

PARTNER

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KEY SERVICES

Litigation

Arbitration and Mediation

Business Litigation

Business Counseling

Business Planning and Formation

Logistics & Transportation

Mergers & Acquisitions

EDUCATION

University of Rochester, BA, 1972 Boston College Law School, JD, 1975

ADMISSIONS

Courts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts

MEMBERSHIPS

Boston Bar Association

Massachusetts Bar Association

Transportation Lawyers Association

Overview

Richard leads the firm's Logistics and Transportation Practice Group and serves as a member of our Corporate and Litigation Departments. He joined Posternak following more than 20 years with Deutsch Williams, where he was one of the founding members of that firm. Richard represents clients throughout the country, including public and privately held companies as well as individuals. Richard seeks to provide all of his clients with tailored, hands-on legal representation ranging from personal advice to general corporate matters to the management of complex litigation. In the course of his practice, he is often called upon to act as outside general counsel conferring on all manner of business initiatives with his clients.

Richard devotes a significant portion of his time to representing middle market companies in a wide range of matters, including acquisitions, financing arrangements, commercial relations and drafting, corporate restructuring, governance, executive compensation, employment policy and administrative matters. He specializes in providing legal services to business involved in the logistics and transportation business, including logistics service providers, motor carriers, freight forwarders, custom house brokers, shipper associations, and companies that "consume" transportation services, such as shippers and receivers of freight.

Richard is a well-versed litigator with extensive experience in commercial disputes and other complex litigations. He also works with animal rights and welfare organizations and maintains an active interest in those practice areas.

Recognitions

- New England's Best Lawyers in 2018
- Massachusetts Super Lawyer in 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008 and every year from 2013 2018
- Best Lawyers in America, 2005, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017



- Rated Lawyers in Litigation in 2015 by ALM/Martindale-Hubbell
- Top Rated Lawyer in Transportation Law in 2012-2014 by ALM/Martindale-Hubbell

Outside Posternak

- Supports entities providing services to the Elder Community
- Supports Animal Rights and Welfare
- Richard enjoys travelling all over the world and is a true gastronome