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Governance's Often Pivotal Role in Litigation

Governance is playing an increasingly important role in business litigation.

- D&O damages are up sharply.
- Shareholder activist firms are increasing company attacks.
- Litigation funding firms continuing to emerge.
- FCPA fines and whistleblower awards continue to grow.

In a webinar presented on February 3, 2021 to the New York County Lawyer Association, HSG experts discuss evolving corporate governance issues, including the Caremark decision and the role of ethics, and how robust checks and balance within and among participants is critical for successful corporate governance.

The presenters illustrate these points with case studies, covering a range of actions and industries. At the core of each, however, is HSG's analysis of the business conduct and the related corporate governance structures and decisions that plays a critical role in the ultimate resolution.

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