclosures related to the acquisition.

Bruce Bosshart et. al v. Manugistics Group, Inc., Court File No. 98-CV-1504 (D. Minn.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in this securities fraud class action that recovered \$2 million on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In Re: Caribou Coffee, Inc. Shareholder Litigation, Court File No. 27-cv-12-24893 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as local counsel in this shareholder litigation alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the decision by the Caribou Board of Directors to sell the company to Joh A. Benckiser Group. As a result of this litigation, Defendants agreed to make additional disclosures about the transaction.

<u>In re Ceridian Corporation</u> Court File No. 04-CV-03704-MJD-JGL (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action.

<u>Unger v. Chronomed, Inc. et al</u> Court File No.: MC 04-12272 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this Minnesota securities fraud class action.

<u>In Re Computer Learning Centers Securities Litigation</u>, Court File No. 98-859-A (E.D. Va.). The firm was co-lead counsel in the securities class action alleging violation of federal securities laws. Class counsel recovered over \$7.5 million in cash and stock on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>Craig Anderson, et. al. v. EFTC Corporation, et al.</u>, Court File No. 98-CV-962 (D. Colo.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in the securities class action that recovered \$6 million on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>Don Blakstad et al v. Net Perceptions, Inc. et al.</u> Court File No. 03-17820 (D. Minn.). The firm served as class counsel in this securities fraud class action.

<u>In re Engineering Animation Securities Litigation</u>, *Court File No. 4-99-CV-10117 (C.D. Iowa)*. The firm served as class counsel in this securities fraud class action that recovered \$7.5 million on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In Re: FSI International, Inc. Shareholder Litigation</u>, Court File No. 10-cv-12-1118 (Carver County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as local counsel in this shareholder class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the acquisition of FSI by Tokyo Electron Limited.

<u>In re Future Health Care Securities Litig.</u>, Court File No. C-9-95-180 (S.D. Ohio). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this securities class action that recovered \$5.75 million in settlements on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re Gander Mountain Securities Class Action</u>, Court File No. 05-CV-0183 DWF/JSM (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this securities fraud class action.

Greenblatt v. Nash-Finch Company et al., Court File No. 27-cv-13-13710 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was local counsel in this shareholder case alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the merger of Nash-Finch with SS Delaware, Inc. As a result of this case, the defendants agreed to make additional disclosures related to the transaction.

Scott Halliday, et al. v. Lawson Software, Court File No. 62-cv-3669 (Ramsey County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison counsel in this Minnesota direct shareholder class action for breach of fiduciary duty related to the takeover of Lawson Software by CGC Software Holdings. As a result of this case, the defendants agreed to make additional disclosures to shareholders.

Hennepin County, Minn.) 1986 Recycling Bond Litigation, Court File CT 92-22272 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel and served on the executive committee in this Minnesota class action representing bondholders who alleged improper redemption. The plaintiff class recovered over \$10.6 million in settlements.

IBEW Local 98 Pension Fund v. Best Buy Co., Inc., Court File No. 11-429 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was plaintiffs' counsel in this class action alleging violations of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

<u>In re Imperial Credit Industries, Inc., Securities Litigation</u>, Case No. CV 98-8842 SVW (C. D. Cal.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as co-lead counsel in this securities fraud class action.

International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 132 Pension Plan v. International Multifoods Corp., et al. Case No. CV 04-1361 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison counsel in this securities class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the merger between International Multifoods Corp. (IMC) and Smucker. As a result of this class action, IMC agreed to include additional information in the Registration Statement related to the merger.

Jones v. Sherman Black, et al., Court File No. 27-cv-10-2804 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this shareholder action alleging breach of fiduciary duty. This case was consolidated with the In Re: Compellant Technologies, Inc. Shareholder Litigation in Delaware Chancery Court where counsel was able to negotiate additional disclosures and amendments to the merger agreement between Dell and Compellant.

<u>Jim Pierce, et al. v. Americredit Corp., et al.</u>, Court File No. 4:03-CV-026-Y (N.D. Tex.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this securities fraud class action.

