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**Arielle B. Adler** is an associate in the Roseland, N.J., office of Lowenstein Sandler LLP, where her practice focuses on corporate bankruptcy and creditors' rights matters, including bankruptcy-related litigation. She previously represented management clients in a wide range of labor and employment matters before federal and state courts and administrative agencies. Ms. Adler is dedicated to promoting diversity and inclusion in the legal profession, and is a frequent speaker on these issues. She is an active member of the firm's LGBTQ Alliance, with a particular emphasis on its recruiting, retention and strategic-planning initiatives. In addition, she manages the firm's Name Change Project in partnership with the Transgender Legal Defense & Education Fund, which provides low-income transgender individuals with representation in legal name change proceedings. Her *pro bono* practice also includes representing low-income individuals seeking relief in chapter 7 proceedings. She previously served as a court-appointed attorney for clients in guardianship proceedings and drafted an employee handbook for a nonprofit organization focused on empowering students to attend and succeed in college. Outside of the firm, Ms. Adler holds a number of positions within the New Jersey State Bar Association (NJSBA). She recently completed her term as chair of the LGBT Rights Section and serves as its immediate past chair for the 2021-22 term, and she serves as treasurer of its Federal Practice and Procedure Section. Ms. Adler was also appointed by the president of the NJSBA to co-chair the NJSBA's standing Diversity Committee for the 2021-22 term. She is a member of the Association of the Federal Bar of New Jersey (AFBNJ) and serves as vice chair of the Chapter 11 Practice Subcommittee of its Bankruptcy Committee. In addition, she is an active member of the International Women's Insolvency & Restructuring Confederation (IWIRC), serving on its Diversity, Inclusion and Belonging Committee, and the National LGBT Bar Association. Ms. Adler was selected as a 2019 National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges Hon. Cornelius Blackshear Presidential Fellow. She previously clerked for Hon. Stacey L. Meisel and was a term law clerk for Hon. Rosemary Gambardella, both of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey. Ms. Adler received her B.A. in 2009 in psychology from the University of Southern California and her J.D. in 2013 from Boston College Law School, where she received an Environmental Law Society Certificate in Land and Environmental Law, Public Interest Designation, and was editor-in-chief of *Law and Religion* and program co-chair of the Lambda Law Students Association.

**Hon. Andrew B. Altenburg, Jr.** is a U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the District of New Jersey in Camden, appointed on May 19, 2014. Prior to his appointment, he clerked for Hon. Daniel J. Moore in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey in Newark, as an associate with the firm of Davis, Reberkenny & Abramowitz in Cherry Hill, N.J., and as the sole shareholder of Andrew B. Altenburg, Jr., Esquire P.C. in Marlton, N.J. Judge Altenburg has served as an editor, author and frequent lecturer/panelist to various professional and educational organizations. He also served as the court liaison to the Hon. Judith H. Wizmur Bankruptcy *Pro Bono* Project at Rutgers School of Law – Camden. Judge Altenburg received his B.A. *cum laude* from Niagara University and his J.D. from the University of Dayton School of Law.

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**Hon. Kevin J. Carey** is a partner in Hogan Lovells US LLP's Business Restructuring and Insolvency practice in Philadelphia and is a retired bankruptcy judge. He represents both companies and creditors in domestic and cross-border bankruptcy proceedings. Judge Carey was first appointed to

the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania in 2001, then in 2005 began service on the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (as chief judge from 2008-11). During that time, he authored more than 200 reported decisions, issued important rulings on key issues such as valuation, fiduciary duties and other complex chapter 11, confirmation issues, and presided over high-profile cases, including *Exide Technologies*, *Tribune Co.* and *New Century Financial*. Judge Carey is ABI's President-Elect, a past global chairman of the Turnaround Management Association and an honorary member of the Turnaround, Restructuring and Distressed Investing Hall of Fame. He also is a Fellow of the American College of Bankruptcy and a member of the International Insolvency Institute, and he is a member of the National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges. In addition, he was the first judge to serve as global chair of the Turnaround Management Association. Judge Carey lectures worldwide on bankruptcy issues and is a contributing author to *Collier on Bankruptcy*. In addition, he is a part-time adjunct professor in the LL.M. in Bankruptcy program at St. John's University School of Law in New York City. Judge Carey began his legal career in 1979 as law clerk to Bankruptcy Judge Thomas M. Twardowski, then served as clerk of court in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. He received his B.A. in 1976 from Pennsylvania State University and his J.D. in 1979 from Villanova University School of Law.

