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Senior Counsel

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Dale Stackhouse chairs Ice Miller's International Group and co-chairs its Regulatory Compliance Group. His practice focuses on international trade, regulatory compliance, investigations, commercial agreements and foreign investment. In addition, Stackhouse handles a variety of general business, corporate and transactional matters for domestic and international clients.

Dale has done extensive work for clients in various manufacturing industries, including steel, automotive, inks and printing, glass, plastics, chemicals, films, industrial and agricultural machinery, military parts and equipment and medical devices. He also has a number of not-for-profit clients and clients that are involved in various service industries, such as software, sports and entertainment, distribution and logistics, higher education and scrap processing.

Dale is the author of numerous publications on international law issues, and he has addressed groups throughout the country on topics related to international trade, commercial agreements, customs, antiboycott, export compliance, sanctions and licensing (including ITAR, BIS, and OFAC), NAFTA/USMCA, the FCPA, CFIUS, anticorruption, antidumping, relocating employees internationally and foreign investment. He also helps clients manage the tax, employee benefit and employment law issues that arise when they hire employees in foreign countries or move employees across borders.

Dale joined Ice Miller in 1989 and began full time work at the Firm after one year of practice with a Japanese law firm located in Tokyo.

Education

- DePauw University (B.A., 1984)
 - Political Science
- Tufts University, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy (M.A., 1988)
 - Law and Diplomacy
- Harvard Law School (J.D., 1988)

Services & Industries

- Additive Manufacturing/3D Printing
- Aerospace & Defense
- Antitrust Government Investigations
- Asia-Pacific Practice
- Business
- Compliance Programs
- Employment Policies & Training
- Food & Agribusiness
- Government Contracts & Grants
- International Legal Services
- International Tax
- Life Sciences & Biotechnology
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Middle East Practice
- Sports & Entertainment
- Supply Chain & Logistics
- Technology
- Trade Enforcement & Compliance

Admissions

- Indiana
- United States Court of International Trade

Professional Affiliations

- Dale has been involved with several groups related to international law and international business, including the World Trade Club, the Japan-America Society of Indiana, Inc., and the Forum for International Service Providers, and he has served as president of the Indianapolis Bar Association's International Section. He is a member of the U.S. Law Firm Group's International Committee and the Employment Law Alliance, through which he maintains relationships with counsel throughout the world.
- Former President of Indianapolis Bar Association's International Section.

Awards & Honors

- Top International Lawyers in Indianapolis (Indianapolis Monthly Magazine)
- Indianapolis YMCA Man of the Year, 2007, and Roger Zimmerman Excellence Award, 2010, Recipient
- Martindale-Hubbell AV-Preeminent Rating
- *The Best Lawyers in America*® for Corporate Law, Top Rated Lawyers in International Law and International Trade
- Indiana *Super Lawyers*

Community Involvement

- United Way Ardath Burkhart Leadership Program
- YMCA of Greater Indianapolis Board of Directors
- Board of Managers, Pike YMCA
- Board Member, National Institute for Fitness and Sports (AUL branch)

Languages

- French
- Japanese

Key Matters

Representative Transactions

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Dale has written, negotiated, and terminated hundreds of domestic and international agreements covering all aspects of commercial relationships, including distributorships, supply agreements, joint ventures, manufacturing agreements, toll processing arrangements, dealerships, agency agreements, logistics agreements, and terms and conditions for clients in the manufacturing, military, medical, chemical, steel, automotive, plastics and agricultural industries.

Selected Experience

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Dale also helps clients establish and implement regulatory compliance programs and respond to government inquiries and investigations, particularly in the international trade area.

Success Stories

Ice Miller Represents White Wolf Capital Portfolio Company in Its Acquisition of Magenta

Ice Miller represented NewCo Plastics, a custom molded plastic parts manufacturer, and the portfolio company of White Wolf Capital Group, Inc., in its acquisition of Magenta and its affiliates, Permian Plastics LLC and MM Plastics LLC. Magenta and its affiliates provide a diversified custom injection plastic molding solution for customers within a wide array of target markets, including the healthcare, personal care, food and beverage, biotechnology, and chemicals industries.