Joshua Teitelbaum v. Rural Cellular Corporation, et al., Court File No.: 21-CV-07-1145 (Douglas Cty, Minn. District Court). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this Minnesota stockholder class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the sale of Rural Cellular Corporation to Verizon Communications. As a result of this litigation, Defendants agreed to make additional significant disclosures about the transaction.

Kirk Dahl, et al. v. Charles Schwab & Co., Inc., 524 N.W.2d 746 (Minn. 1994) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was co-lead counsel in this class action alleging violations of stockbroker fiduciary duty.

In Re: Lakes Entertainment Shareholder Litigation, Court File No. 27-cv-15-1990 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was local counsel in this shareholder class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty.

Long v. Eschelon Telecom, Inc. et al. Court File No.: 27-cv-07-6687 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this Minnesota securities class action alleging self-dealing and breach of fiduciary duty. As a result of this case, the defendants agreed to make additional disclosures to shareholders.

<u>Lusk v. Life Time Fitness, Inc.</u>, Court File No. 15-cv-01911 (D. Minn.). The Firm serves as local counsel in this class action alleging violations of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 related to the buyout of Lifetime Fitness by a consortium of investors that included Life Time's founder and CEO.

<u>In re Metris Securities Litigation</u>, Court File No. 02-3677 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action that settled for \$7,500,000.

In re Nash Finch Securities Litigation, Court File No. 05-02934 ADM-AJB (D. Minn). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this class action alleging violations of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The plaintiff class received \$6,750,000 in settlements.

In re Navarre Corp. Securities Litig., Court File No.: 05-1151-PAM-RLE (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison class counsel in this securities fraud class action that recovered \$4,000,000 on behalf of the class plaintiffs.

<u>In re Pemstar Securities Litigation</u>, Court File No.02-1821 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison class counsel in this securities fraud class action that settled for \$12,000,000.

In re Piper Funds, Inc. Institutional Government Income Portfolio Litigation, Court File No. 3-94-587 (D. Minn.). The firm performed substantial work representing the class in this national class action alleging violation of federal securities laws. Settlements totaling \$70 million were recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

Police Pension Fund of Peoria v. Capella Education Company, Court File No. 10-cv-04474 (D. Minn.). The firm was counsel for the plaintiff class in this securities fraud case alleging defendants made false statement and failed to disclose adverse facts known to them about Capella which caused class members to pay inflated prices for Capella common stock and suffer economic loss when the adverse facts became known in the market.

<u>In re Powerwave Technologies Inc. Securities Litigation</u>, Court File No. SACV-98-605-GLT (C.D. Cal.) The firm served as co-lead counsel in this national securities class action that recovered \$3 million on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Putnam Mutual Funds Investment Litigation, MDL Docket No. 1590. Court File No. 04-mc-15863 (D. Md.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this mutual fund timing class action which recovered \$3,225,500 in settlements for the plaintiff class.

Reinhardt et al. v. Strong, et al, Court File No. 03-CV-7438-PKC (S.D.N.Y). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this mutual fund timing class action. \$13,678,500 in settlements was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re Retek Securities Litigation</u>, Court File No. 02-CV-4209 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this securities fraud class action.

In Re: Rochester Medical Corp. Shareholder Litigation, Court File No. 55-cv-13-6107 (Olmstad County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield Served as local counsel in this shareholder action alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the sale of Rochester Medical Corp. to C.R. Bard. Inc. As a result of this case, the defendants agreed to make

certain supplemental disclosures regarding material information concerning the merger to ensure shareholders were fully informed.

Rowe v. St. Paul Travelers Companies, Inc., Court File No. 04-cv-4576-JRT-FLN (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this derivative case which resulted in changes to the company's Corporate Governance Policy.

<u>In re Rural Cellular Litigation</u>, Court File No. 03-CV-121 (D. Minn.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action.

<u>Sailors v. Northern States Power Co.</u>, Court File No. CV 3-91-479 (D. Minn.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in this securities fraud class action.

In Re: SHFL Entertainment, Inc., Court File No. 27-cv-13-13529 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as local counsel in this shareholder action alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the acquisition of SHFL by Bally Technologies. As a result of this case, the defendants agreed to make additional material supplemental disclosures related to the transaction.

