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Paul R. Genender, leader of Weil's Litigation practice in Texas, is a seasoned litigator and trial lawyer with an established courtroom record representing clients in connection with a wide range of commercial disputes. Paul has particular expertise in commercial and restructuring litigation, including antitrust, deceptive trade practices, non-compete agreement and restrictive covenant, misappropriation and theft of trade secret, and securities fraud matters. He also counsels clients with regard to board governance, fiduciary duty, and other business law issues. Notable clients include Alaska Airlines, Celanese Corporation, CEC Entertainment, Deluxe Corporation, J. Crew, Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., Ross Stores, Sears Holdings Corporation, and Sheridan Healthcare Corporation.

Paul has been recognized for many years for his work by leading national and regional business publications. In 2021, Paul was recognized as just one of six national MVPs for Trials by Law360. He is also recognized by Chambers USA, where clients note that he has "superior intellectual skills matched with an equally impressive command of the law and an uncompromising commitment to winning," Legal 500, Best Lawyers in America, D Magazine, and Texas Super Lawyers.

Paul also is actively engaged as a leader in a number of professional, civic, and educational organizations. At Weil, Paul is Co-Chair of the Firm's Taskforce on Women's Engagement & Retention, sits on the Firm's Diversity Committee, and serves on the steering committee for the Weil Legal Innovators Program. Outside the Firm, Paul is a board member for Duke University School of Law, St. Mark's School of Texas and the Dallas Women Lawyers Association Foundation. In October 2020, he received the James E. Coleman, Jr. "Her Champion" Award in recognition of his support of and dedication to advancing women in the legal profession.

Paul graduated from Duke University School of Law in 1994 and from Duke University (magna cum laude; Phi Beta Kappa) in 1991.