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Current Positions/Activities:

Special Master

Qualified in the MA Superior Courts and Federal District Courts

Managing Partner, BostonSolv, LLP [ADR firm]

Panel of Neutrals:

U.S. District Court, District of MA;

Middlesex [MA] Superior Court;

Dedham [MA] Dist. Court;

Legal Experience:

Special Assistant U.S. Attorney, Dept. of Justice, Dist. of MA, 1987-95;

Regional Counsel, Interstate Commerce Commission, Boston, MA, 1983-95;

Extensive litigation experience representing the ICC [federal regulatory agency with independent litigation authority] in numerous cases in all of the Federal District Courts in the New England states.

Asst. Regional Counsel, Interstate Commerce Commission, New York, NY, 1974-83;

Trial Attorney, I.C.C., Washington, D.C. & Atlanta, GA, 1967-74.

Alternative Dispute Resolution Training/Experience:

ALI-ABA's *The Art & Science of Serving as a Special Master in Federal & State Courts*, 2007;

Harvard Law School [Program of Instruction for Lawyers], *Mediation Workshop*, 1999;

The Dispute Review Board's Administration & Practice Workshop, 2003;

The Dispute Review Board's Advanced/Chairing Workshop, 2003;

Training [via MA Superior Court]: Motor Vehicle Civil Tort cases, 2005;

District Court [State of MA] Conciliation Training, 2004;

Program on Negotiations Dispute Resolution Forum at Harvard Law School;

Dispute Settlement Board [Ford Motor Co. arbitration program], 2001-04;

Collaborative Law Training, 2000;

Neutral in private mediations;

Trainer, New England Assoc. of Corporate Counsel of America: Conciliation of civil trial matters;

Speaker, National Association of Attorneys General: ADR program;

Advisor, Council of Better Business Bureaus designing and developing a national transportation ADR program, 1998-1999

Education:

BBA, University of Texas, 1963

JD, University of Oklahoma College of Law, 1967

Publications:

"Carmack Liability After the ICC, Alternative Dispute Resolution," Transportation Law Institute Papers & Proceedings, October, 1996;

"ADR In Today's Transportation Industry," Journal of Transportation Law, Logistics & Policy, Fall, 1997;

"Lowering the Cost of Doing Business Thought ADR," Distribution Magazine, October, 1997

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Admitted to Practice:

Commonwealth of MA

State of Oklahoma

United States Supreme Court

U.S. Court of Appeals (1st, 2nd, 5th, 10th & District of Columbia)

Affiliations:

Fellow, Academy of Court Appointed Masters

American Bar Association, Section of Dispute Resolution

Association for Conflict Resolution

Massachusetts Collaborative Law Council

Association of Attorney-Mediators