The Ice Miller team was led by private equity partners [Thomas Kesoglou](#) and [Sam Raboy](#), with additional support from the deal team of Chelsea Abramowitz, [John Acquaviva](#), Barbara Bacon, [Holiday Banta](#), [Greg Barr](#), Jared Berkle, [Paul Bittner](#), [Sid Bose](#), [Ben Burdick](#), [Nick Casto](#), [Terri Czajka](#), [Grace Dahm](#), [Kayla Ernst](#), [George Gasper](#), [Ben Goodman](#), [Thomas Green](#), [Brian Harvey](#), [Ida Hyvarinen](#), [Nancy Kartos](#), [Brian Korman](#), [Matthew Kriege](#), [Cody Laska](#), [Jackie Lesser](#), [Amy Luce](#), [James McDonough](#), [Jackie Perrotta](#), [Nicholas Reuhs](#), [Devin Routie](#), [Lisa Samblanet](#), [Kathleen Scheidt](#), [Brian Schultz](#), [Connor Skelly](#), [Dale Stackhouse](#), and Mike Tirman. Xuan Feng, who was a law clerk at the time, also assisted with the deal.

Ice Miller has represented White Wolf Capital, a private investment firm, in a multitude of transactions focusing on investment opportunities in North America across several industries, including manufacturing, business services, information technology, security, and aerospace and defense.

Ice Miller Represents EVE Energy in a \$3B Joint Venture for Battery Cell Production in the U.S.

Ice Miller is representing EVE Energy Co., Ltd. (EVE), a global lithium battery company, in a joint venture with Accelera by Cummins, Daimler Truck and PACCAR to build a manufacturing plant in the United States, which is expected to have a range of \$2 to \$3 billion in total investment. This strategic joint venture will manufacture battery cells for commercial vehicles to help transition into clean energy.

Ice Miller Business Group partners Sean Kim and Edward Braum represent EVE as external counsel, with Sean as lead counsel responsible for overseeing the structuring and negotiation of the transaction. The deal team also includes Simone Park, Huidi Shu, Cody Laska, Josh Borean, Daniel Corsaro, Safet Metjahic, Ming He, Anthony Aaron, Dale Stackhouse, Grace Dahm, John Pence, and Mike Flint.

The location of the manufacturing plant is to be determined.

Published In

- ["Export Controls And The Internet Of Things," Law360, August 9 2016](#)

Thought Leadership

May 12, 2026

Court of International Trade Panel Strikes Down Temporary Global Tariffs but Declines Nationwide Injunction

April 17, 2026

Refund Portal to Open for Phase 1 Refund Requests Monday, April 20

March 13, 2026

The New Tariff Landscape in the Wake of the Supreme Court's *Learning Resources* Decision Takes Shape

March 5, 2026

Court Directs Customs to Issue Refunds of a Majority of the IEEPA-Based Tariffs

February 24, 2026

Supreme Court Showdown Results Are In: Emergency Tariffs Rejected

December 12, 2024

Coming Soon – New Higher Tariffs

July 13, 2022

Navigating the International Waters of Utilizing a Global Workforce

January 13, 2022

New Trade Agreements Act Thresholds for Government Contractors

October 21, 2021

United States Trade Representative Requests Comments on the Possible Reinstatement of Section 301 Tariff Exclusions on U.S. Imports from China

August 6, 2021

Government Issues Proposed Rule Increasing Contractor Buy American Requirements

May 4, 2021

Senators Seek to Clamp Down on U.S. Arms Exports

March 5, 2021

U.S. Imposes New ITAR/EAR Export Control Restrictions and OFAC Sanctions on Russia

February 12, 2021

How Biden's Buy American Order Could Impact Contractor Supply Chains

June 29, 2020

Are You USMCA Ready?

April 21, 2020

OFAC and Sanctions Compliance: Consider Early Action When Confronting COVID-19 Challenges

April 20, 2020

Customs Announces 90-Day Deferral of Certain Import Duty Payments for Importers Affected by COVID-19