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Kilpatrick Townsend's Mary Craig Calkins Appointed to Two Top-Level Roles with the American Bar Association

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LOS ANGELES (August 15) – Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton announced today that partner **Mary Craig Calkins** has been appointed to two prominent roles with the **American Bar Association**. Ms. Calkins was appointed as the **Chair of the ABA's Section Officers Conference (SOC) Membership Committee**. She also has been appointed as the **Section of Litigation's Liaison to the ABA Standing Committee on Membership (SCOM)**. Ms. Calkins will serve a one-year term in both leadership positions in addition to her position as **Co-Chair of the Section of Litigation Membership & Marketing Committee**.

The ABA's SOC comprises the leadership of the ABA Sections, Divisions, and Forum Committees. For more information on the ABA's SOC, please click [here](#).

The ABA's SCOM is the Association's advocate for all current and prospective members of the ABA, ensuring that both ABA mission and goals are met and that revenue is generated to continue the Association's important work. For more information on the ABA's SCOM, please click [here](#).

The ABA's Section of Litigation is the premier association for lawyers involved in litigation and trial practice. The Section's mission is to provide litigators of all practice areas the resources needed to become successful and experienced advocates. For more information on the ABA's Section of Litigation, please click [here](#).

Mary Craig Calkins, who leads Kilpatrick Townsend's growing West Coast Insurance Practice, focuses her practice on insurance recovery for policyholders in complex, high-value matters. Her extensive coverage experience includes directors and officers liability, professional errors and omissions, entertainment and intellectual property claims, cyber liabilities, e-commerce and technology claims, labor and employment claims, construction defects, first party property and business interruption losses, and broker liability issues. Ms. Calkins also advises in-house counsel, senior executives and company management on how to maximize insurance protection and recovery.

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