

Joseph M. Alioto has tried more antitrust cases than any other attorney. He has represented plaintiffs resulting in the largest judgments in the history of the antitrust laws since the 1890s.

He has represented independent companies and corporations of all sizes, farmers, inventors, patent holders, manufacturers, suppliers, wholesalers, retailers, distributors, unions, consumers, and entrepreneurs against foreign as well as domestic corporations.

The cases the Alioto Law Firm has tried have involved every major industry from manufacturing to service, trading to finance, supply to retail, transportation to mining, foreign and domestic.

Mr. Alioto has litigated over 350 antitrust cases, and has tried approximately one hundred antitrust trials in federal and state court involving issues relating to monopolization, attempts to monopolize, conspiracies to monopolize, price fixing, group boycotts, market and customer allocations, tie-in arrangements, exclusive dealing, commercial bribery, unlawful acquisitions and mergers, discriminatory pricing, predatory pricing, interlocking directorates, and other anti-competitive conduct.

He has won many high-profile cases, including:

- *Bray v. Safeway Stores, Inc., et al.* (1975): Cattlemen brought action against the three largest retail grocery chains for price-fixing, resulting in the largest judgement in the antitrust laws up to that time;
- *McDonald (Stimtech) v. Johnson & Johnson* (1979): Entrepreneurs brought suit against Johnson & Johnson for the suppression of the Tens devices to benefit Tylenol, resulting in the largest antitrust judgement up to that time;
- *The Raiders v. The NFL* (1983): Professional football team brought suit against the NFL for impeding the team's move from Oakland, CA, a landmark case resulting in the legality for professional sports teams to change markets; and
- *TFT v. LCD Indirect Purchasers* (2016): Consumers brought action against Japanese, Korean, and Taiwanese Companies for the price-fixing of flat panels, resulting in the largest all cash settlement in favor of consumers.

He has argued antitrust cases before the Supreme Court of the United States, the Supreme Court of the State of California, and the United States Courts of Appeal for the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, and Eleventh Circuits.

He has tried cases throughout the United States and has been admitted to practice in District Courts from Boston to Honolulu, including Las Vegas and Reno, Nevada.

He has lectured on antitrust laws, testified before committees of the United States Senate, the House of Representatives, and the Senate and Assembly of the State of California.

Mr. Alioto received his Juris Doctorate from the University of San Francisco School of Law in 1968, was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of California in January 1969.