## Stoll Berne

## Defense of Alleged Violations of the Oregon Franchise Act

Retained less than two months before a three-week arbitration hearing to defend a franchisor and its principal in a matter involving alleged violation of the Oregon Franchise Act, fraud, breach of contract, and related claims, Stoll Berne successfully limited the client's personal exposure and, post-award, negotiated a complex settlement agreement which avoided financial ruin for the client.