RICHARD A. JAROLEM, ESQ.

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EXPERIENCE

2015- Present: Partner- Traub Lieberman Straus & Shrewsberry, Palm Beach County Florida. With regard to insurance liability matters, I have litigated as lead counsel on behalf of insured (appointed by captives and insurers alike) in CGL matters, construction defect claims on behalf of contractors and subcontractors and professional liability claims negligence claims involving doctors, lawyers architects and engineers. With regard to insurance coverage matters, I have been primary counsel in reviewing policies and rendering binding opinions of determinations for coverage for several insurers and/or captives. Additional commercial litigation matters include but are not limited to representing physician expert witnesses, employment law concerning duties for employees, officers and directors, and covenants not to compete; governmental issues including but not limited to referendum initiative challenges, comprehensive plan challenges, sunshine law issues in both civil and criminal areas, land use litigation and eminent domain issues; commercial business disputes including but not limited to actions for dissolution, shareholder derivative actions, and breach of contract actions; other matters include trademark actions, landlord tenant disputes, evictions, foreclosure, collections, asset protection and bankruptcy. Typical partner duties include acting as lead counsel at trial; drafting and overseeing pleadings, discovery motions, substantive legal memoranda, jury instructions, stipulations, appellate briefs and arguments and the supervision of associate attorneys.

2013-2015: Partner- Wilson Elser Moskowitz Edelman & Dicker, Palm Beach County, Florida. Substantially same job description regarding commercial litigation as current position.

2008- 2013: Partner Ciklin, Lubitz et. al. (f/k/a Casey Ciklin, et. al.), Palm Beach County, Florida:

Substantially same job description regarding commercial litigation as current position.

2000-2008: **Associate Attorney from 2000-2007**; **Partner 2008-2013-** Substantially same job description regarding commercial litigation as current position.

1998-2000: Assistant Public Defender- Felony Division, Palm Beach County, Florida: Responsible for overseeing felony case load in all aspects of representation in all non-capital felonies.

1997-1998: Assistant Public Defender- Misdemeanor Division Chief, Palm Beach County, Florida; Responsible for caseload and oversight of three attorneys in all aspects or representation.

1996-1997: Associate Attorney - Law Offices of Keitel & Keitel, Palm Beach, Florida; Responsible for representing clients at adversarial hearings regarding securities actions before the NASD, AMEX and NYSE.

EDUCATION/BAR ADMISSIONS

Florida Bar- Admitted April, 1996, bar # 0074950

Federal Bar- United States Supreme Court, US District Court (Southern District of Florida,

Middle District of Florida, Northern District of Florida)

Thomas M. Cooley Law School - Juris Doctor, August 1995

Honors: Dean's List, Honor Roll, Moot Court, Academic Scholarship

University of South Florida, B.A., Criminology, 1991

Honors: Deans List, etc.

REFERENCES Furnished on Request