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John L. Rogers is a retired partner with Foley & Lardner LLP, where he was a member of the firm's Securities Enforcement & Litigation Practice and the Energy Industry Team. He has represented corporate officers and outside accountants in SEC investigations concerning the adequacy of financial reporting, the sufficiency of internal controls and other matters. He has experience with the defense of administrative enforcement proceedings, and has counseled audit committees in connection with investigations of financial reporting and related conduct. In the financial services industry, John has represented federal banking agencies, banks, and savings associations in numerous matters regarding director and officer and professional liability; disputes involving lending and investment restrictions imposed by federal statutes and regulations; executive compensation and takeovers and reorganizations of financial institutions. In the energy industry, he has experience with claims involving nuclear decommissioning, nuclear operations, fuel and purchased power costs and other matters.

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