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CAREER SUMMARY

Transactional Practice

Mergers and acquisitions, corporate reorganizations, internal investigations, bankruptcy, asset-based financing, contracts, deferred compensation, insurance matters, intellectual property, employment and consulting agreements, environmental compliance, tax, anti-trust, non-profit governance and administration, land planning and zoning, commercial and retail leasing, purchases and sales of properties, mortgage lending, property management, and construction agreements.

Litigation and Appellate Practice

More than 50 jury and non-jury trials to verdict in State and Federal Courts throughout the New York Metropolitan area. Cases included contracts, securities fraud, RICO, anti-trust, land title matters, patent infringement, insurance coverage disputes, construction claims, corporate valuations and criminal matters. Briefs and oral arguments in the Appellate Division, Second Department; the New York State Court of Appeals; the Second Circuit Court of Appeals and the United States Supreme Court.

EXPERIENCE

Touro College, Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center, Central Islip, NY-----January 2019 – Present
Adjunct Professor

Teach Drafting Commercial Documents, which is an experiential learning course as well as Environmental Crimes. As Chairman of Touro Law School's Land Use Institute Advisory Board, create law school programs to advance the practice of sustainable development, environmental compliance and planning and zoning throughout Long Island.

Meyer, Suozzi, English & Klein, Garden City, New York-----January 2008 - Present
Of Counsel – Corporate and Real Estate Departments

Manage mergers and acquisitions. Negotiate and draft a wide variety of contracts and leases; counsel business and individual clients on corporate governance. Represent private equity investment funds in acquisitions. Represent court-appointed receivers of real estate. Counsel to non-profit corporations on corporate and real estate matters.

Intelligent Product Solutions, Inc.,* Hauppauge, New York-----January 2014 - Present
Division Counsel

Consulting firm providing software design, electrical and mechanical engineering and industrial design services.
Draft and negotiate non-disclosure, master services, joint venture, representatives and distributor agreements. Coordinate all transactional matters including, but not limited to employment, leasing, tax, intellectual property and mergers and acquisitions. Select and supervise all outside litigation counsel. ****Division of Forward Industries (NASDAQ: FORD)***

CAMBR Company, Inc., Lynbrook, New York-----1997 - 2013
Private Investment and Real Estate Development Corporation
Vice President and General Counsel

Advised \$100 million dollar private equity portfolio manager on legal issues, including due diligence, negotiation of private placements and partner contacts. Managed all business and legal aspects of \$100 million dollar private real estate investment portfolio consisting of retail, office, industrial and residential properties throughout the United States and Europe. Owner's representative or project executive on more than \$50 million of completed private construction projects. Selection and coordination of architects, engineers, environmental consultants and contractors.

Imrex Company, Inc., Great Neck, New York-----1984 - 1997

Privately held corporation with interests in military manufacturing, software consulting and sales of aeronautical parts and services

General Counsel

Managed mergers and acquisitions, corporate finance, government contracts, regulatory compliance; conducted and supervised litigation throughout the United States.

Shaw, Licitra, Esernio and Schwartz, Garden City, New York

Associate-----1979 - 1982

Partner-----1982 - 1984

All phases of Federal and State litigation from case inception through verdict and appeal.

Kings County District Attorney's Office, Brooklyn, New York-----1976 - 1979

Assistant District Attorney

Prosecuted felony cases to verdict, including homicide, narcotics and public corruption matters. Assigned to New York City Office of the Special Narcotics Prosecutor from 1977 to 1978.

REPRESENTATIVE LITIGATION

Gargiulo v. Oppenheim , 95 A.D. 2d 484, affirmed 63 NY 2d (Court of Appeals 1984)

The Bohack Corporation v. Iowa Beef Processors, Inc., 715 F. 2d 703 (2nd Circuit 1983)

Sedima, SPRL v. Imrex Co., Inc., 473 US 479, (U.S. Supreme Court, 1985)

EDUCATION

Boston University Law School, Boston, Massachusetts – Juris Doctor 1976

University of Rochester, Rochester, New York - BA, Political Science - 1973

BAR ADMISSIONS

New York State, 1977; United States District Courts, Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, 1980;

Second Circuit Court of Appeals, 1983; United States Supreme Court, 1984; United States Tax Court, 2000

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Court appointed mediator and arbitrator, United States District Court, EDNY-----1986 - Present

Cases include employment, construction and general contract matters.

Chairman, Advisory Board, Touro Law Center Institute for Land Use & Sustainable Development--2013-Present

Member, Theodore Roosevelt American Inn of Court -----2006 - Present

Presented Continuing Legal Education (CLE) programs to licensed attorneys on the following subjects: Collateral Consequences of Criminal Convictions; Real Estate Contracts and Litigation; Environmental Law Issues in Commercial Real Estate; Foreclosure Proceedings, the HARP Program and Short Sales in a Depressed Real Estate Market; Land Planning Issues-Environmental and Project Design; and Construction Law.

Member, Alexander Hamilton American Inn of Court-----2011 - 2015

Member, Valley Stream, NY Board of Education-----1984 - 2005

Public employer with annual budget in excess of \$100 million. Organized municipal bond issues for \$50 million renovation and expansion of seven public schools, and served as owner's representative during construction. Extensive work with school district counsel in conducting litigation, including environmental claims, employee disciplinary matters and internal investigations. Employer representative for negotiation of approximately \$1 billion of public employment contracts.

Executive Secretary, the CAMBR Foundation Charitable Trust-----1999 - 2013

Managed grant making, foundation governance, and administration of a major private trust.

Trustee, USDAN Center for the Creative and Performing Arts-----2013 – Present