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CONSUMER ALERT: Mandatory Arbitration Enables Predatory Lawyers and Leaves Families Without Resolution When Disputes Go Wrong

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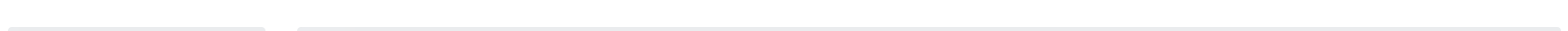
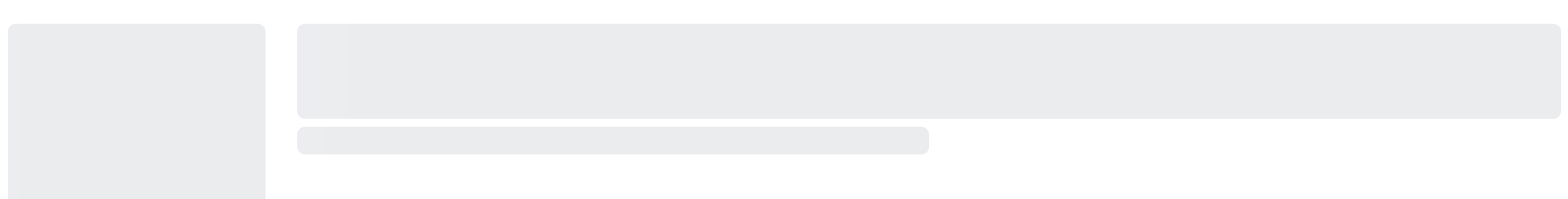
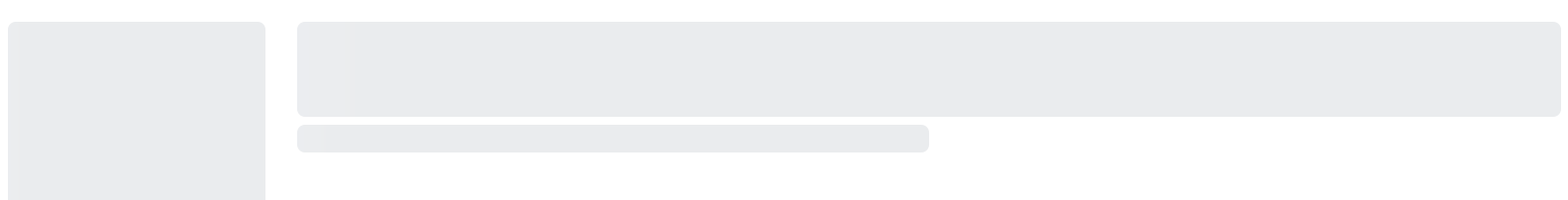
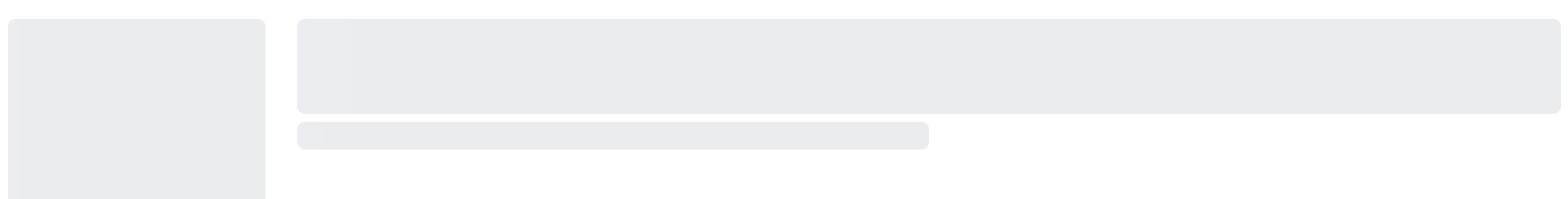
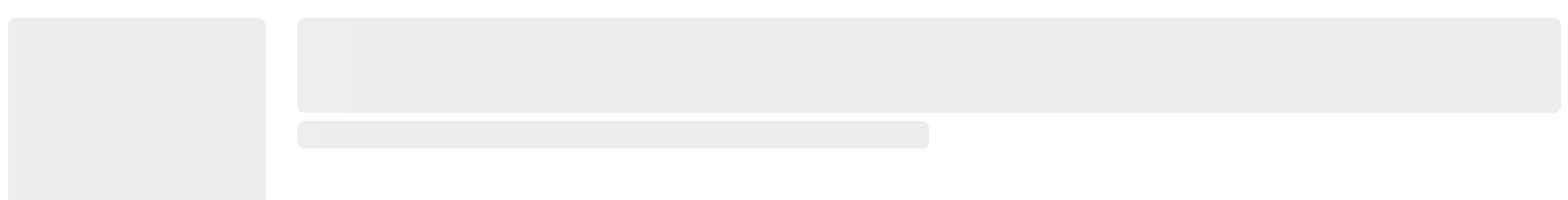
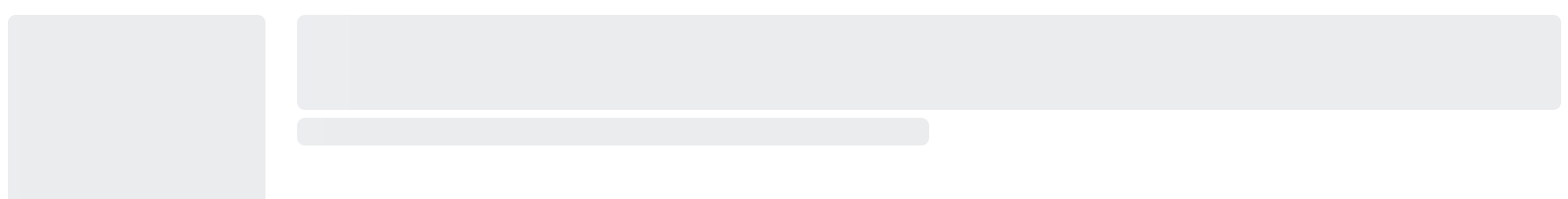
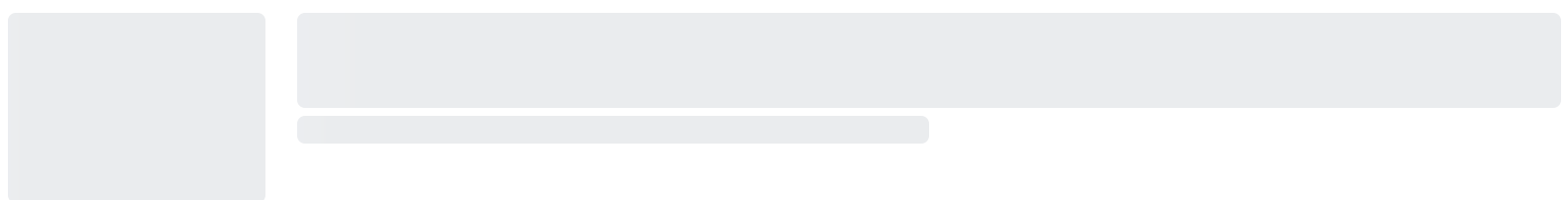
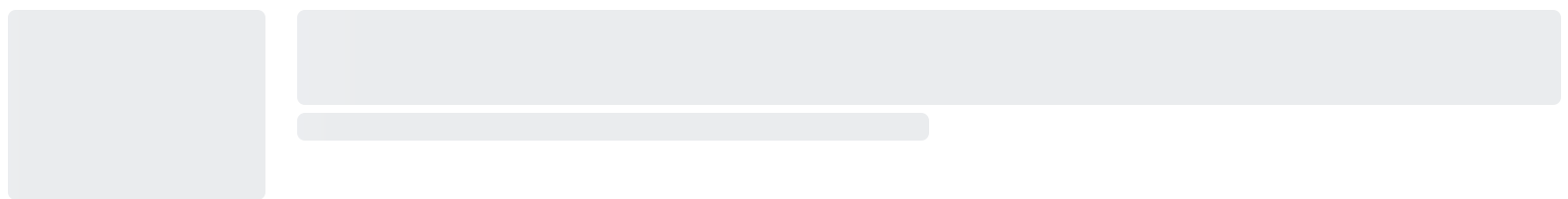
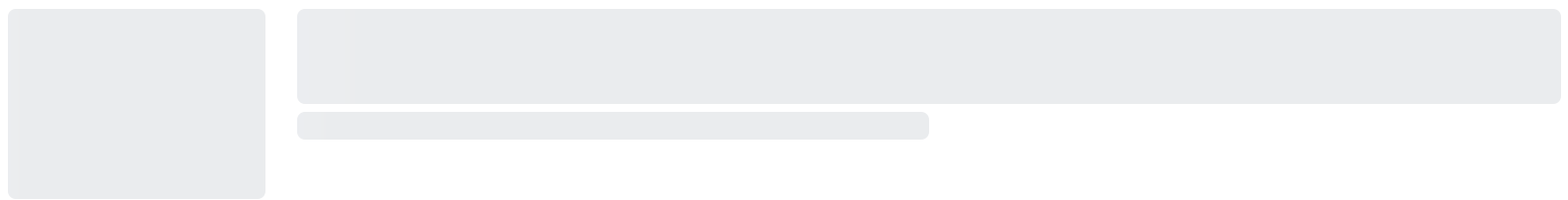
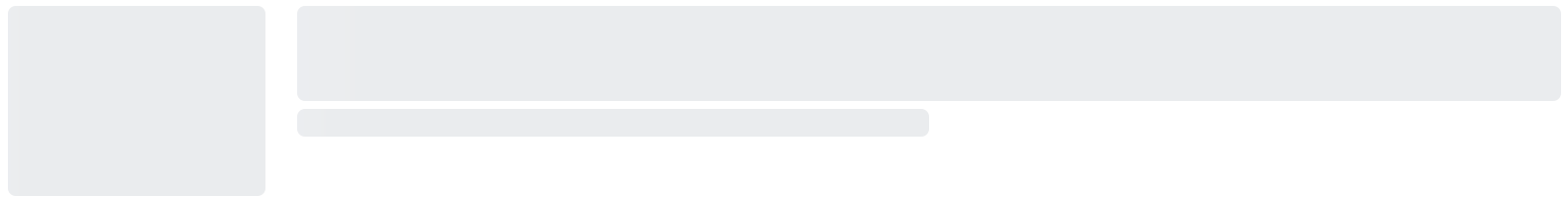
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Case involving Dallas-based arbitrator Anne Ashby highlights the dangers of arbitration immunity and lack of oversight

Houston, TX, March 24, 2026 ([GLOBE NEWSWIRE](#)) -- Following [its warning against predatory lawyers](#) on Tuesday, March 17th, Houston-based organization [Stop Legal Bullying Now, LLC](#) is also cautioning Texas citizens about mandatory arbitration clauses that predatory lawyers use to quietly force clients to waive their Seventh Amendment right to a fair trial.

Caroline and Richard Allison, whose estate dispute was [previously cited](#) as a cautionary example for Texans to watch out for predatory lawyers when navigating probate matters, say that Dallas-based arbitrator Anne Ashby underplayed or hid connections that would raise concerns about her impartiality on the case, despite American Arbitration Association (AAA) rules that require full disclosure. The family also says Ashby has a history of rulings that have consistently favored attorneys and corporate parties. In a court, these kind of concerns would be subject to transparency and judicial review, but in arbitration, the family says they had no meaningful way to push back.

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