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Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering partners **P.J. Mode** and **Dave Donovan** won a \$30 million summary judgment on behalf of the **Jack Kent Cooke** estate last week in a case in which they were opposed by **Boies, Schiller & Flexner**, the firm of **David Boies** of *Microsoft* fame. The decision, issued Oct. 27 by Judge **Claude Hilton** of the Eastern District of Virginia, puts to rest the lengthy battle between the estate and **Howard Milstein**, the New York real-estate mogul who was represented by Boies, Schiller after his failed attempt last year to buy the Redskins for \$800 million. Hilton ruled that the estate could keep Milstein's \$30 million deposit. "We're always delighted to win, particularly in a big case like this one," Mode says. **Jonathan Schiller** of Boies, Schiller says Milstein plans to appeal. A suit against **John Kent Cooke** is still pending.

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