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### Practice Areas

Appellate Litigation

Banking & Financial  
Services

Business & Commercial  
Litigation

Class Action Defense &  
Multi-District Litigation

Corporate & Securities

Corporate Compliance &  
White Collar Defense

International

Investment Management  
Legal Services

Professional Liability

Tax & Fiduciary Litigation

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### Bar Admissions

District of Columbia, 1992

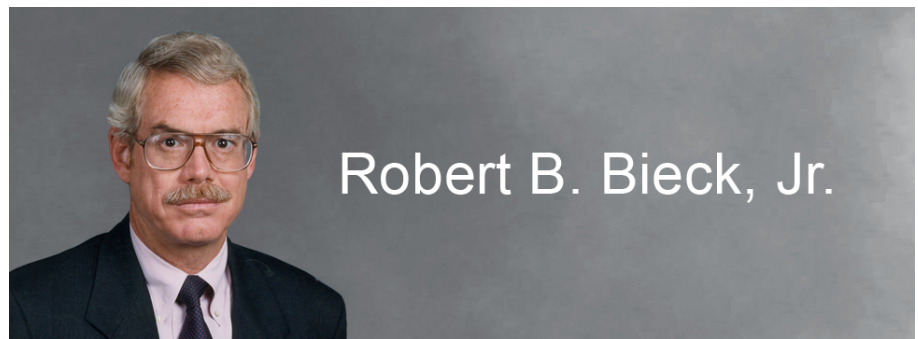
Louisiana, 1977

Texas, 1977

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### Education

Texas Tech University School of Law, J.D., 1977, with high honors; Order of the Coif; Phi Kappa Phi; Fulbright & Jaworski Scholarship, 1976; Phi Delta Phi; Articles and Topics Editor, *Texas Tech Law Review*, 1976–1977



Robert Bieck is a partner in the firm's Business & Commercial Litigation Practice Group, and focuses his practice primarily on the areas of securities and corporate governance litigation. He represents securities brokers, banks and other financial institutions, and corporations, as well as their directors, officers, and other employees, in matters arising under federal and state securities laws, general corporate laws, banking laws, and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA).

Mr. Bieck also represents accountants and attorneys in matters arising from their activities in these fields. His work in these areas includes counseling; compliance; internal investigations; defending private and class actions, arbitration, governmental, and self-regulatory organization (SRO) enforcement actions; handling the civil side of parallel civil, regulatory, and criminal proceedings; and related insurance coverage issues both for assureds and insurance carriers. Mr. Bieck also represents clients with regard to international transactions and handles contract negotiation and litigation under civil and common law, as well as Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations (RICO) Act litigation.

Since starting his career with Jones Walker, Mr. Bieck has handled the civil side of parallel proceedings involving corporate, securities, banking, and professional liability issues. He also conducts internal investigations and advises clients on related matters. Mr. Bieck has practiced before the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), various securities self-regulatory organizations and state securities regulatory agencies, as well as various federal and state courts. Mr. Bieck is a member of the Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association's Legal & Compliance Division, the National Society of Compliance Professionals, and the American Bar Association Sections of Business Law and Litigation.

University of Nebraska, B.A.,  
1974  
Rensselaer Polytechnic  
Institute

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### Noteworthy

- Listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2012 (Copyright 2011 by Woodward/White, Inc., Aiken, SC) in the areas of Litigation - Banking & Finance, Litigation - Mergers & Acquisitions, Litigation - Regulatory Enforcement (SEC, Telecom, Energy), and Litigation - Securities (listed annually since 2008)
  - Named "New Orleans *Best Lawyers* Litigation—Securities Law Lawyer of the Year" 2012
  - Listed in the 2009 edition of *Louisiana Super Lawyers* in the area of Securities Litigation (also listed in 2007)
  - **AV® Peer Review Rating in Martindale-Hubbell**
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### Presentations

- Investment Management Legal Services Quarterly Roundtable Luncheon Series  
Restaurant August, New Orleans, Louisiana, May 23, 2012
  - "What Board Members Need to Update in Their Current D&O Policy for 2010"  
ExecSense Webinars' Instant Impact Series, January 26, 2010
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### Publications

- "Pitfalls of Representing Special Litigation Committees: Tips to Prevent Waiver of the Attorney-Client Privilege"  
Jones Walker Insurance, Banking & Financial Services E\*Lert, June 25, 2008
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### Memberships

- American Bar Association (Member, Section of Business Law and Litigation)
  - District of Columbia Bar Association
  - Louisiana Bankers Association (Member, Bank Counsel Section)
  - Louisiana State Bar Association
  - National Society of Compliance Professionals
  - Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association (Member, Legal and Compliance Division)
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- State Bar of Texas (Member, Sections of Business Law and Litigation)
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#### **Languages**

- French (fluent)
  - Spanish (solid knowledge)
  - Turkish (conversational)
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#### **Court Admissions**

U.S. Supreme Court

5th Cir.

11th Cir.

D.C. Cir.

D.D.C.

E.D. La.

M.D. La.

W.D. La.

E.D. Tex.

N.D. Tex.

S.D. Tex.