In Re the Sportsman's Guide, Inc. Litigation, Court File No. 19-C6-06-7903 (Dakota County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this securities class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty related to the acquisition of Sportsman's Guide, Inc. by Redcats USA, Inc. As a result of this litigation, Defendants agreed to make significant disclosures about the transaction.

In re St. Paul Companies Securities Litigation, Court File No. 02-3825 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as co-liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action. Over \$4,000,000 in settlements was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Stellent, Inc. Securities Litigation, Master File No. CV-03-4384-RHK-AJB (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action that recovered \$12,000,000 for the Plaintiff class.

In re SuperValu Securities Litigation, Court File No. 02-CBV-1738 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as co-liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action. Over \$6,000,000 in settlements was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

Svenningson v. Piper, Jaffray and Hopwood, et al., File No. 3-85-921 (D. Minn.). The firm was co-lead counsel in this securities class action alleging failure to perform due diligence. Plaintiff class recovered \$4,000,000 in settlements.

In Re: Synovis Life Technologies, Inc. Shareholder Litigation, Court File No. 62-cv-11-10039 (Ramsey County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as local counsel in this class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty. A settlement was reached in which defendants agreed to make certain additional material disclosures related to the merger with Baxter International, Inc.

In re Transcrypt International Securities Litigation, Master File No. 4:98-CV-3099 (D. Neb.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was co-lead counsel in this securities fraud class action. The plaintiff class recovered \$3.85 million in cash and 4.46 million shares of common stock. An additional \$11.75 million in settlements was obtained from the accountants and underwriters.

<u>In re Tricord Systems Inc. Securities Litigation</u>, *Master File No. 3-94-746 (D. Minn.)*. The firm was class counsel and served on the executive committee in this securities fraud class action.

In re United Health Group Incorporated PSLRA Litigation, Court File No. 06-1691 JMR-FLN (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was liaison counsel in this securities class action that recovered \$925,500,000 in settlements on behalf of the class in addition to significant corporate governance reforms.

In re Xcel Securities, Derivative & "ERISA" Litigation, Master File No.02-2677-DSD-FLN (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as liaison counsel in this securities fraud class action. Class counsel negotiated a settlement in the amount of \$80,000,000 for the plaintiff class.

<u>Young v. ev3, Inc et al.</u>, Court File No. 27-cv-10-14045 (Henn. County, Minn). The firm was class counsel in this shareholder class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty.

CONSUMER AND RICO LITIGATION

The attorneys of Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield have zealously protected consumer rights in state and federal courts, including the United States Supreme Court. Cases the firm has successfully litigated include deceptive acts and practices in the areas of lending, false and deceptive advertising, fraud, breach of contract, misrepresentation, unsafe food, dishonest and deceptive marketing practices, invasion of privacy issues, violations of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, and other violations of consumers' rights. Some of the consumer and RICO cases in which the attorneys of Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield played a significant role are:

In Re: 100% Grated Parmesan Cheese Marketing and Sales Practices Litigation., Court File No. 16-cv-05802 (N. D. Ill.). The firm currently serves on the executive committee in this consumer class action challenging the false and deceptive advertising practices of numerous manufacturers of Parmesan Cheese.

In re American Medical Collection Agency, Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litigation, Court File No. 19-md-02904-MCA-MAH (D.N.J.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as class counsel in this consumer privacy class action.

Boyd Demmer, et al v. Illinois Farmers Insurance Group, Court File No. MC 00-017872 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging violation of Minnesota Statutes relating to the collection of insurance premiums for wage loss coverage on automobile policies. As a result of this litigation, counsel obtained refunds of a portion of the PIP premiums paid by class members.

Buchet, et al. v. ITT Consumer Financial Corporation, et al., File No. 3-91-809 (D. Minn.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in this national consumer class action alleging RICO violations and forgery. Counsel recovered \$6.4 million in settlements on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>Camp v. the Progressive Corporation, et al.</u> Court File No. 01-2680 (E.D. La.). The firm served as class counsel and participated in significant discovery in this class action alleging violation of state overtime laws. The plaintiff class recovered over \$6,000,000 in settlements.

