

PANISH, SHEA & BOYLE LLP

“We are here to be the strength by your side,” is the motto of the attorneys at Panish, Shea & Boyle, a plaintiff’s law firm that leads the relentless pursuit of justice for those who have been catastrophically injured in plane, train, and automobile accidents, by defective products, harmful pharmaceuticals, and business fraud.

THE FIRM WORKS ON A CONTINGENCY BASIS in an effort to ensure that their clients don’t pay unless they’ve been properly compensated for the wrongs committed against them. The attorneys take on large corporations and government entities without regard for their size or power and refuse to give an inch to the companies that have already tried to take a mile. “A good plaintiff’s lawyer takes righteous cases and pushes them all the way to the end,” says Kevin Boyle.

ALL THREE EPONYMOUS PARTNERS—Mr. Boyle, Brian Panish, and Adam Shea— have been named among Southern California’s *Best Lawyers*®, to add to the other accolades they’ve collected over the years. Mr. Panish has been named one of the “100 Most Influential Lawyers in Nation” by the *National Law Journal* and Trial Lawyer of the Year by the Consumer Attorneys of Los Angeles, and both he and Mr. Boyle were listed as two of the “Top 100 Lawyers in California” by the *Daily Journal*. The firm itself was the only Los Angeles area law firm to be named a “Top 12 Plaintiffs Law Firms in the Nation” by the *National Law Journal*.



Kevin Boyle

Brian Panish

Adam Shea

TOGETHER, THE THREE LAWYERS HAVE OBTAINED OVER \$10 BILLION IN VERDICTS and settlements for their clients, winning such high profile decisions such as *Beltran v. Boeing*, in which the firm secured a \$13.55 million settlement from the manufacturers of the Apache helicopter that crashed in Iraq and injured two soldiers and injured two soldiers, a \$55 million verdict for injuries from a tire tread separation, and a \$49 billion product liability verdict from General Motors (all three are the largest of their kind). The firm also does business torts for small businesses that have been harmed by big corporations, as with the trademark infringement lawsuit *Positive Ions v. Ion Media Networks*, the first case to help define the rules of convergence between television and the internet.



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“**WE SEEK LARGE PUNITIVE DAMAGE AWARDS** to punish companies who put profit before safety—it’s the only way to make companies do something to make things safer for people,” says Mr. Boyle.

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FIRM FACT:

In reaching a \$27.4 million jury verdict for the death of a 4-year-old girl and injuries to three other pedestrians by a city truck that ran a red light and jumped onto the curb, Panish, Shea & Boyle obtained the largest verdict ever against the City and County of San Francisco.