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1	Bebchuk, Lucian A.	13,218	(6)	2	(1537)	237,641	(2)	4,373	(1)	174	(5)	1,366	(44)
2	Shavell, Steven	1,546	(400)	0	(6496)	43,636	(47)	3,717	(2)	127	(14)	344	(914)
3	Black, Bernard S.	10,833	(8)	4	(592)	167,292	(5)	2,469	(3)	142	(9)	1,178	(62)
4	Sunstein, Cass R.	36,077	(1)	29	(11)	226,834	(3)	1,483	(4)	206	(4)	1,101	(75)
5	Hines Jr., James R.	1,088	(693)	1	(2907)	21,343	(162)	1,394	(5)	81	(73)	263	(1427)
6	Polinsky, A. Mitchell	460	(2027)	1	(2907)	13,126	(356)	1,389	(6)	52	(191)	252	(1517)
7	Kaplow, Louis	1,857	(311)	5	(412)	25,250	(120)	1,253	(7)	124	(17)	204	(2103)
8	Coffee, John C.	5,344	(43)	2	(1537)	78,001	(14)	1,131	(8)	34	(531)	2,294	(10)
9	Kraakman, Reinier H.	5,886	(36)	1	(2907)	69,663	(17)	1,104	(9)	31	(659)	2,247	(11)
10	Roe, Mark J.	4,171	(73)	6	(296)	46,135	(46)	1,103	(10)	50	(214)	923	(113)
11	Fried, Jesse M.	4,181	(72)	0	(6496)	55,940	(33)	1,089	(11)	43	(301)	1,301	(48)
12	Cohen, Alma	3,942	(86)	5	(412)	55,203	(34)	1,009	(12)	36	(469)	1,533	(34)
13	Lemley, Mark A.	17,121	(3)	9	(142)	171,133	(4)	949	(13)	146	(8)	1,172	(63)
14	Renneboog, Luc	8,601	(15)	2	(1537)	102,304	(9)	873	(14)	107	(29)	956	(101)
15	Netter, Jeffrey M.	1,285	(547)	0	(6496)	26,096	(109)	829	(15)	19	(1546)	1,373	(43)
16	Brown, Jeffrey R.	441	(2090)	7	(208)	7,041	(803)	822	(16)	78	(79)	90	(4847)
17	Ehrlich, Isaac	813	(1020)	2	(1537)	28,959	(96)	791	(17)	57	(160)	508	(402)
18	Posner, Richard A.	2,297	(222)	1	(2907)	42,146	(51)	790	(18)	38	(406)	1,109	(73)
19	Gilson, Ronald J.	4,871	(54)	1	(2907)	64,213	(24)	757	(19)	46	(262)	1,396	(42)
20	Palia, Darius	2,263	(228)	3	(916)	7,086	(795)	741	(20)	17	(1841)	417	(625)
21	Ferrell, Allen	2,937	(147)	0	(6496)	52,244	(39)	684	(21)	31	(659)	1,685	(27)
22	Viscusi, W. Kip	1,860	(309)	7	(208)	24,796	(123)	664	(22)	142	(9)	175	(2670)
23	Romano, Roberta	2,716	(166)	3	(916)	42,874	(50)	662	(23)	33	(571)	1,299	(49)
24	Jolls, Christine	444	(2080)	0	(6496)	9,598	(532)	601	(24)	23	(1149)	417	(625)
25	Posner, Eric A.	8,971	(11)	9	(142)	97,254	(11)	586	(25)	127	(14)	766	(170)
26	Pistor, Katharina	2,613	(180)	1	(2907)	25,039	(121)	566	(26)	33	(571)	759	(174)
27	Thomas, Randall S.	4,114	(76)	6	(296)	46,652	(43)	561	(27)	85	(62)	549	(334)
28	Evans, David S.	8,931	(12)	2	(1537)	68,845	(18)	536	(28)	98	(37)	703	(199)

29	Klein, Michael W.	173	(4746)	6	(296)	1,608	(3506)	511	(29)	38	(406)	42	(6321)
30	Hansmann, Henry	5,762	(38)	2	(1537)	53,514	(37)	509	(30)	30	(698)	1,784	(22)
31	Bainbridge, Stephen M.	7,528	(19)	1	(2907)	115,504	(6)	455	(31)	96	(43)	1,203	(57)
32	Blair, Margaret M.	1,862	(308)	1	(2907)	33,771	(76)	448	(32)	36	(469)	938	(105)
33	Lynch, Lisa M.	24	(12115)	0	(6496)	1,656	(3427)	421	(33)	19	(1546)	87	(4955)
