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## **Federal District Court Denies Motion to Reconsider Order Dismissing Defamation Claim Against Court-Appointed Receiver**

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The United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois has concluded that Novack and Macey's client, a lawyer who was appointed by the Court to serve as receiver of an investment fund, cannot be sued for defamation by the former manager of the funds.

Novack and Macey lawyers Stephen Novack, Tim Miller and Rebekah Parker represented the lawyer-receiver. They argued to the Court that the former manager of the funds had not satisfied the common law and Court-ordered standards for suing a court-appointed receiver. The Court agreed and dismissed the claim. Today, the Court denied a motion to reconsider its dismissal order.

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