**Hon. Ashely M. Chan** is a U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. Prior to taking the bench, she was a shareholder at Hanglely Aronchick Segal Pudlin & Schiller and concentrated her practice in the areas of bankruptcy and corporate restructuring. From 1996-97, Judge Chan clerked for Hon. Gloria M. Burns of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey. Before joining HASPS, she was an associate at Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP in its business and finance section, where she focused on bankruptcy, corporate restructuring and corporate finance. Judge Chan has received numerous recognitions, including being selected as a Leader in Bankruptcy/Restructuring by *Chambers USA*, being listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* for Bankruptcy and Creditor-Debtor Rights, and being listed as a Pennsylvania Lawyer on the Fast Track by *The Legal Intelligencer* and *Pennsylvania Law Weekly*. She also served as chair of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania Bankruptcy Conference and president-elect and board member of the Homeless Advocacy Project. Judge Chan received her J.D. in 1996 from Rutgers School of Law – Camden, where she received Tax Honors with Distinction and the Rutgers Pro Bono Publico Award.

**Hon. Maria Ellena Chavez-Ruark** is a U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Maryland in Baltimore, appointed in 2020. Prior to joining the bench, she was a partner in the Bankruptcy and Restructuring practice group at Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP in Baltimore, where she represented debtors, creditors' committees, secured creditors, unsecured creditors, landlords, lessors, purchasers of assets and trustees in complex insolvency proceedings, including chapter 11 bankruptcy cases, receiverships and assignments for the benefit of creditors. She also represented parties in workouts, restructurings and complex commercial litigation, including fraudulent transfer, deepening insolvency, breach of fiduciary duty and preferential transfer litigation. Judge Ruark was admitted to practice in the State of Maryland and the District of Columbia and represented clients in state and federal courts throughout the U.S. She is a past president of the Maryland Bankruptcy Bar Association, a member of ABI, the Immediate Past President of the Chesapeake Chapter of the Turnaround Management Association, a former member of the global executive board for the Turnaround Management Association, and the Immediate Past President of the *Pro Bono* Resource Center of Maryland. She is also a frequent speaker and author on various bankruptcy subjects. Judge Ruark was named to the *Lawdragon 500 Leading U.S. Bankruptcy & Restructuring Lawyers* in 2020. She was

also named one of “America’s Leading Lawyers for Bankruptcy/Restructuring” by *Chambers USA* from 2015-20, named in *The Best Lawyers in America* for Bankruptcy and Creditor-Debtor Rights Law from 2013-20, and selected for inclusion in *Maryland Super Lawyers* from 2010-20. In addition, in 2009, 2011 and 2020, she was named one of Maryland’s Top 100 Women in Business by *The Daily Record*, an annual award that recognizes leadership roles and outstanding professional, civic and mentoring achievements of professional women who reside and work in Maryland and who are making an impact on the state. Also in 2010, Judge Ruark was named one of the *Pro Bono* Resource Center of Maryland’s “pro bono stars” for her exemplary service and commitment to providing *pro bono* legal representation to Maryland’s underrepresented citizens. In 2006, she earned the first annual Educator of the Year Award by Maryland Volunteer Lawyers Service for her *pro bono* service in the State of Maryland. Judge Ruark served on her firm’s *Pro Bono* Committee and Diversity and Inclusion Committee for many years, chaired the firm’s Minority Attorney Resource Group in 2019 and 2020, and has mentored law students and young lawyers throughout her 26-year career. She received both her B.A. in accounting and her M.B.A. from Salisbury University and her J.D. from the University of Baltimore School of Law.