34	Stout, Lynn A.	3,653	(99)	1	(2907)	46,182	(45)	418	(34)	40	(356)	1,155	(66)
35	Partnoy, Frank	4,255	(69)	3	(916)	64,019	(25)	414	(35)	39	(383)	1,642	(30)
36	Triantis, George G.	881	(918)	0	(6496)	14,322	(309)	393	(36)	18	(1677)	796	(157)
37	Pritchard, Adam C.	1,033	(755)	3	(916)	16,923	(239)	387	(37)	44	(285)	385	(746)
38	Konrad, Kai A.	926	(865)	3	(916)	9,653	(527)	377	(38)	122	(19)	79	(5211)
39	Gelbach, Jonah B.	992	(792)	3	(916)	5,369	(1113)	371	(39)	21	(1321)	256	(1489)
40	Parisi, Francesco	4,426	(66)	1	(2907)	70,159	(16)	362	(40)	110	(25)	638	(236)
40	Kahan, Marcel	2,218	(233)	2	(1537)	27,215	(103)	362	(40)	37	(437)	736	(183)
42	Licht, Amir N.	1,912	(295)	0	(6496)	25,825	(112)	357	(42)	45	(274)	574	(299)
43	Donohue, John J.	3,100	(134)	0	(6496)	38,840	(58)	356	(43)	36	(469)	1,079	(78)
44	Weder, Beatrice	383	(2424)	2	(1537)	4,002	(1536)	354	(44)	30	(698)	133	(3644)
45	Bessen, James E.	2,877	(153)	1	(2907)	33,164	(78)	351	(45)	37	(437)	896	(118)
46	Dharmapala, Dhammika	3,886	(89)	4	(592)	25,315	(119)	339	(46)	52	(191)	487	(444)
47	Cheffins, Brian R.	7,755	(17)	5	(412)	65,645	(22)	334	(47)	68	(121)	965	(98)
48	Guzman, Andrew T.	1,857	(311)	0	(6496)	22,677	(145)	330	(48)	46	(262)	493	(432)
48	Abbott, Kenneth W.	3,380	(115)	2	(1537)	18,856	(204)	330	(48)	68	(121)	277	(1319)
50	Armour, John	6,962	(24)	1	(2907)	58,296	(30)	315	(50)	45	(274)	1,295	(50)
51	Cooter, Robert D.	695	(1266)	0	(6496)	9,264	(555)	311	(51)	25	(969)	371	(797)
52	Eisenberg, Theodore	1,154	(652)	9	(142)	23,172	(138)	306	(52)	85	(62)	273	(1350)
53	Choi, Stephen J.	2,203	(239)	3	(916)	36,688	(69)	305	(53)	74	(100)	496	(423)
54	Börsch-Supan, Axel H.	293	(3174)	11	(98)	3,378	(1837)	303	(54)	56	(169)	60	(5803)
55	Kahan, Dan M.	16,986	(4)	5	(412)	104,002	(8)	302	(55)	57	(160)	1,825	(19)
56	Boone, Jan	392	(2372)	5	(412)	4,787	(1275)	291	(56)	88	(50)	54	(5984)
57	Landes, William M.	2,449	(203)	0	(6496)	82,660	(13)	284	(57)	21	(1321)	3,936	(3)
58	Walker, David I.	599	(1515)	1	(2907)	14,708	(297)	283	(58)	27	(849)	545	(343)

59	Siems, Mathias M.	4,529	(62)	10	(118)	41,105	(52)	274	(59)	83	(70)	495	(426)
60	Normann, Hans-Theo	313	(2974)	0	(6496)	5,568	(1065)	270	(60)	40	(356)	139	(3473)
61	Mahoney, Paul G.	468	(1986)	0	(6496)	11,904	(401)	248	(61)	21	(1321)	567	(309)
62	Hellwig, Martin F.	4,051	(79)	5	(412)	17,115	(236)	245	(62)	41	(340)	417	(625)
63	Korobkin, Russell B.	1,364	(488)	0	(6496)	25,883	(111)	243	(63)	39	(383)	664	(223)
64	Deakin, Simon F.	2,242	(230)	7	(208)	14,337	(308)	242	(64)	57	(160)	252	(1517)
65	Enriques, Luca	4,469	(65)	1	(2907)	38,376	(60)	240	(65)	47	(249)	817	(143)
66	Gulati, G. M.	6,376	(29)	10	(118)	65,935	(21)	239	(66)	115	(22)	573	(304)
67	Daines, Robert	362	(2571)	0	(6496)	9,107	(576)	238	(67)	9	(3976)	1,012	(89)
