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JOSEPH F. DEMPSEY, ESQ.
MANAGING PARTNER

PRACTICE AREAS

Corporate Law; Contract and Business Law; Wills and Trusts; Probate Law;
International Business Law

EDUCATION

Mississippi College, Juris Doctor (1980)

- Member of the Law Review
- Recipient of the American Jurisprudence Awards for excellence in Contracts and Labor law

Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana, Bachelor of Arts (1974)

Thunderbird School of Global Management, Master of International Management (1982)

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

Law studies at King's College, University of London - London, England;

United States International University - Sussex, England;

American College of Switzerland - Leysin, Switzerland;

Universidad de Madrid - Madrid, Spain; and

Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara - Guadalajara, Mexico.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

I have been licensed as an attorney since May of 1982 and I have served as the managing partner of Dempsey, Roberts & Smith, Ltd. since 1992. In addition, I have been the managing attorney for the LegalShield Department at our firm since October, 2011. My experience in the international business area includes preparation of joint venture agreements, internal consortium agreements, manufacturing license and technical assistance agreements and sales representative and distributor agreements. I have experience in obtaining U. S. import/export licenses and permits, (EAR and ITAR), ATA Carnets, etc. I am also completely familiar with the International Chamber of Commerce Incoterms®. Since 2010, I have been designated as a Distinguished Attorney under the category Business/Corporate Law by Martindale-Hubbell.

STATE BAR/COURT ADMISSIONS

State Bar of Nevada

State Bar of Florida

United States District Court – District of Nevada

United States Supreme Court

PERSONAL

I was designated as a Super Lawyer in the Mountain States by Super Lawyers Magazine, as well as having been deemed a Nevada Super Lawyer for the year 2007, by Las Vegas Life Magazine. I was past Chairman of the Southern Nevada International Business Counsel and currently am a member of the Nevada Committee on Foreign Relations, which is affiliated with the American Committees on Foreign Relations. I am also a member of the International Bar Association and member of the Anti-Corruption Committee. I am the recipient of numerous Clark County Pro-Bono Project Service Awards, for providing legal services to the less fortunate in our community. I am comprehensively fluent in Spanish and have knowledge of French.





EDUARDO J. RIVERA, ESQ.
ASSOCIATE

PRACTICE AREAS

Corporate Law; Contracts; Business Law; Tax Law; Civil Litigation

EDUCATION

Florida State University College of Law, Juris Doctor (2004)

Dartmouth College, Bachelor of Arts Degrees in Music and Psychology (2000)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

I have been licensed as an attorney since April 2005 and I have served as an associate with Dempsey, Roberts & Smith, Ltd. since 2007. In law school, I earned a Book Award as a top legal writer in my class.

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PERSONAL

I am fluent in Spanish and enjoy being active with many community groups in the greater Las Vegas area and in Henderson, Nevada.

