ERISA & Excessive Fee Litigation by the Numbers

Nature of Allegations
- Record Keeper Fees
- Target Date Funds
- Individual Investment options/funds
  - Fees
  - Returns

43% of cases settled or resolved at trial
38% are still unresolved
Only 11% have had a dismissal

Top 10 States
1. California: 36
2. New York: 26
3. Massachusetts: 23
4. Michigan: 22
5. Illinois: 22
6. Wisconsin: 19
7. New Jersey: 13
8. Texas: 13
9. Virginia: 12
10. Pennsylvania: 11

Total Damages (2010-2022)
$1,110,434,468

2019 – 2022: CASE FILINGS

Data sourced from Lex Machina’s 2010 – 2022 Graph of ERISA claims
Why did we share this information?
We understand that the shift in the fiduciary liability insurance market has been dramatic over the past two years. To assist our broker and client partners in understanding the dynamics behind this shift, we have elected to share data that we have collected on excessive fees litigation trends.

Sompo International’s Fiduciary Liability Value Proposition
• Sompo International has been writing fiduciary liability business for over 10 years.
• Over the past 3 years we have made a more deliberate push to provide primary fiduciary solutions for our Insureds and distribution partners.
• Our primary focus is on expanding relationships where we write other management liability coverage by offering a compelling fiduciary liability insurance program.
• As the fiduciary liability market has hardened and other carriers have reduced capacity and narrowed their underwriting appetite, Sompo International maintained their commitment to provide fiduciary liability insurance solutions. This is evident by the 107% increase in primary policy count since the beginning of 2019 and our 400+ primary insured relationships and nearly 1,000 total insured relationships.
• We strive to achieve the correct balance of underwriting expertise, coupled with competitive terms and conditions, to provide sustainable insurance solutions and build lasting relationships with our trading partners.

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