Shutts & Bowen Welcomes Four New Attorneys

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Shutts & Bowen LLP is pleased to announce the addition of four new attorneys to the firm. These new hires bring a diverse range of legal experience to support our more than 30 practice areas.

**Alamea Deedee Bitran** (Law Clerk, Fort Lauderdale) is a member of the Business Litigation Practice Group. Deedee focuses her practice on transactional and litigation cases. Deedee previously served as a Judicial Intern to the Honorable Ivan F. Fernandez in the Third District Court of Appeal.

**Sean M. Smith** (Associate, West Palm Beach) is a member of the Business Litigation Practice Group. Sean focuses his practice on the areas of business litigation and construction litigation. Sean previously served as a Judicial Intern at the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit Court in West Palm Beach.

**Celeste A. Thacker** (Associate, Orlando) is a member of the Real Estate Practice Group. Celeste represents developers and lenders in a broad range of business and real estate manners. Her practice includes all aspects of commercial real estate transactions.

**Lazaro I. Vazquez** (Law Clerk, Miami) is a member of the Corporate Practice Group. His practice focuses on the areas of tax, financial services, corporate, bankruptcy, business litigation and real estate. Lazaro previously served as a Judicial Extern for the Honorable Paul C. Huck of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida.

About Shutts & Bowen LLP

Shutts & Bowen, established in 1910, is a full-service business law firm with more than 260 lawyers in offices in Ft. Lauderdale, Miami, Orlando, Sarasota, Tallahassee, Tampa, and West Palm Beach. Learn more about Shutts & Bowen at [www.shutts.com](http://www.shutts.com).

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**Practice Areas**

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