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Keara's practice is focused on representing debtors, creditors' committees, and other parties in the context of complex Chapter 11 bankruptcies, as well as litigating adversary proceedings and other contested matters.

Committed to community service, Keara maintains a steady pro bono practice representing debtors in Chapter 7 bankruptcies, as well as unaccompanied minors in immigration proceedings. She recently served as the Alan V. Lowenstein Fellow at Essex-Newark Legal Services, where she represented low-income individuals in landlord-tenant disputes both in court and in administrative proceedings.

Keara has prior experience that includes positions as law clerk to the Honorable Dennis Cavanaugh, U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey, and legal intern at the Bishop Francis Center for Legal Immigration Services at Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Newark.

EXPERIENCE

- > Big M: District of New Jersey, counsel to debtors.
- > Exide Technologies: District of Delaware, counsel to official committee of unsecured creditors.
- > Love Culture: District of New Jersey, counsel to debtor.
- > American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME): Detroit's Chapter 9 bankruptcy.
- > KidsPeace Corporation: Eastern District of Pennsylvania, counsel to official committee of unsecured creditors.

NEWS & INSIGHTS

Publications

- > December 11, 2017
"What a Sears Lawsuit Against a Supplier Means for Retailers," *RetailDIVE*
, Keara Waldron
- > February 2016
"There Is Separation Between Church and Pension, and It May Impact Your Restructuring," *ABI Labor and Employment Committee News*
Keara Waldron

In the Media

- > November 6, 2019
Jeffrey Cohen, Nicole Fulfree, Michael A. Kaplan, Gabriel L. Olivera, and Keara Waldron are cited in a **Global Legal Chronicle** article highlighting Lowenstein's having been selected as counsel to the Committee of Unsecured Creditors in Chapter 11 proceedings for **Fred's, Inc.**, a discount general merchandise store operator. **View Lowenstein's news announcement about this representation.**
- > May 16, 2018
The **Global Legal Chronicle** highlights Lowenstein Sandler's selection as legal counsel to represent Gibson Brand's Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors in its Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceedings. The article notes that the Lowenstein team is led by **Jeffrey Cohen** and **Kenneth A. Rosen** and includes **Wojciech F. Jung, Andrew David Behlmann, Scott Cargill, and Keara Waldron**. Lowenstein's Delaware co-counsel on the engagement is Adam Landis of Landis Rath & Cobb LLP.
- > April 30, 2017
Jeffrey Cohen is quoted in **The Wall Street Journal** regarding the winning bids at auction of **Gander Mountain Co.** by **Camping World Inc.** and a contractual joint venture of liquidators, including **Gordon Brothers, Hilco, Tiger Capital, and Great American**. Substantially all of the assets of the outdoor retailer, including inventory, intellectual property,

and trademarks, were sold for approximately an aggregate of \$390M. Cohen and **Keara Waldron** represent the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors.

- > December 14, 2015
Kenneth A. Rosen and **Keara Waldron** write in *GlobeSt.com* regarding the variety of options landlords have when a tenant files for bankruptcy under the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- > Presenter, **Do I Really Need to Read This? Bankruptcy Filings Every Credit Manager Should Understand**, Outdoor Retailer Summer Market Pre-Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, July 25, 2017

EDUCATION

- > Seton Hall Political Science and American Studies University School of Law (J.D. 2011), cum laude, Distinguished Scholar, Center for Social Justice Scholar
- > University of Notre Dame (B.A. 2007), Political Science and American Studies

ADMISSIONS

- > New York
- > New Jersey