

### Legal 500 US 2009 Recognizes Sheppard Mullin Partners and Practice Groups Among The Best in the Country, 2009

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The Legal 500 US named Sheppard Mullin's Bankruptcy, First Amendment Litigation, Entertainment, Advertising, Antitrust, M&A, Real Estate and Land Use practices as among the best in the country. The firm's Antitrust practice achieved a Tier One designation among West Coast practices. The directory named partners Bob Thompson, Joan Story, Bob Darwell and Marty Katz "Leading Lawyers," and also individually recognized attorneys Ed Tillinghast, Kevin Goering, Guylyn Cummins, James Chadwick, Tony Young, Kent Raygor, Shaun Clark, Ben Mulcahy, Gary Halling, Darryl Snider, Tom Hopkins, Randy Short, Larry Braun and David Sands.

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