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Caren P. Sencer is a shareholder in the Emeryville office of Weinberg, Roger & Rosenfeld. She has represented unions in all aspects of labor and employment law and has provided institutional advice to unions. Sencer's practice has afforded her extensive litigation experience, including cases on the duty of fair representation, wage and hour matters, and those arising from antidiscrimination laws. Her experience includes administrative, federal and state trial court practice as well as appellate advocacy in both state and federal courts. Sencer's wage and hour work—representing individuals, classes and plaintiffs in collective actions—has resulted in published appellate decisions. She regularly practices before the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) in both representation and unfair labor practice proceedings, representing union clients in hundreds of matters before the NLRB, which has led Sencer to testify before the United States House of Representatives Committee on Education and the Workforce; the United States Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions: and in open hearings of the National Labor Relations Board on issues addressing election procedures. Her practice also extends to arbitrations, contract negotiations and matters under both the Railway Labor Act and California laws governing public sector employees. For each year from 2013 through 2017, she was selected for the Super Lawyers' Northern California Rising Stars list. Thereafter, Sencer has been reqularly selected as a Northern California Super Lawyer. She received her undergraduate degree from Cornell University's School of Industrial and Labor Relations and law degree from Berkeley Law at the University of California (Boalt Hall), Berkeley.