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**Hon. Elizabeth L. Gunn** is a U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Columbia in Washington, D.C., appointed on Sept. 4, 2020. A COVID-era selection and appointment, she was sworn in by Zoom from her living room. Prior to her appointment, Judge Gunn served as an Assistant Attorney General for the Commonwealth of Virginia as the sole the bankruptcy specialist for the Division of Child Support Enforcement. She also practiced law in Richmond, Va., at Sands Anderson PC and McGuireWoods LLP. In 2017, Judge Gunn was honored as a member of ABI's inaugural class of 40 Under 40. She currently serves on the board of the Federal Bar Association Bankruptcy Section, is a former board member of the International Women's Insolvency & Restructuring Confederation, is a former committee chair of ABI's Consumer and Litigation Committees, and is an Associate Editor of the *ABI Journal*. Judge Gunn is a member of the Walter Chandler Bankruptcy Inn of Court and is

Board Certified in Consumer Bankruptcy Law by the American Board of Certification. She received her B.A. *cum laude* from Willamette University and her J.D. *cum laude* from Boston College Law School.

**Hon. Michelle M. Harner** is a U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Maryland in Baltimore, appointed in 2017. Prior to her appointment to the bench, she was the Francis King Carey Professor of Law and the Director of the Business Law Program at the University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law, where she taught courses in bankruptcy and creditors' rights, business associations, business planning, corporate finance and the legal profession. Judge Harner lectured frequently during her academic career on various topics involving corporate governance, financially distressed entities, risk management and related legal issues. Her academic scholarship is widely published, with her publications appearing in, among others, the *Vanderbilt Law Review*, *Notre Dame Law Review*, *Washington University Law Review*, *Minnesota Law Review*, *Indiana Law Journal*, *Fordham Law Review* (reprinted in *Corporate Practice Commentator*), *Washington & Lee Law Review*, *William & Mary Law Review*, *University of Illinois Law Review*, *Arizona Law Review* (reprinted in *Corporate Practice Commentator*) and *Florida Law Review*. Judge Harner has served as the Associate Reporter to the Advisory Committee on the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the Reporter to the ABI Commission to Study the Reform of Chapter 11, and most recently chaired the Dodd-Frank Study Working Group for the Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts. She also served as the Robert M. Zinman ABI Resident Scholar for the fall of 2015. Judge Harner is an elected conferee of the National Bankruptcy Conference, an elected Fellow of the American College of Bankruptcy, and an elected member of the American Law Institute. She previously was in private practice in the business restructuring, insolvency, bankruptcy and related transactional fields, most recently as a partner at the Chicago office of the international law firm Jones Day. Judge Harner received her B.A. *cum laude* from Boston College in 1992 and her J.D. *summa cum laude* from The Ohio State University College of Law in 1995.

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**Hon. Kevin R. Huennekens** is a U.S. Bankruptcy Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia in Richmond, appointed on Sept. 11, 2006. Prior to his appointment, Judge Huennekens was a partner with the firm of Kutak Rock LLP. He also served as a panel trustee for the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Virginia (1988-2006) and is co-editor of the Virginia CLE publication *Bankruptcy Practice in Virginia* (2017). Judge Huennekens is a Fellow of the American College of Bankruptcy and a member of the National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges and ABI. He was also

recognized in *Who's Who Legal USA* in Insolvency and Restructuring and *The International Who's Who of Insolvency and Restructuring* in 2006, and was listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* from 1995-2006. Judge Huennekens was an adjunct professor of law at the College of William & Mary Marshall Wythe School of Law from 1993-96, and he successfully argued the case of *Patterson v. Shumate*, 405 U.S. 253, 112 S. Ct. 2242 (1992), before the U.S. Supreme Court. He is a planning committee member of the annual Mid-Atlantic Institute on Bankruptcy and Reorganization Practice and has also been a speaker at Virginia CLE courses on basic and advanced bankruptcy. He is also a co-editor of the Virginia CLE Publication, *Bankruptcy Practice in Virginia* (2017). Judge Huennekens chaired the Advisory Committee on Executory Contracts and Leases of the ABI Commission to Study the Reform of Chapter 11. He received his B.A. from the College of William & Mary and his J.D. from the Marshall-Wythe School of Law at the College of William & Mary, where he was a member of the Order of the Coif and its law review.

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