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### LIGHTFOOT SECURES SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF NATIONAL CLASS ACTION AGAINST BOILER MANUFACTURER

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**BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (June 7, 2018)** — Lightfoot, Franklin & White LLC attorneys have secured the settlement and dismissal of a national class action lawsuit filed in Maine against the firm's client, a boiler manufacturer.

The firm successfully attacked the class warranty and tort claims at the pleading stage using a published opinion that Lightfoot had previously won in Texas — *Rosa v. American Water Heater Co.*, 177 F. Supp. 3d 1025 (S.D. Tex. 2016). In that earlier case, the federal court struck a different national class action against another Lightfoot client at the pleading stage.

The Lightfoot lawyers working on this matter are partner **Sara Anne Ford** and associate David A. Rich.