



Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy

Burr & Forman's commitment to the changing needs of lenders and creditors is evidenced by its substantial creditors' rights and bankruptcy practice. We have one of the largest bankruptcy practice groups in the Southeast with over 40 attorneys concentrating in this area of law.

For decades, Burr & Forman attorneys concentrating in creditors' rights have been actively involved in major bankruptcy proceedings in the Southeast and beyond. Our work began with an emphasis on representing major secured lenders in Chapter 11 bankruptcies, but our practice has evolved far beyond its initial role.

Our experience is extensive in the mining, food and beverage, manufacturing, real estate, health care, agriculture, retail, and construction industries. On the creditor side, we represent financial services institutions and asset-based lenders, and local, regional, and national banks. We serve as counsel to REITs, equipment sellers, and lessors.

Along with our expanding representation in creditors' rights cases, we also counsel and represent business entities experiencing financial distress. Our attorneys have substantial experience in the representation of business debtors including manufacturers, educational institutions, professional services organizations, retailers, real estate developers, and health care providers in workouts and insolvency proceedings.

We work with clients on many issues including:

- Avoidance actions
- Bankruptcy/Chapter 11 & 9
- Bankruptcy class actions

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- Bankruptcy litigation
- Class action
- Dealer distribution
- Debtor in possession financing
- Distressed property
- Inventory finance
- Lender liability
- Receiverships
- Section 363 sales
- Workouts & restructuring

News

- David Houston Honored with 2023 TMA Turnaround/Transaction of the Year Award
Firm News, 08.25.2023
- Seven Burr Attorneys Named to Lawdragon's 2023 List of Leading Bankruptcy & Restructuring Lawyers
Firm News, 06.29.2023
- Burr & Forman Attorneys Selected to 2023 Georgia Super Lawyers List
Firm News, 02.09.2023
- Burr & Forman Expands Across Southeast with Addition of 15 Attorneys
Firm News, 11.21.2022
- Herndon and Penny Recognized in Nashville Business Journal's 2022 Best of the Bar
Firm News, 08.01.2022

Events

- Southeast Bankruptcy Workshop
Speaking Engagement, Amelia Island, FL, 07.20.2023
- Attorney Co-Chair, Roadways to the Bench: Who Me? A Bankruptcy or Magistrate Judge?
Speaking Engagement, 04.20.2023
- Panelist, Attorney's Fees and Ethical Implications, 47th Annual Alexander L. Paskay Memorial Bankruptcy Seminar
Speaking Engagement, Tampa, FL, 02.21.2023

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SCOPE OF SERVICES

Avoidance Actions
Bankruptcy Litigation
Commercial Landlord/Tenant Litigation
Debtor in Possession Financing
Lender Liability
Receiverships
Section 363 Sales
Workouts, Restructurings, & Enforcement

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Publications

- U.S. Supreme Court Ruling May Impact Property Rights in Alabama
Media Mention, 06.05.2023
- Erich Durlacher Details Economic Downturn Considerations for Financial Institutions in Bankruptcy
Strategist
Article, 11.03.2022
- Beverage Wholesalers Deal With Bang Bankruptcy
Articles / Publications, 10.13.2022
- J. Patrick Warfield Quoted in ABA Journal on Medical Debt Disputes
Firm News, 06.09.2022
- Toxins-Are-Us: Bankruptcy Treatment of Environmental Liabilities
Articles / Publications, 07.02.2021