In Re: Caterpillar, Inc. C13 and C15 Engine Products Liability Litigation, Court File No. 14-cv-03722 (D.N.J.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represents one of the named plaintiffs in this class action alleging MY2007 engines suffer from a common design defect that renders MY2007 CAT engines unreliable, resulting in the engine failing, derating, or requiring repowering.

<u>City of Wyoming v. Procter & Gamble Company, et al.</u>, Court File No. 15-cv-02101-JRT-TNL (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represents the named plaintiff in this class action filed on behalf of municipalities for damages caused to sewer systems and waste treatment facilities by "flushable wipes."

In Re: Conagra Peanut Butter Products Liability Litigation, Court File No. 07-mdl-1845-TWT (N.D. Ga.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this product liability class action related to peanut butter that was contaminated with salmonella. Millions of dollars in settlements were paid out to individual claimants.

<u>Denton v. Newell Window Furnishings, Inc.</u>, Court File No. 97CH01556 (Cook County, Ill.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in this product liability class action related to lead contained in mini blinds.

<u>Elliot v. ITT, et al.</u>, Court File No. 90-C-1841 (N.D. Ill.). The firm served as lead counsel in this consumer class action alleging RICO violations and insurance packing.

Frankle v. Best Buy Co., Inc., Court File No. 08-cv-5501-JRT-JJG (D. Minn.). The firm was liaison counsel in this consumer class action alleging the improper installation and venting of dryers in consumer homes. As a result of this case, Best Buy agreed to replace improper dryer venting with heavy metal or semi-rigid duct vent at no cost to the consumer or to reimburse class members their reasonable out-of-pocket expenses if they have already replaced the improper venting.

In Re: General Motors LLC Ignition Switch Litigation, Court File No. 14-md-2543 (S.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represents the class in this case alleging defendants knowingly sold motor vehicles containing defective ignition switches. These defective switches were cutting off engine power, thus disabling critical functions, such as power steering, power braking and airbags, needed to safely operate vehicles.

Gerriets et al v. Western National Mutual Insurance Company, Court File No. MC 00-016563 (Henn. County, Minn.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging violation of Minnesota Statutes relating to the collection of insurance premiums for wage loss coverage on automobile policies. Counsel obtained refunds of a portion of the PIP premiums paid by class members.

Good v. Ameriprise Financial, Inc., et al, Court File No. 06-CV-1027-DWF-SRN (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this consumer class action related to the payment of commissions.

H. J. Inc. v. Northwestern Bell Telephone Co., 492 U.S. 229, 109 S.Ct. 2893 (1989) Mark Reinhardt served as lead counsel and both briefed and successfully argued before the Supreme Court of the United States in this national consumer class action alleging RICO bribery. (H.J., Inc. v. Northwestern Bell, 109 U.S. 2893 (1989)).

Hall v. State of Minnesota et al., Court File No. 62-cv-15-2112 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this case alleging defendants violate the due process clauses of the United States and Minnesota Constitutions by taking possession of property it knows it does not own then selling, keeping or otherwise benefitting from unrestricted us without providing adequate notice to the rightful owners.

Hamline Park Plaza Partnership, et al. v. Northern States Power Company, Court File No. CT 95-004816 (Henn. County, Minn.). The firm served as lead counsel in this Minnesota class action alleging consumer fraud and deceptive trade practices related to Northern States Power's Lighting Retrofit Program.

Hara v. USAA Casualty Insurance Company, Court File No. 10-cv-3944 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel for this Minnesota class action for damages and equitable relief arising from Defendant's failure to calculate insurance premiums correctly using information available to it, in breach of its obligations under its form insurance policies and under Minnesota statutory law.

Hawkins v. Thorp Loan Credit & Thrift Company, File No. 85-6074 (Henn. County, Minn.). The firm served as lead counsel in this Minnesota consumer class action alleging violation of the Minnesota Small Loan Act. Counsel obtained over \$47 million in cash refunds and product discounts on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Herbal Supplements Marketing and Sales Practices Litigation, Court File No. 15-cv-5070 (N.D. Ill.). Reinhardt Wendorf and Blanchfield represents one of the named plaintiffs in this class action alleging certain store brand herbal supplements did not contain the ingredients the product label claimed the product contained, or, contained other substances that were not disclosed on the packaging for those herbal supplements.

