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GSK Exec Joins Troutman Pepper's Life Sciences IP Team

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Duke Fitch, a partner in Troutman Pepper's Health Sciences Intellectual Property Practice Group, was quoted in the *Law360* article, "[GSK Exec Joins Troutman Pepper's Life Sciences IP Team](#)."

"Troutman Pepper is a top law firm with outstanding people that are extremely knowledgeable and highly experienced," Fitch said in his response. "I look forward to working closely with my new colleagues."

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"Having spent more than two decades in large pharma, I have significant expertise in building patent portfolios in order to maximize the return on the substantial investment that a company makes in bringing innovative new medicines to market," Fitch said. "The primary areas of focus for my practice are patent drafting, prosecution, portfolio building, IP strategy, due diligence, licensing negotiation, contract review, freedom-to-operate analysis and risk mitigation, and post-grant and litigation strategy."

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