

Product Liability Litigation Overview

Jones Day has been at the forefront of product liability litigation for decades. Our experience extends to industries, products, and issues in the following areas: asbestos, [automotive](#), [aviation](#), [chemicals](#), [class actions](#), connected devices, [consumer products](#), cybersecurity, industrial equipment, [international issues](#), lead paint, [multidistrict litigation](#), [pharmaceuticals/medical devices](#), [punitive damages](#), tobacco, [toxic tort litigation](#), toys, and trains.



EXPERIENCE IN HUNDREDS OF JURY TRIALS

Our lawyers have tried high-stakes, headline-making cases in state and federal courts throughout the United States. More than 50 of our lawyers have served as lead or second-chair trial counsel in product liability trials. We have tried hundreds of product liability cases, including more than 100 jury trials in the last five years alone. The breadth and depth of our group allows us to field large numbers of experienced trial teams for lengthy, simultaneous trials. The types of matters we handle, with significant financial and reputational risk to our clients, would seem even less likely to make it to trial, yet we try hundreds of cases because our clients recognize we are excellent trial lawyers in whom they are willing to entrust issues so significant to them that they are willing to go to court.

INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS TO MASS TORTS

Proven, recent experience managing and achieving successful outcomes, including managing to budget, real-time analysis of litigation metrics for business decision-making, and cost-effective docket reduction strategies in mass-tort actions involving multiple claimants.

FULL-SERVICE REPRESENTATION

Extensive experience in all aspects of product liability litigation, including working with expert witnesses, pre-trial Daubert hearings, multidistrict litigation, class actions, congressional hearings, criminal and governmental investigations, as well as traditional personal injury trials and appeals.

DEPTH AND DIVERSITY

Broad geographic reach, with product liability lawyers in 19 Jones Day offices, and substantive experience with a broad spectrum of products and industries, enables us to effectively match Jones Day lawyers with particular cases and jury pools for optimal results.

LEGAL ISSUES LAWYERS

We have also resolved many cases—and significantly reduced damages—through pre- and post-trial strategies with the involvement of lawyers from Jones Day's Issues & Appeals Practice. Our team includes exceptional appellate lawyers who work primarily on product liability issues, including many former U.S. Supreme Court law clerks. Appellate lawyers are embedded in the trial teams to help shape and preserve legal issues at trial for potential appeals, as well as provide thought leadership on emerging and complex legal issues.

CONTACT

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