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# Practice Areas: Corporate Bankruptcy and Restructuring and Bankruptcy Litigation

A named and founding partner of Landis Rath & Cobb LLP, Rick practices in the areas of Corporate Bankruptcy and Restructuring and Bankruptcy Litigation. Rick is rated **AV** by Martindale Hubbell's Peer Review Rating system, signifying the highest level of professional excellence. He has more than twenty years of



experience as primary and co-counsel representing secured and unsecured creditors (such as sole or significant suppliers), secured lenders, debtors-in-possession, unsecured creditors' committees, directors and officers, surety companies, and asset purchasers. Rick appears for clients in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware and other bankruptcy courts in the United States.

Regarded as a Leading Lawyer in Bankruptcy and Restructuring by Chambers USA, Rick is admitted to practice in Delaware and Pennsylvania and before the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit. He is a member of the American Bankruptcy Institute, the Delaware State Bar Association and the Pennsylvania Bar Association. Rick graduated from Moravian College in 1987 and Villanova University School of Law in 1992. He has practiced in Delaware since graduating from law school, first with Duane Morris & Heckscher LLP (now Duane Morris LLP) as an associate, and then with Klett Rooney Lieber & Schorling PC (now Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC), achieving shareholder status in March 2002. Rick founded Landis Rath & Cobb LLP with Adam Landis and Dan Rath in July 2003.

# **Education**

Villanova University School of Law, J.D., 1992 Moravian College, B.A., 1987

# **Admissions to Practice**

Delaware Pennsylvania United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

## **Memberships & Associations**

American Bankruptcy Institute Delaware State Bar Association Pennsylvania Bar Association

#### **Awards and Honors**

Chambers USA - 2014-2020

Leading Lawyer in Bankruptcy/Restructuring – Delaware

Best Lawyers® 2017-2020

Martindale-Hubbell AV Preeminent Rating

America's Top 100 Bet-the-Company Litigators: Bankruptcy-Delaware

### **Publications**

Building the Best of Both Worlds, American Bar Association's Law Practice Today, March 2019

## **Panelist**

Anything But Bankruptcy – Revisited – American Bankruptcy Institute, Mid-Atlantic Conference, August 1, 2008

Out of the Frying Pan and Into the Fryer: Today's Restaurant and the Challenges Ahead – American Bankruptcy Institute, 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Winter Leadership Conference, December 10, 2010

# **Selected Representations**

Chapter 11 Committees:

Aegis Mortgage

Ascendia Brands, Inc.

**Atrium Windows and Doors** 

Delta Financial

**GeM Solutions** 

Global Power Equipment Group

Nuverra Environmental Solutions, Inc.

PJ Finance

Quicksilver Resources, Inc. (Received M&A Turnaround Award)

ResMAE Mortgage

Tribune Company

**Tuscany International** 

Asset Purchasers:

AWI Delaware, Inc., et al.

Borden Chemicals & Plastics

Bruno's Supermarkets

Central Grocers, Inc., et al.

Claim Jumper Restaurants

Eclipse Aviation Corp.

Fleming Companies

Joan Fabrics

**Orbcom Communications** 

Penn Traffic Company

Polaroid

Simmons Bedding Company

Steel Heddle

Synova Healthcare Group

Chapter 11 Debtors:

American Laser Centers

Argos Therapeutics, Inc.

**CLARK Material Handling Company** 

Matlack

**MPC** Computers

Orexigen Therapeutics, Inc.

Pecus ARG Enterprises, Inc. (Black Angus Steakhouse)

Chapter 7 Debtors:

English Equestrian

Jack K. Elrod Company

LecStar Telecom

**USDTV** 

Significant Creditors, Lenders and Other Parties In Interest:

Allen Family Foods

**A&P Supermarkets** 

Associated Wholesalers (Lender and Asset Purchaser)

AWI Delaware, Inc., et al.

Belle Foods (Lenders and Major Creditors)

Bi-Lo LLC (Major Creditor)

**Bolder Technologies** 

Bruno's Supermarkets (Major Creditor and Asset Purchaser)

**Budget Group** 

**Dura Automotive** 

DVI. Inc.

Enduro Resource Partners LLC, et al.

**Exide Technologies** 

Fruit of the Loom

Garden Ridge

Hancock Fabrics

Hilltop Energy, LLC

Hines Horticulture

**HQ** Global Holdings

iBAHN Holdings

IT Group

Just For Feet

Landsource Communities Development LLC

Marsh Supermarkets Holding, LLC, et al. (Supplier)

Mattress Firm, Inc.

**Nations Rent** 

New York State Teamsters Litigation

**Owens Corning** 

Penn Traffic Company

Qimonda

Reddy Ice

Refco

Southeastern Grocers, LLC

Strauss Auto

Toltec (Surety Company)

Tops Holding Corporation II, et al.

TPOP, LLC

**Trident Microsystems** 

VeraSun Energy

Verso Corporation, et al.

WCI Communities

White Rose, Inc. (Secured Lender and Asset Purchaser)

**Winstar Communications** 

WL Homes

WR Grace