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United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD (B.S., 1973)

Law School:

Western State College of Law (J.D., 1980)

States Licensed to Practice:

State Bar of California, 1981

State Bar of Nevada, 2002

U.S. Supreme Court, 1988

U.S. Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit

Areas of Practice:

Construction Defect Defense

Insurance Coverage and Bad Faith Defense

Construction Accident Defense

Environmental Claims

Trucking and Transportation

Professional Associations:

San Diego Defense Lawyers

San Diego County Bar Association

Clark County Bar Association

American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA)

Professional Recognition:

AV peer rated by Martindale Hubbell

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Publications and Speaking Engagements:

- 2001: February 17, 2001-- National Business Institute Seminar, Speaker, "INSURANCE COVERAGE LAW IN CALIFORNIA"
April 25, 2001-- American Bar Association, Judge, Negotiation Competition National Finals
- 2002: May 22, 2002 -- Defense Research Institute Annual Seminar, Speaker, "ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS: DEVELOPERS' COUNSEL POINT OF VIEW"
August 9, 2002 -- National Business Institute Seminar, Speaker, "EMERGING ISSUES IN CALIFORNIA INDOOR AIR QUALITY & TOXIC MOLD LITIGATION"
October 1, 2002 -- National Business Institute Seminar, Speaker, "CALIFORNIA CONSTRUCTION DEFECT AND MOLD LITIGATION"
October 24, 2002 -- National Business Institute Seminar, Speaker, "INSURANCE COVERAGE LAW IN CALIFORNIA"
- 2003: April 2003 -- Defense Research Institute Annual Seminar, Speaker, "LITIGATING RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION DEFECT CLAIMS"
September 18-19, 2003 -- National Business Institute Seminar, Speaker, "EMERGING ISSUES IN CALIFORNIA INDOOR QUALITY AND TOXIC MOLD LITIGATION"
October 9, 2003 -- Southern California Defense Counsel, Panelist, "THE CARE AND HANDLING OF TRIAL EXPERTS IN CONSTRUCTION LITIGATION"
- 2004: May 20, 2004 -- San Diego Defense Lawyers Lecture, "KELLY FRYE SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE"
October 22-23, 2004 -- MC Consultants Seminar, Handling Construction Defect Claims - Strategies and Tactics, Panelist
November 9, 2004 -- Mealey's Conference- Sulfate Attack on Concrete Litigation, Speaker, "THE ECONOMIC LOSS DOCTRINE AND CONCRETE SULFATE ATTACK"
- 2005: May 3-5, 2005 -- MC Consultants Seminar, Panelist, "ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES TO TRIAL OF CONSTRUCTION DEFECT CLASS ACTIONS AND MASS ACTIONS"
June 2-3, 2005 -- Quality Built Risk Management Seminar, Speaker, "EMERGING RIGHT TO REPAIR LAWS"
September 8-9, 2005 -- Defense Research Institute Annual Seminar, Speaker, "ADVANCED LITIGATION STRATEGIES FOR THE HANDLING OF A SUBCONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYEE'S PERSONAL INJURY LAWSUIT"
November 1, 2005 -- Thomas Jefferson School of Law, Speaker, "DIRECT EXAMINATION"
- 2006: September 7, 8, 9, 2006 -- DRI Construction Law Seminar in San Francisco -- Speaker, "THE STATUS AND IMPACT OF CLASS-ACTION LITIGATION FOR CONSTRUCTION DEFECTS"
- 2007: September 5, 2007 -- Quality Assurance presentation to attorneys and construction personnel, Scottsdale, Arizona
March 9, 2007 -- AEI-Brookings Joint Center for Regulatory Studies Construction Defect Judicial Symposium at Chapman University Law School, Anaheim, California -- Speaker, "CLASS ACTIONS" AND "MASS ACTIONS"
- 2008: October 9-10, 2008 -- Association of Defense Counsel of Northern California and Nevada seminar in Reno and Las Vegas -- Presentation entitled "LITIGATING CONSTRUCTION DEFECT CLAIMS IN NEVADA"
October 17, 2008 -- MC Consultants seminar in Colorado Springs -- Discussion of recent decision in Nevada case entitled G. Hayward v. Del Webb Communities

October 30, 2008 -- National Association of Home Builders Roundtable Meeting in Washington, D.C. -- Presentation regarding decisions in recent Nevada cases

December 4, 2008 -- Construction Defect Claims Manager Association -- Speaker, "REPORT ON TRIAL OF G. HAYWARD V. DEL WEBB, ET AL."

2009: May 14-15, 2009 -- West Coast Casualty Construction Defect Seminar -- Presentation entitled "HAYWARD VS. DEL WEBB: TRYING THE MASS TORT CASE"

2011: March 4, 2011 -- HB Litigation Conference -- Construction Litigation Leaders' Forum in Marina Del Rey, California -- Panel Member, Presentation entitled "WORST CASE SCENARIO: HOW TO PREPARE FOR A CD TRIAL -- MOCK SESSION"

April 27-28, 2011 -- WRECO Law Summit in Las Vegas, Nevada -- presentation re construction defects

November 3, 2011 -- Zurich Risk Management Seminar in Los Angeles, California -- presentation by Robert C. Carlson and Jay M. Bulger entitled "TRENDS IN CONSTRUCTION DEFECT PRODUCT LIABILITY CASES"

2012: March 8, 2012 -- HB Litigation Conferences -- Construction Litigation Leaders' Forum 2012 in Santa Monica, California -- presentation entitled "CLOSING ARGUMENTS FOR A CD TRIAL -- MOCK SESSION"

May 17, 2012 -- Leading Builders of America General Counsels Meeting in Houston, Texas -- Presentations entitled "YELLOW BRASS LITIGATION" and "CHAPTER 40, NEVADA'S CONSTRUCTION DEFECT STATUTES"

September 21, 2012 -- DRI Construction Law Seminar, Phoenix, Arizona -- Panel Member -- Presentation entitled "EFFECTIVE CONSTRUCTION MEDIATION"

2013: March 14, 2013 -- HB Litigation Conferences -- Construction Litigation Conference in Los Angeles, California -- Trial Dynamics -- Panel Member

2014: December 3, 2014 -- The State Bar of Nevada -- Construction Defect Claims: Litigation and Insurance Coverage Landmines and How to Navigate Them, Las Vegas, Nevada -- Panel Member

2017: May 18-9, 2017 -- West Coast Casualty Construction Defect Seminar -- Panel Member -- Presentation entitled "Ongoing Operations" Coverage for Additional Insureds

November 30, 2017 -- CDCC event -- Presentation re: Pulte Home Corporation v. American Safety Indemnity Company (2017) 14 Cal.App.5th 1086 [223 Cal.Rptr. 3d 47], rehearing denied (Sept. 20, 2017), review denied (Nov. 15, 2017)