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Practice Areas

Antitrust & Trade Regulation
Business & Commercial Litigation
Class Action Defense & Multi-District Litigation
Disaster Preparedness & Recovery
Economic Development
Energy
Energy, Environment & Natural Resources
FEMA & SBA Assistance
Tax & Fiduciary Litigation
Telecommunications & Utilities

Bar Admissions

Louisiana, 1979

Education

University of Virginia School of Law, J.D., 1979
University of Virginia, B.A., 1972, with distinction; Echols Scholar; Omicron Delta Kappa; Raven Society; Dean's List; NROTC Scholarship; Intermediate Honors



Ned Bergin is a partner in the firm's Business & Commercial Litigation Practice Group. His commercial litigation practice focuses on utility regulation, complex and class action litigation, contract litigation, energy litigation, and antitrust matters. Mr. Bergin represents publicly held entities in these areas, and his clients include large nationwide telecommunications providers and energy production and cogeneration companies.

Mr. Bergin's public utility regulatory practice focuses primarily on practice before the Louisiana Public Service Commission, where he has represented telecommunications and electric companies, water and sewer companies, and certain large industrial consumers.

Noteworthy

- Listed in the *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2012 (Copyright 2011 Woodward/White, Inc., Aiken, SC) in the areas of Bet-the-Company Litigation, Commercial Litigation, and Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy) (listed annually since 2005)
- Recognized in "*Chambers USA – America's Leading Lawyers for Business*" in the area of Energy & Natural Resources: Utilities (annually since 2009)
- AV® Peer Review Rating in Martindale-Hubbell

Publications

- "Force Majeure and Impossibility of Performance Guide" Jones Walker E*Bulletin, September 17, 2008
- "Force Majeure Issues Relating to Katrina" September 26, 2005

Memberships

- American Bar Association (Member, Sections of Litigation, Antitrust Law, and Public Utility, Communications and Transportation Law)
- Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater New Orleans (Honorary Board Member and Former President)
- Friends of the Cabildo (Member, Board and Executive Committee)
- Louisiana State Bar Association (Assistant Bar Examiner, Torts; Member, Legislation Committee)
- March of Dimes, Greater New Orleans Division (Board Member, Former Chairman, Former State Board Member)
- New Orleans Bar Association

Court Admissions

U.S. Supreme Court, 1984

5th Cir., 1980

11th Cir., 1999

E.D. La., 1979

M.D. La., 1981

W.D. La., 1980

