



Brad Levien, Esq.

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Practice Summary

Brad Levien is a founding partner of Murphy Sanchez. He has been practicing in the litigation field since 1995. He sees clients as “partners” in litigation and establishes communication early in the case to address all concerns and goals.

Mr. Levien is an experienced trial lawyer who has handled matters at all phases of litigation for both insurance companies and self-insureds. Over the past twenty years, he has developed extensive experience in the defense of retail, restaurant, and hospitality clients. Mr. Levien has represented national companies in the areas of general liability, commercial and landlord-tenant litigation, and in regulatory areas. He is successful in the prosecution and defense of cases involving indemnification agreements, additional insured clauses, and coverage disputes.

Mr. Levien has tried numerous cases throughout New York State. He has also handled cases in the Appellate Division, all four (4) New York federal courts and the Second Circuit Court of Appeals. He has been asked by many clients to appear *pro hac vice* on cases handled by other firms in other states throughout the country. His experience in product and premises liability and his aggressive pursuit of the clients’ goals has not gone unnoticed. He has regularly been requested on high exposure and high-profile cases and has delivered strong results.

Brad is also a frequent presenter at industry events and seminars. Some of his past lecture topics include:

- Prosecution and defense of contractual and common law indemnity claims between landlords and tenants, contractors and subcontractors, and other entities.
- The privilege versus the discoverability of claim file materials and other investigation. - Proper and aggressive investigation methods and techniques for insurance companies and self insureds.
- Defense of New York liquor liability, dram shop and negligent security claims against bars and restaurants.
- The New York Personal Injury Protection/No Fault statutes and regulations pertaining to motor vehicle cases.

Admissions

New York State

United States District Court, Eastern District of New York
United States District Court, Southern District of New York
United States District Court, Northern District of New York
United States District Court, Western District of New York
Second United States Circuit Court of Appeals

Educational Background

Binghamton University, B.A., Double Major—Economics & Philosophy (1992)
Boston University School of Law, JD (1995)