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Mark Zigler is a partner in the pensions and benefits group at Koskie Minsky LLP and has over 40 years of experience. He also chairs the firm's class action committee. Mark served as the firm's managing partner from 2006 to 2012. He advises trustees of pension and benefits trusts as well as unions and groups of employees and pensioners. Mark has also acted as counsel in many high-profile cases and class actions across Canada involving pensions, benefits and other employment-related issues as well as major insolvency cases. He is co-editor and author of *Employee Benefits in Canada*, now in its fourth edition, and senior editor of the International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans *Canadian Legal & Legislative Reporter*. In 2009, Mark was named to the Ontario Advisory Council on Pensions and Retirement Income. In 2018-2019, he served as lead commission counsel to the Gillese Inquiry into long-term care homes in Ontario. Mark has consistently been recognized as a leading practitioner in the field of pensions and employee benefits by the Lexpert organization, The Best Lawyers in Canada, Chambers Global and Who's Who Legal Canada. He has also been selected to the Lexpert/American Lawyer Guide to the Leading 500 Lawyers in Canada. In 2015, Mark was awarded the Ontario Bar Association Award for Excellence in Pensions and Benefits Law. He regularly lectures on pension and benefits and class actions at various institutions including the International Foundation, Osgoode Hall Law School Continuing Education and the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.