<u>In Re High Carbon Concrete Litigation</u>, *File No.:* 97-20657 (*Henn. County, Minn.*). The firm was lead counsel in this consumer case brought on behalf of a class of approximately 1000 class members alleging violations of the Minnesota Deceptive Trade Practices Act and the Minnesota Prevention of Consumer Fraud Act. The class-wide settlement provided for complete replacement of the defective concrete application at no cost to the consumer.

<u>Hohn v. ITT</u>, Court File No. 4-87-808 (D. Minn.). The firm served as lead counsel in this RICO and consumer fraud class action.

<u>In re Jetblue Airways Corp. Privacy Litigation</u>, Court File No. 04-md-1587 (E.D.N.Y.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this consumer privacy class action.

Johnson v. American Family Mutual Insurance Company, Court File No. 10-cv-4224 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel for this Minnesota class action for damages and equitable relief arising from Defendant's failure to calculate insurance premiums correctly using information available to it, in breach of its obligations under its form insurance policies and under Minnesota statutory law.

Johnson v. The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Court File No. 11-cv-00023 (D. Minn.). The Firm was counsel for the plaintiff class in this case alleging guaranteed lifetime annuity payments were drastically reduced in violation of the contract Plaintiffs entered into with the Defendants.

Joseph King v. The Home Depot, Inc. Court File No. 1:04-00239-WQD (D. Md.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging improper assignment of credit card payments. \$4 million in settlements was recovered for the plaintiff class.

Kluessendorf v. Progressive Preferred Insurance Company, Court File No. 10-cv-3945 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel for this Minnesota class action for damages and equitable relief arising from Defendant's failure to calculate insurance premiums correctly using information available to it, in breach of its obligations under its form insurance policies and under Minnesota statutory law.

Lynette Lijewski, et al. v. Regional Transit Board, et al., Court File No. 4-93-Civ-1108 (D. Minn.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in this Minnesota class action alleging violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Counsel obtained significant therapeutic relief as well as a cash settlement on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Marriott International Customer Data Security Breach Litigation, Court File No. 19-md-02879-PWG (D. Md.). The firm serves as class counsel in this consumer privacy class action.

In Re: McCormick & Company, Inc. Pepper Products Marketing and Sales Practices Litigation, Court File No. 15-mc-1825-ESH (D.D.C.). The firm is plaintiffs' counsel in this class action alleging defendants deceived customers by selling partially empty containers of black pepper, a practice in the food industry commonly known as nonfunctional slack fill.

Naficy et al v. Sprint Spectrum, L.P., Court File No. CV-98-4093-CBM(Shx) (C.D. Cal.). The firm was lead counsel in this California class action alleging the Sprint PCS wireless network had not been developed to a sufficient level to allow Sprint PCS to meet anticipated demand and, as a result, the quality of service did not meet the level of quality promised in Sprint PCS advertisements. The plaintiff class settled with Sprint for restitution totaling 10% of the total airtime charges up to \$20 per account, for a specified month.

In Re: National Football League Players' Concussion Injury Litigation, Court File No. 12-md-02323 (D. Penn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is class counsel in this case alleging long-term chronic injuries and financial losses suffered as a result of the Defendants wrongful conduct with respect to concussive brain injuries sustained by Plaintiffs during their NFL careers. Counsel for the class negotiated a settlement that includes medical testing and cash payments of \$1.5-\$5 million per player, depending on

diagnosis as well as \$10 million to be spent on education programs to promote safety and injury prevention.

<u>Nelson v. Citibank</u>, *Court File No. 4-29-287 (D. Minn.)*. The firm served as lead counsel in this national consumer class action alleging violations of the National Bank Act.

<u>In re Northwest Privacy Litigation</u>, *Civil File No. CV 04-0126 (D. Minn.)*. The firm was lead counsel in this consumer class action alleging release of confidential customer information in violation of the Electronic Communications Privacy Act, 18 U.S.C. §2701 *et seq.*, and state and federal law.

Leonard & Eileen Olson, et al v. American Family Mutual Insurance Company, Court File No. MC 00-016519 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging violation of Minnesota Statutes relating to the collection of insurance premiums for wage loss coverage on automobile policies. Counsel obtained refunds of a portion of the PIP premiums paid by class members.

Palmer v. Illinois Farmers Insurance Company, Court File No. 10-cv-3956 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel for this Minnesota class action for damages and equitable relief arising from Defendant's failure to calculate insurance premiums correctly using information available to it, in breach of its obligations under its form insurance policies and under Minnesota statutory law.

Park v. Konica Minolta Photo Imaging, I.S.A., Inc., File No. 2:05-cv-5519-HAA (D.N.J.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as lead counsel in this national consumer case alleging the deceptive marketing of defective digital cameras. The relief provided in the settlement extended the warranty period with respect to the defective product and, class members received repair of the defective product; reimbursement for the cost of repairs if the consumer had already had the camera repaired; or a partial reimbursement of costs if the consumer bought a new digital camera (regardless of manufacturer).

In re Pet Food Products Liability Litigation, Court File No. 07-cv-2867 (D.N.J.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this products liability class action alleging contaminated pet food products caused the illness and/or death of thousands of cats and dogs across the United States. \$24,000,000 in settlements was recovered on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In re Plaid Inc. Privacy Litigation</u>, *Master Docket No. 4:20-cv-03056 (N.D.Cal.)*. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is on the Executive Committee in this consumer action alleging that defendant illegally obtained access to users' banking information.

Rathbun v. W.T. Grant, 219 N.W.2d 641 (Minn. 1974). Mark Reinhardt served as lead counsel in this consumer class action alleging usury. The case was one of the first class actions brought under the new rules in Minnesota.

Raymond Arent et al v. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, Court File No. MC 00-016521 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging violation of Minnesota Statutes relating to the collection of insurance premiums for wage loss coverage on automobile policies. Counsel settled the case and obtained refunds of a portion of the PIP premiums paid by class members.

Roth v. Life Time Fitness, Inc. et al., Court File No. 15-cv-03270 (D. Minn.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as plaintiffs' counsel in this class action alleging failure to pay wages due and owing for work performed by fitness instructors. Counsel obtained a settlement of \$750,000 on behalf of the plaintiff class.

<u>In Re Salmonella Litigation</u>, *File No. P194-016304 (Henn. County, Minn.* The firm served as lead counsel in this national consumer class action filed on behalf of individuals who became ill after consuming salmonella bacteria contained in ice cream. Plaintiff class recovered approximately \$4.5 million in settlements for the plaintiff class.

In Re Schmitt Music Litigation, File No. 3-93-116 (D. Minn.). The firm served as lead counsel in this consumer class action alleging RICO and usury violations in the state of Minnesota related to the Defendant's "Instrument Trial Purchase Plan" which was marketed to the parents of students in school band programs. The Plaintiff class recovered \$2.5 million in settlements.

Streich v. American Family Mutual Ins. Co., 399 N.W.2d 210 (Minn. Ct. App. 1987). The firm served as lead counsel in this consumer class action alleging consumer fraud. Counsel obtained a substantial settlement for the class.

Sutton v. FCA Restaurant Company LLC, Court File No. 08-cv-5122-ADM-JJK (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield was class counsel in this class action related credit card numbers and expiration dates being printed on customer receipts in violation of the Fair Credit Reporting Act. Class members received vouchers for free food at defendant's restaurants to settle the case.

In Re: Syngenta Litigation, Court File No. 27-cv-15-3785 (Hennepin County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield represented one of the named plaintiffs in this Minnesota case alleging the defendant introduced genetically modified corn without first obtaining approval from China, causing lost revenue to corn producers. The firm prepared the named plaintiff for trial and defended his day-long deposition. The plaintiff class recovered \$1.51 billion in settlements which is believed to be the largest agricultural settlement in U.S. history.

<u>In re Synthroid Marketing Litigation</u>, *Court File No. 97-cv-6017 (N.D. Ill.)*. Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel and participated in extensive discovery in this class action related to the marketing of thyroid medication. Over \$87 million in settlements were paid out to the plaintiff class.

