

# **THE FLEISCHMAN LAW FIRM, P.C.**

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## **LAWRENCE H. FLEISCHMAN**

Alternative Dispute Resolution Provider

### Curriculum Vitae

#### **Experience:**

03/04-Present  
01/97-03/04

**The Fleischman Law Firm, P.C.**  
**f/k/a Fleischman & Langan, P.C.**  
**Alternative Dispute Resolution Provider**

I have settled more than 6,000 civil cases since 1985, including motor and non-motor tort, medical and legal malpractice, construction defect, employment cases of all types, toxic tort, partnership, contract and business disputes, flood and other water law cases, libel and slander.

I negotiated, along with Perry Rogers, Andre Agassi's Nike contract, which is one of the largest in the history of sports endorsements for any athlete.

1985-1/97

**Pima County Superior Court Judge, Division 19, Tucson, AZ**

My tenure on the bench included assignments on the Criminal, Domestic Relations and Civil benches. Since 1992, I was primarily engaged in the settlement of civil cases. In September 1995 I opened the Center for Dispute Resolution, which is dedicated solely to various forms of alternative dispute resolution, primarily mediation and settlement conferences.

1979-1985

**Pima County Public Defender, Tucson, AZ**

Appellate Division Supervisor, included the handling of many death penalty appeals. Chief Trial Counsel for last year.

1976-1979

**Silverstone & Stern, Tucson, AZ**

Associate

1974-1976

**Miller, Pitt & Feldman, Tucson, AZ**

Law Clerk, primarily for Stanley Feldman, formerly Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court.

#### **Education:**

University of Arizona, College of Law, 1976  
JD degree

University of Arizona, 1973  
BA degree in Journalism & Secondary Education –  
high distinction

## Employment Highlights:

Upon order of Hon. Stanley Feldman, Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court, in 1992, I founded the Public Funds Dispute Resolution Program, the first such program in the United States. This project identifies cases involving taxpayer supported entities such as counties, the State, the Federal government, school districts, etc., and then stays the litigation for exploration of settlement, thereby saving fees and costs.

In the pilot part of this program, which involved some 82 cases, we saved at least \$5.5 million of direct taxpayer funds. Some of the cases were from Phoenix, as well as numerous cases from the Federal District Court in Arizona and counties other than Pima County.

I have also been instrumental in the passage of a statute which authorizes Superior Courts to charge litigants for alternate resolution processes. This is designed to meet the increasing demand for such services in Arizona by creating a private bar and providing funds for each Court to further develop various forms of alternative dispute resolution.

## References:

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