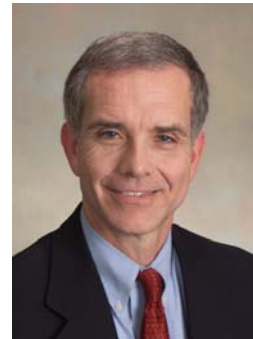




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In addition to his legal practice, Mr. Barrickman is a registered neutral with the Georgia Commission on Dispute Resolution and authorized to mediate and arbitrate disputes in the State of Georgia. He, along with fellow attorneys, Bill Allred and Scott Young, are the founders of BAY Mediation & Arbitration Services, LLC. Messrs. Barrickman, Allred and Young began BAY in 2002, after realizing the need in Georgia for quality dispute resolution services at reasonable rates. BAY currently has thirteen mediators and arbitrators, who specialize in a wide range of legal issues. Mr. Barrickman is a member of The Georgia Academy of Mediators & Arbitrators (GAMA) and The National Academy of Distinguished Neutrals (NADN).

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