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EDUCATION

1982 B.S. Psychology, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

1984 J.D. Drake University Law School, Des Moines, Iowa
Drake Law Review 1983-85 Note Editor

CERTIFICATIONS

1985 Oregon State Bar

1986 United States District Court for Oregon

1990 United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

LITIGATION PRACTICE

Participation as lead counsel, representing clients in more than 100 jury trials, 500 arbitrations and 150 mediations in 22 years of litigation practice through March, 2007

1985-1994 **James F. Hutchinson, Attorney at Law**
Primary areas of practice: Civil Law, Plaintiffs' Personal Injury, Property Damage, Insurance Claims, General Business and Contracts, Real Estate Transactions, Landlord-Tenant, Debtor-Creditor

1994-2007 **Cavanagh and Zipse, Attorneys at Law**
Insurance Defense, representing insured individual, business, insurance entities in the areas of General Negligence, Breach of Contract, Professional Negligence, Construction Defect, Timber Trespass, Property Line disputes, Landlord-Tenant

ARBITRATION AND MEDIATION PRACTICE

Since March of 2007 served as arbitrator in over 540 cases, in addition to service as mediator in more than 135 cases.

March, 2007- **James F. Hutchinson, Arbitrator and Mediator**
Practice limited to serving as mediator or arbitrator in civil cases in the State of Oregon