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Janet (Zhanna) Kljyan has developed extensive experience with helping businesses and other institutional clients litigate and resolve their disputes across an array of industries, including real estate, health care, technology, insurance, manufacturing, education and non-profits. She routinely handles cases before federal and state courts and administrative agencies in New York as well as courts in other jurisdictions involving issues of contract, intellectual property, trade secrets, unfair trade practices, land use, and employment disputes. Janet is a member of our firm's Business Litigation group and a secondary member of the Intellectual Property + Technology Group.

Services

- Litigation
- Business Litigation + Dispute Resolution
- Government Enforcement + White-Collar Defense
- Website Compliance Law

Education

- Fordham University School of Law (Juris Doctor, *cum laude*)
 - Milton Young Award for Excellence in the Field of Taxation
- William E. Macaulay Honors College at Queens College (Bachelors, *summa cum laude*)
 - B.A., Economics and Urban Studies
 - M. Anne Hill Award for Outstanding Scholarship in Economics

Admissions

- State of New York

Recognitions

Presented with a certificate of recognition for dedicated service to the New York State Courts Access to Justice Program as part of the New York County Lawyers Association, New York State Bar Association and New York State Unified Court System's Office for Justice Initiatives 2023 and 2024 Pro Bono Awards

2025 "Ch. 11 Reorganization of the Year"™ in the under (\$100MM) for the restructuring of Mariner Health Central Inc. and affiliates, presented at M&A Advisor's 19th Annual Turnaround Awards

2024 "Restructuring of the Year" in the (\$50MM TO \$100MM) for the restructuring of Mariner Health Central Inc. and affiliates

presented at the 23rd Annual M&A Advisor Awards

Selected by her peers for inclusion in *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch* in the area of Commercial Litigation for 2026

Leadership + Memberships

New York City Bar Association

Copyright & Literary Property Committee

Choir Soprano Section Leader (2019-2023)

Hudson River Housing, Inc.

Board of Directors (2021 - Present)

Vice President (Feb. 2024 – present)

Treasurer (Feb 2023 – Feb 2024)