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Educational <u>Legal</u>

Background University of South Carolina School of Law

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Degree and Graduation Date: J.D., May 1983

<u>Graduate</u>

University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina

Degree and Graduation Date: Master of Arts in Teaching, 1978

<u>Undergraduate</u>

Columbia College, Columbia, South Carolina

Degree and Graduation Date: Bachelor of Arts, 1977

Work Experience August 2000 – Present Member

Robinson Gray Stepp & Laffitte, LLC

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1990 – January 1996 Partner 1983 – 1996 Associate

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough, LLP

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Professional Activities

South Carolina Bar, Admitted 1983

U.S. District Court for the District of South Carolina, Admitted 1983

U.S. Fourth Circuit, Court of Appeals, Admitted 1987

United States Supreme Court, Admitted 1999

American Bar Association South Carolina Bar Association Richland County Bar Association

Fellow, American College of Trial Attorneys

American Board of Trial Advocates (President, South Carolina Chapter 2002)

Senior Fellow, John Belton O'Neall Inn of Court International Association of Defense Counsel South Carolina Defense Trial Attorneys Association

Defense Research Institute

Fourth Circuit Judicial Conference Litigation Counsel of America

Certified Circuit Court Mediator, Arbitrator

Chair, Supreme Court of South Carolina Commission on CLE & Specialization (2021)

Professional Honors Best Lawyers in America (Woodward/White, 2003-2021)

Lawyer of the Year – Insurance Law (2013, 2016)

Lawyer of the Year – Product Liability Litigation, Defendants (2014) Lawyer of the Year – Personal Injury Litigation, Defendants (2017)

South Carolina "Super Lawyer" Personal Injury Defense: Products (2008-2021)

Columbia Business Monthly Legal Elite (2016, 2018-2020)

Recipient, Trial Lawyer of the Year, SC Chapter of American Board of Trial Advocates (2010)

Recipient, RCBA Matthew J. Perry, Jr. Civility Award (2010)