



## Gregory J. McDonald

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### Profile

**Gregory represents clients at the trial and appellate levels of both state and federal courts.**

His practice involves representation of clients in commercial disputes, business tort litigation, employment discrimination litigation, trade secrets and employee non-compete litigation, contested fiduciary accountings, and construction related disputes on behalf of owners, contractors, design professionals and sureties. He also has handled a variety of collection matters for business clients.

Gregory served as an assistant attorney general in the Litigation Department of the New York State Department of Law and was a member of the litigation team that tried *New Jersey vs. New York* before a Special Master at the United States Supreme Court.

### Representative Matters

- representation of owner in litigation of claims of professional malpractice related to design of \$120 million capital improvement project
- representation of design professional and construction manager in litigation
- involving the design and construction of waste water treatment facility
- representation of owner in litigation involving claims of professional malpractice related to the design of a housing complex
- representation of owner in arbitration involving claim for additional payments by electrical contractor

### Honors & Affiliations

- Listed in:
  - *The Best Lawyers in America*®, Commercial Litigation, 2018-2026 (listed for more than 6 years)
  - *New York Super Lawyers*®, Business Litigation, 2023-2025
- New York State Bar Association
- Monroe County Bar Association, Litigation Council

### Representative Publications

### Education

- Pace University School of Law (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 1995)
- Tulane University (B.A. 1991)

### Bar/Court Admissions

- New York
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York
- U.S. District Court for the Northern District of New York
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of New York

### Practices

- Real Estate and Construction
- Litigation
- Labor and Employment
- School Law

- Chapter Co-Author, "New York Antitrust and Consumer Protection Law," *Third Edition*, New York State Bar Association, *State of New York Executive Law* § 63(12), 2011

### Other Activities

- Risk Management Committee, Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester