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Robert Addison is a Shareholder and Administrative Chair of the Firm's Litigation Practice Group in Los Angeles. Mr. Addison represents banks and financial institutions, film financiers, utility and telecommunications companies, and other corporations, large and small, in business litigation matters in both state and federal courts. He has wide-ranging experience in general business and commercial litigation matters, including banking operations, banking and mortgage fraud, creditors' rights, bankruptcy, real property disputes, film finance disputes, unfair competition, class actions, provisional remedies and enforcement of judgments.

Mr. Addison is also an experienced appellate lawyer. He successfully represented Comerica Bank in *Zengen v. Comerica Bank* (2007) 41 Cal.4th 239, where he was lead counsel on the case from the inception in the Los Angeles Superior Court, through the appeal of Comerica's successful summary judgment, and into the California Supreme Court, where he argued the case before the high Court. Other examples of his success are his victory on appeal in a case involving approximately \$25 million on behalf of a film-financier bank, where he obtained summary judgment on behalf of the bank and was victorious on appeal of that judgment, and in an arbitration where he and his litigation team obtained an award of more than \$20 million against a Canadian film producer and his related companies who defrauded a major film finance bank.

He is a member of the Los Angeles County Bar Association, Litigation and Remedies section.

Mr. Addison earned his J.D. at Loyola Law School in 1995, where he served on the Loyola Law School Scott Moot Court Honors Board, and his B.A. in Philosophy from Loyola Marymount University in 1991.

### Areas of Practice

Litigation

Financial Institutions Litigation

Appellate

Real Estate Litigation

Unfair Competition

Class Action Litigation

### Bar Admissions

California

Texas

### Court Admissions

U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas

U.S. District Court for the Central District of California

U.S. District Court for the Southern District of California