In Re: Takata Airbag Products Liability Litigation, Court File No. 15-MD-2599 (S.D. Fla.). The firm is counsel for the plaintiff class in this products liability class action related to defective Takata airbags installed in many motor vehicles. Plaintiffs' allege the defective airbags often fail to protect vehicle occupants from bodily injury during accidents, either when they fail to deploy or when they violently explode, sometimes expelling metal debris and shrapnel at vehicle occupants.

In Re: Target Corporation Customer Data Security Breach Litigation, Court File No. 14-md-0522 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield serves as Coordinating Liaison Counsel and represents a class of financial institution plaintiffs alleging they have suffered substantial losses as a result of Target's failure to adequately protect its sensitive payment data. Counsel negotiated a settlement of \$39,4000,000 on behalf of the plaintiff class of financial institutions.

<u>Tripp, et al. v. Aetna, et al.</u>, Court File No. 90-0008JC (D.N.M.). The firm served as lead counsel in this consumer class action alleging violations of the small loan act and RICO violations.

Percic Enterprises, Inc. v. European Autoworks, Inc., Court File No. 09-cv-03629 (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this class action involving claims under the Telephone Consumer Protection Act.

<u>Small v. Target Corp.</u>, Court File No. 13-1509 (D. Minn.) Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging violation of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act.

Tyler v. Hennepin County, et al., Court File No. 20-cv-00889-PJS-BRT (D. Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield is lead counsel in this class action alleging that Hennepin County has violated the constitutional rights of homeowners whose homes have ben forfeited for failure to pay taxes.

Geraldine Tyler v. State of Minnesota et al., Court File No. 62-cv-19-6012 (Ramsey County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield co-lead counsel in this suit alleging that the Minnesota violates the state and federal constitutions when it takes real property for nonpayment of taxes and retains all proceeds from the sale of the property.

In re U.S. Bancorp Litigation, Master File No. 99-891 (D. Minn.). The firm served as co-lead counsel in this national consumer class action alleging breach of fiduciary duty in the release of personal customer data. Counsel obtained a settlement of \$5 million in cash and product refunds on behalf of the plaintiff class.

In re Volkswagen and Audi Warranty Extension Litigation, Court File No. 07-md-1790 (D. Mass.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in the national consumer fraud case related to defendant's defective design of the 1.8 litre turbo-charged engines found in model year 1197-2004 Audi vehicles and model year 1998-2004 Volkswagen Passat vehicles. As a result of the litigation, the defendant agreed to reimburse

class members 50-100% of their out-of-pocket costs for oil sludge related engine repairs and replacements and reasonable related expenses.

In Re: Volkswagen "Clean Diesel" Marketing, Sales Practices, and Products Liability Litigation, Court File No. 15-md-2672 (N.D. Cal.) The firm is counsel for the plaintiff class in this case alleging Volkswagen deceptively and falsely manufactured, marketed and sold to consumers "clean" diesel automobiles as having low emissions and high fuel efficiency and vehicle performance when, in fact, vehicles contained emissions cheating software that produced false emissions results when tested.

Wright, et al. v. Capella Education Company et al., Court File No.: 18-cv-01062-WMW-SER (D. Minn.). Mr. Blanchfield is co-lead counsel in this class action alleging that an online educational institution uses deceptive trade practices to cause students to enroll.

<u>Yost, et al v. Allstate Insurance Company</u>, Court File No. MC 00-016522 (Henn. County, Minn.). Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield served as class counsel in this case alleging violation of Minnesota Statutes relating to the collection of insurance premiums for wage loss coverage on automobile policies. Counsel obtained refunds of a portion of the PIP premiums paid by class members.

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Mark Reinhardt is a founding partner in Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield. Prior to forming Reinhardt Wendorf & Blanchfield, Mark Reinhardt co-founded Reinhardt & Anderson in 1979. He is a 1971 graduate of Columbus School of Law, Catholic University of America, and recipient of the Reginald Heber Smith Fellowship in 1971 and again in 1972. The Fellowship allowed him to work in the area of significant class action litigation. He is admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of Minnesota and is a member of the bars of the

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