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Attorney Steven Weiss to speak at 28th Annual Bankruptcy Bench Meets Bar Conference in Boston on May 24

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. – Regional law firm, <u>Shatz, Schwartz and Fentin, P.C.</u>, serving clients throughout western New England and New York, as well as nationally and internationally, today announced shareholder Steven Weiss will be a speaker at the <u>28th Annual Bankruptcy Bench Meets Bar Conference</u> at the Omni Parker House in Boston on Thursday, May 24, from 3–6 p.m.

Attorney Weiss will be part of a panel discussion about fraudulent transfer cases, including whether or not college tuition and student loan payments are recoverable as fraudulent transfers in the bankruptcy case of a student's parents, and when the Ponzi Scheme presumption applies. He will be joined by the Hon. Joan N. Feeney and Hon. Elizabeth Katz, both from the U.S. Bankruptcy Court, as well as two Boston attorneys.

A resident of Longmeadow, Attorney Weiss concentrates his practice in the areas of commercial and consumer bankruptcy, reorganization and litigation. He supervises the firm's bankruptcy, reorganization and workout practice, and represents creditors, debtors, and others in both commercial and consumer bankruptcy cases throughout Massachusetts.

Attorney Weiss is a graduate of the Boston University School of Law (1984). He has been recognized for his legal success by selection to the Super Lawyers list (2007–2017) and Best Lawyers[®] in America (2013–2018). He has been on the panel of Chapter 7 trustees since 1987 and maintains active memberships in the Hampden County and Massachusetts Bar Associations, American Bankruptcy Institute and National Association of Bankruptcy.

The Bankruptcy Bench Meets Bar Conference is an annual opportunity for bankruptcy professionals and Federal Bankruptcy Court judges to meet and share insights, observations and analysis on key issues. More information is available at <u>bostonbar.org/membership/calendar</u>.

About Shatz, Schwartz and Fentin, P.C.

The nationally recognized attorneys at Shatz, Schwartz and Fentin, P.C., concentrate their practices in the areas of business planning, estate planning, elder and special needs law, estate settlement, commercial lending and tax-exempt bond financing, commercial real estate transactions, environmental law, zoning and permitting, trust and estates litigation, commercial litigation, tax law and bankruptcy. The firm's institutional clients range from nonprofit corporations and closely held family enterprises to multinational corporations with operations throughout New England and eastern New York. The firm's philosophy is to place the client's needs first by providing tailored, results-oriented, cost-effective approaches to problem-solving and keeping current with innovative strategies. Founded in 1969 by two legal services attorneys, the firm of 13 attorneys has offices in Springfield and Northampton, Mass., and Albany, N.Y. Additional information about Shatz, Schwartz and Fentin can be found on its website, <u>ssfpc.com</u>.