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CURRICULUM VITAE

SUMMARY

- Attorney specializing in domestic and international insurance and reinsurance litigation and arbitration.
- Previous experience in the industry includes ten years of insurance and reinsurance underwriting, marketing and management.
- Extensive experience in the Bermuda market responsible for underwriting reinsurance for and managing captive insurance companies.
- Retained as Claims Consultant by the New York Department of Insurance, Liquidation Division with respect to large and complex losses concerning Asbestos, Environmental, and Products Liability claims.
- Appointed as Assistant County Counsel for Monmouth County, New Jersey for insurance matters.
- Extensive education in business and law with practical applications in industry and legal environments.

RECENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

As Lead Counsel, in a case of first impression in New York, successfully sought Appellate Division ruling declaring that reinsurance consultants are not covered by the licensing provisions of the New York Insurance Code and that unlicensed intermediaries do not forfeit their commissions or fees as do unlicensed insurance brokers and consultants.

As Lead Counsel in a reinsurance arbitration, in a case of first impression in Texas State Courts, successfully prosecuted a Motion To Compel concerning an arbitral subpoena against the Texas Department of Insurance to secure confidential

regulatory materials on an insolvent insurance company and insolvent insurance agency.

HISTORY

1989-Present

PRIVATE PRACTICE

Associated with Senior Regional and National Insurance Defense firms as a Senior Associate, Partner, and Of Counsel specializing in insurance and reinsurance litigation and arbitration.

In 1999, Appointed Assistant County Counsel for Monmouth County, NJ for insurance matters.

Legal and Claims Consultant to the New York State Liquidation Bureau on Asbestos, Environmental, and Products Liability Claims.

1988-1989

CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY

New York

Vice President

Responsible for all aspects of business production, marketing, underwriting, policy formulation, and claims management for a \$25 million book of specialized liability insurance.

1981-1988

GENERAL REINSURANCE COMPANY

New York (1985-1988)

Assistant Vice President

Initiated and developed multi-million dollar reinsurance opportunities utilizing self-insurance and alternative risk mediums (captives, rent-a-captives, group and association captives, public entity pools, and risk retention groups). Retained responsibility for the Bermuda market.

General Reinsurance Services, Ltd.,

Bermuda (1983-1985)

Vice President and General Manager

Senior resident executive of a wholly owned, foreign subsidiary in Bermuda, whose focus was to produce, underwrite, and manage captive insurance companies.

Senior Casualty Facultative Underwriter

Los Angeles (1981-1983)

Responsible for client development, business production, and reinsurance underwriting for all types of high-risk liability coverages.

1974-1981

UNITED STATES ARMY

Captain: Airborne, Ranger, Helicopter Pilot

EDUCATION

J.D. Seton Hall School of Law
M.B.A. Golden Gate University
M.S. University of Southern California
B.A. Bucknell University

BAR ADMISSIONS**STATE**

New York

New Jersey

Pennsylvania

Connecticut

District of
Columbia

FEDERAL

Southern District of NY

Eastern District of NY

District of NJ

Eastern District of PA

District of CT

District of DC

U.S. Court of Appeals:

D.C., 2nd, and 3rd Circuits

U.S. Supreme Court

BAR ASSOCIATIONS

American Bar Association

New Jersey State Bar Association

New York State Bar Association

District of Columbia Bar Association

Monmouth County Bar Association

Association of Trial Lawyers of America

DUAL CITIZENSHIP

United States and the Republic of Ireland

**REGISTERED
ARBITRATOR**

Reinsurance Association of America

American Arbitration Association

Certified ARIAS-US Arbitrator

COMMUNITY

Monmouth Council, Boy Scouts of America

Executive Board 1986 to Present

Council President 1996 to 1998

Eastern Monmouth Area Chamber of Commerce

Board of Trustees 1999 to Present

Chairman 2004 - 2005

Eatontown, NJ School Board

Member 2000 to 2002

Eatontown Town Council

Member 2002, 2005

PUBLICATIONS

Author, Chapter 14, Systems Analysis and Policy Sciences (1980)

Author, "CAPTIVES: The Great Debate," The Review, London (1990)

Author, "The Rules Are A-Changing," The Review, London (1993)

Author, "Junk Science and EMF Litigation: Have A New Scientific Theory? Try It Out in the U.S.," International Insurance Law Review, London (1994)

Author, "Junk Science and Electromagnetic Field Radiation," Journal of Reinsurance (1995)

PRESENTATIONS

"Contemporary Claims Management and Litigation Cost Control" (1993)

Adjunct Professor, M^cGeorge School of Law, LLM Course in "International Commercial Arbitration" in Salzburg, Austria (1993)

"Junk Science and Electromagnetic Field Radiation," Second Annual Property/Casualty & Reinsurance Forum (1993)

"Junk Science and Electromagnetic Field Radiation," Reinsurance Association of America Annual Claims Conference (1995)

"Junk Science and Political Science: Breast Implant and Tobacco Litigation", sponsored by Skandia International Insurance Group in Hamilton, Bermuda (1997)

Discussion Leader, Reinsurance Claims Seminar sponsored by the Reinsurance Association of America, New York (2004)