



# **Stephanie Fiereck**

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Stephanie Fiereck, Esq. is a senior director of Epiq Legal Noticing, leading the Notice Expert Services team. As a notice expert with over 24 years of legal experience, she consults directly with clients to share her extensive knowledge regarding all aspects of class action noticing.

She has written over 1,000 expert notice adequacy declarations, and written or reviewed hundreds of notices, all approved by federal or state courts in the U.S. and courts in Canada. She has a keen understanding of what judges are looking for, and how to withstand judicial scrutiny, satisfy due process, and provide plain language notice to class members.

### **Professional Experience**

During her career, Stephanie has worked on class action cases involving consumer protection, antitrust, product liability, data breach, securities, and human rights issues. Examples of her work on some of the largest and most complex cases include:

- In re Google Location History Litigation
- In re Juul Labs, Inc. Marketing, Sales Practices, and Products Liability Litigation
- In re Zoom Video Communications, Inc. Privacy Litigation
- In re Capital One Data Consumer Security Breach Litigation
- In re U.S. Office of Personnel Management Data Security Breach Litigation
- Browning, et al. v. Anheuser-Busch, LLC (Lime-A-Rita)
- Prescott, et al. v. Reckitt Benckiser, LLC (Woolite)
- In re McKinsey & Co., Inc. National Prescription Opiate Consultant Litigation
- In re fa!rlife Milk Products Marketing and Sales Practices Litigation

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#### **OUT OF CURIOSITY**



**Book you've read multiple times?** "The Great Alone" by Kristin Hannah.



Coffee or tea? lced tea.



Sweet or savory? Sweet.



- In re Morgan Stanley Data Security Litigation
- In re Flint Water Cases
- In re Midwestern Pet Foods Marketing, Sales Practices and Product Liability Litigation
- In re Cattle and Beef Antitrust Litigation
- In re Waste Management Data Breach Litigation
- In re Takata Airbag Products Liability Litigation (OEMs BMW, Mazda, Subaru, Toyota, Honda, Nissan and Ford), MDL No. 2599
- In re Oil Spill by the Rig "Deepwater Horizon" in the Gulf of Mexico on April 20, 2012
- In re Payment Card Interchange Fee and Merchant Discount Antitrust Litigation, MDL No. 1720
- In re Energy Future Holdings Corp., el. al. (Asbestos Claims Bar Date Notice)
- In re Checking Account Overdraft Litigation, MDL No. 2036
- In re Residential Schools Class Action Litigation, Canada

Prior to joining Epiq, Stephanie was a vice president at Wells Fargo Bank for five years where she led the class action services business for the company. There, she managed high-profile settlements involving millions of class members in antitrust, shareholder derivative actions, consumer litigation, and employment wage and hour settlements.

## Education

Stephanie holds a Juris Doctor from the University of Oregon School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts from St. Cloud State University where she graduated magna cum laude. Stephanie is an active member of the Oregon State Bar.

## **Publications**

Stephanie has published many articles about class action noticing and administration requirements, including:

- "A Practical Guide to Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Publication Notice." [E-book]. May 2017.
- "Tips for Responding to a Mega-Sized Data Breach." Law360, May 2016.
- "What You Need to Know About Frequency Capping In Online Class Action Notice Programs." BNA, Inc. The Bureau of National Affairs, Inc. Class Action Litigation Report, June 2014.
- "Planning for the Next Mega-Sized Class Action Settlement." Law360, February 2014.
- "Class Action Legal Noticing: Plain Language Revisited." Law360, April 2013.
- "Consultant Service Companies Assisting Counsel in Class-Action Suits." New Jersey Lawyer, Vol. 14, No. 44, October 2005.
- "Expand Your Internet Research Toolbox." The American Bar Association, The Young Lawyer, Vol. 9, No. 10, July/August 2005.
- "Class Action Reform: Be Prepared to Address New Notification Requirements." BNA, Inc. The Bureau of National Affairs, Inc. Class Action Litigation Report, Vol. 6, No. 9, May 2005.
- "Bankruptcy Strategies Can Avert Class Action Crises." TMA The Journal of Corporate Renewal, September 2004.