68	Schwarcz, Steven L.	4,890	(53)	7	(208)	68,278	(19)	236	(68)	110	(25)	621	(250)
69	Coates, IV, John C.	8,777	(14)	4	(592)	37,272	(66)	233	(69)	46	(262)	810	(149)
70	Da Rin, Marco	447	(2069)	1	(2907)	7,506	(743)	228	(70)	22	(1224)	341	(930)
71	Leo, Richard A.	5,334	(44)	4	(592)	26,775	(106)	225	(71)	74	(100)	362	(830)
72	Rock, Edward B.	1,955	(285)	3	(916)	21,761	(156)	224	(72)	30	(698)	725	(190)
73	Sykes, Alan O.	1,415	(467)	1	(2907)	19,248	(192)	222	(73)	38	(406)	507	(404)
74	MacIntosh, Jeffrey G.	508	(1823)	0	(6496)	11,028	(439)	221	(74)	22	(1224)	501	(413)
75	Helfer, Laurence R.	2,508	(197)	5	(412)	24,068	(131)	219	(75)	46	(262)	523	(376)
75	Merges, Robert P.	1,823	(321)	0	(6496)	20,791	(169)	219	(75)	33	(571)	630	(242)
77	Kakarot-Handtke, Egmont	1,409	(470)	11	(98)	4,139	(1489)	216	(77)	81	(73)	51	(6072)
77	Klausner, Michael D.	1,237	(586)	1	(2907)	22,162	(152)	216	(77)	26	(905)	852	(130)
79	Gordon, Jeffrey N.	4,006	(82)	2	(1537)	36,516	(70)	212	(79)	37	(437)	987	(93)
80	Robinson, Paul H.	2,764	(163)	3	(916)	37,872	(61)	210	(80)	124	(17)	305	(1122)
81	McCubbins, Mathew D.	1,451	(449)	1	(2907)	14,019	(328)	204	(81)	72	(108)	195	(2266)
82	Brown, J. Robert	1,225	(598)	9	(142)	11,824	(406)	202	(82)	50	(214)	236	(1695)
83	Issacharoff, Samuel	1,405	(471)	3	(916)	17,171	(233)	199	(83)	61	(143)	281	(1287)
84	Sanchirico, Chris W.	1,388	(481)	4	(592)	16,006	(264)	197	(84)	56	(169)	286	(1252)
84	de Figueiredo, John M.	241	(3758)	2	(1537)	4,600	(1331)	197	(84)	35	(499)	131	(3700)
86	Ramseyer, J. M.	550	(1673)	4	(592)	13,533	(340)	195	(86)	66	(127)	205	(2085)

87	Hathaway, Oona A.	1,551	(396)	0	(6496)	14,217	(318)	191	(87)	21	(1321)	677	(214)
88	Garoupa, Nuno M.	1,336	(511)	4	(592)	17,802	(221)	190	(88)	94	(44)	189	(2394)
88	Miller, Geoffrey P.	1,423	(462)	1	(2907)	20,282	(176)	190	(88)	73	(104)	278	(1309)
90	Jackson, Howell E.	776	(1088)	0	(6496)	18,115	(216)	188	(90)	26	(905)	697	(202)
91	Chan-Lau, Jorge A.	816	(1015)	0	(6496)	17,749	(224)	186	(91)	62	(138)	286	(1252)
92	Hersch, Joni	1,141	(659)	2	(1537)	9,699	(524)	184	(92)	40	(356)	242	(1625)
93	Bratton, William W.	2,371	(209)	0	(6496)	46,275	(44)	182	(93)	32	(613)	1,446	(39)
94	McAdams, Richard H.	1,188	(625)	5	(412)	10,190	(493)	181	(94)	33	(571)	309	(1094)
95	Mustard, David B.	321	(2894)	1	(2907)	4,173	(1480)	177	(95)	18	(1677)	232	(1741)
96	Ribstein (Deceased), Larry E.	2,074	(258)	0	(6496)	59,226	(28)	176	(96)	86	(61)	689	(209)
97	Follesdal, Andreas	1,780	(329)	10	(118)	9,127	(571)	175	(97)	138	(12)	66	(5604)
98	Talley, Eric L.	915	(877)	0	(6496)	11,937	(400)	172	(98)	32	(613)	373	(787)
98	Hadfield, Gillian K.	1,417	(465)	2	(1537)	13,964	(330)	172	(98)	38	(406)	367	(813)
100	Friedman, Barry	670	(1325)	2	(1537)	10,406	(471)	171	(100)	30	(698)	347	(905)