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Tax Notes Interviews Stefi George About Challenges to Illinois' Sales Tax Regime for Remote Sellers

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In an article outlining cases that could test the parameters of the Supreme Court's *Wayfair* decision and the Internet Tax Freedom Act, Akerman State and Local Tax Practice Chair Stefi George provides *Tax Notes* with a thorough overview of claims against Illinois' Leveling the Playing Field legislation.

Akerman is representing several clients challenging the state's burdensome sales tax obligations imposed on remote sellers shipping to Illinois. Stefi explained that while these cases aren't necessarily the next *Wayfair*, they could test the limitations of *Wayfair*.

"I think everyone expected that there would be some pushing back on *Wayfair*,' but as all the states got on board with legislation, people just adjusted to the new normal until the burden was so heightened that it became a constitutional issue that must be addressed by the courts," the article reports, quoting Stefi.

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