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Present Occupation: Arbitrator and Attorney at Law

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# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

American Arbitration Association, Fiorida Da. Association, Maine Labor Relations Board, Federal Mediation & Conciliation Service, Federal Bar Association Industrial Research Relations Association, American Bar Association

### **EDUCATION**

VFMA J.C. 1956-57

A.B. Psychology Drew University, 1960

L.L.B.

University of Miami, 1963

## **CERTIFICATIONS:**

1963 Florida Law

1964 Federal Florida

# ARBITRATION/LABOR RELATIONS EXPERIENCE:

1989 to Present: Arbitrator. Prior to 1989 was regularly involved in handling discipline cases in the public and private sector with representation of individuals at the civil service level and the system board under the Railway Labor Act (airline employees). Included were successful appeals through the federal appellate system. Instances included representing individuals who held licenses such a policemen, jockeys, horse trainers and owners. Those Was involved in consent decrees and causes often included the appellate process. affirmative action causes. Has counseled private companies on their employment policies and have represented at least ten police chiefs in the South Florida area on a personal basis and in their capacity as chief and head of management. I have been involved in contract negotiations and am skilled in the rules of evidence and crafting awards and opinions. I have lectured at seminars and at the local law school.

#### **INDUSTRIES:**

Aerospace; airlines; banking; communications; education; health care; hospital/nursing home; maritime, office workers/clerical; police and fire; prison guard; real estate; transportation; trucking and storage; sports-thoroughbred industry (racing, breeding, and wagering), insurance, owner/operator trucking, toll takers.

#### **ISSUES:**

Affirmative Action; Absenteeism; Arbitrability; Bargaining Unit Work; Conduct (Off-Duty)/Personal; Demotion; Discipline (Non-Discharge); Discipline (Discharge); Drug/ Health/Hospitalization; Performance; Job Insurance; Alcohol Offenses; Posting/Bidding; Jurisdictional Dispute; Layoffs/Bumping/Recall; Management Rights; Past Practice; Pension and Welfare Plans; Pension Claim (state, federal, local); Promotion; Harassment; Seniority; Sexual Conditions: Safety/Health Retirement: Subcontracting/Contracting Out; Job Classification; Work-Assign; Job Evaluation; Schedule of Work; Transfers; Work Performance; Other Fringe Benefits; Benefits Denials; Elections; Forewarning; Lax Enforcement, Management Rights; National Origin; Grievance Mediation.

#### **PERMANENT PANELS:**

City of Miami

Department of the Air Force

Firefighters Local 587

Eglin Air Force Base Florida

**Expedited Arbitrations** 

**Expedited Arbitration Panel** 

### **ARBITRATION ROSTERS:**

National Mediation Board

Federal Mediation and Conciliation Services

American Arbitration Association Maine Labor Relations Board

#### **PUBLISHED CASES:**

116 LA 710 (2001); 114 LA 833 (2000); 114 LA 158 (1999); 106 LA 652 (1996); 107 LA 12 (1996);

### **SIGNIFICANT PUBLICATIONS:**

Publications include written outlines and cases provided for seminar(s).

#### **FEES:**

PER DIEM FEE:

**DOCKETING FEE:** 

**CANCELLATION FEE:** 

\$850 (8 hr day)

N/A

1 day (see below)

#### **Grievance Arbitration:**

The fee is \$850 per day for hearing, research and preparation of the Award and Opinion. Time for research and preparation is prorated and considered in an aggregate manner.

### **Cancellation Policy:**

No charge if cancelled more than 72 hours prior to scheduled hearing.

# Interest Arbitration, Fact-findings and Labor Mediation:

\$1,500 per day (based on an 8 hr. day) Research and preparation for interest arbitration is prorated and considered in an aggregate manner.

# **Travel Time:**

Prorated consistent with per diem fee.

# **Expenses:**

Actual costs/reasonable expenses for travel, car rental, lodging.