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## Insights

# Scott J. Fandre Joins Krieg DeVault's growing South Bend / Mishawaka Indiana office; will focus practice in Real Estate and Litigation

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Krieg DeVault is pleased to announce that Scott J. Fandre has joined the law firm of Krieg DeVault in an Of Counsel capacity. An attorney with 20 years of legal experience, Mr. Fandre will be a member of the firm's Real Estate and Litigation Practice Groups. Mr. Fandre's arrival marks the third attorney to join the firm's growing South Bend / Mishawaka office location within the past three months. The office, which was established in late 2009, now employs six full time attorneys.

Mr. Fandre focuses his practice on real estate, construction and title insurance litigation, helping clients in issues that arise from the purchase and sale of real estate, property development and construction.

As Vice President and Assistant General Counsel for a large title insurance company in Chicago, Scott litigated real estate cases at the trial and appellate court levels for claims in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio for more than 10 years. He also handled high liability title insurance claims throughout the Northeast as Regional Claims Counsel in New York City. Scott has taught training classes and presented seminars throughout the country on title insurance, real estate and construction law.

Mr. Fandre earned his law degree from Northern Illinois University School of Law and is licensed to practice in the states of Indiana and Illinois.

#### About Krieg DeVault LLP

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