Curriculum Vitae

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Bar Admissions: West Virginia 1993

North Carolina 1992 South Carolina 1992

Employment:

• Steele Law Offices – 1995 - Present

Cozen O'Connor – 1992 - 1995

Summary of Education and Experience:

Graduated from West Virginia University with a B.S.B.A. in Accounting (1989). Cum Laude. Earned J.D. from West Virginia University in 1992. Passed North Carolina and South Carolina Bars in four straight days of examination in 1992 – and began work for the firm of Cozen O'Connor in Charlotte, North Carolina in 1992 with emphasis in large loss subrogation recovery.

Passed West Virginia Bar examination in 1993. Moved back home to practice with older brother, Tom, at Steele Law Offices in 1995. Litigates from both the plaintiff and defense perspective – which enhances ability to see both sides of a dispute as a mediator. Has tried over 50 jury trials to verdict. Has litigated, tried, and mediated cases involving structural collapse, aviation, fires, personal injury, product defect, construction, employment discrimination, insurance claims practices, medical malpractice, etc.

Mediations:

Maintained an active mediation practice for the past ten (10) years. Has mediated in excess of 200-300 cases. Has participated as lecturer at West Virginia State Bar seminars given in basic and advanced mediation.

Additional Admissions:

Admitted to practice in all state and federal courts of West Virginia. Inactive member of the North Carolina and South Carolina bars.