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You have found The Structured Settlement Brokerage Firm dedicated to being the most knowledgeable in the industry. We specialize in serving claimants who have suffered a personal physical injury or physical sickness.

Our clients are successful at controlling the structured settlement process. For select catastrophic injury cases we serve as the [qualified settlement fund](#) administrator, thus securing control for the plaintiff, and maximizing significant tax benefits intended by Congress to benefit these people.

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## Law Gives Texas Courts Greater Control of Structures for Minors

A law that became effective September 1, 1999, gives the Texas courts greater control over structured settlements for the benefit of minors and protected adults.

This is believed to be the first state law in the nation to regulate structured settlement transactions in this way. Recent initiatives in Florida and New Hampshire to allow any plaintiff, not just minors and incompetents, to select the structured settlement broker were respectively withdrawn and stalled due to organized opposition. ([Click here for the complete article.](#))

## IRS Authorizes Variable Annuities For Funding Structured Payments

In a private ruling that will have a profound positive impact on structured settlements, the Internal Revenue Service approved the use of a variable annuity as the "qualified funding asset." ([Click here for the complete article.](#))

## Qualified Settlement Funds Being Used For Single-Claimant Injuries

The qualified settlement fund (QSF) is now being used to resolve or satisfy one or more contested or uncontested tort claims for personal physical injury or physical sickness. The original responsible party (defendant) is released from all liability, and the QSF negotiates the final settlement terms with the claimant or claimants. From that point, the defendant and insurer are no longer involved in the settlement and may have no involvement in the disbursement of the QSF. ([Click here for the complete article.](#))

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