



## Randall B. Weill

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Randall is a former Trial Attorney for the Civil Division of the U.S. Department of Justice and concentrates on the resolution of business disputes with a focus on complex litigation, including class actions, antitrust claims and government investigations. He is an experienced trial lawyer who has been successful before judges and juries in state and federal court. He also counsels business clients on various corporate and commercial matters, including Hart-Scott-Rodino filings, competition law, and rights and obligations under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA).

Randall has authored articles on various litigation topics, including the section on the United States in "Serving Process and Obtaining Evidence Abroad" by Kluwer Law International and "International Judicial Assistance in Civil Matters" for The Center for International Legal Studies in Salzburg, Austria.

He graduated from Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Virginia and earned his law degree from the University of Virginia School of Law. Following law school, he practiced law in Washington, D.C., with Howrey & Simon, a firm specializing in antitrust litigation until he joined the Justice Department. He joined Preti Flaherty in 1983.

### Admissions

- Maine
- U.S. District Court, District of Maine
- U.S. Court of Appeals, First Circuit
- U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit
- U.S. Tax Court
- U.S. District Court, District of Columbia
- U.S. Court of International Trade

### Education

- Washington & Lee University (B.S., *cum laude*, 1969)
- U.S. Army, Airborne Ranger
  - 1969 - 1974
- University of Virginia School of Law (J.D., 1977)

### Services

- [Antitrust & Competition](#)
- [Business Law](#)
- [Employment Law](#)
- [Litigation](#)

## Professional Activities

- Maine State Bar Association
- American Bar Association, Antitrust Section

## Honors & Recognition

- Martindale-Hubbell® AV Preeminent™ Peer Review Rating
- Recognized by *Best Lawyer's in America* for Antitrust Law, Commercial Litigation, Antitrust Litigation

## Civic and Charitable Activities

- First Parish Unitarian Church, Trustee
- Fort Williams Advisory Commission, former Chairman
- Served as a member of the committee that created the museum now located at the lighthouse keeper's quarters at the Portland Head Light
- Cape Elizabeth Television Advisory Board, former Chairman

## Publications

June 25, 2015

**Health Law and Employment Law Alert: Supreme Court Rules in King v. Burwell**

March 4, 2013

**Don't Miss Out: Transitional Relief Under the Affordable Care Act in 2013**

*Employment Law Alert*

October 3, 2011

**Implementation of Health Care Reform**

## Representative Matters

- *In re Auto Parts Antitrust Litigation* – Represents direct purchasers of multiple auto parts in a price fixing class action pending in federal court in Detroit, Michigan.
- *In re Iowa Ready-Mix Concrete Antitrust Litigation* – Represented direct purchasers of ready-mix concrete in price fixing class action in federal court in Sioux City, Iowa.
- *In re Marine Hose Antitrust Litigation* – Represented direct purchasers of marine hose in price-fixing class action in federal court in Miami.
- *Semi-Materials Co. Ltd v MEMC Electronic Materials et al* - Represented Korean manufacturer of solar energy products in breach of contract claim against U.S. manufacturer of polysilicon feed source in federal court in St. Louis, Missouri.
- *Lisa King v. Wyeth* – Represented Wyeth in diet drug litigation.
- *Catherine Knowles v. VISA USA* – Represented VISA USA in antitrust indirect purchaser class action in Maine.
- *Melnick v. Microsoft Corporation* – Represented Microsoft in antitrust class action concerning its Windows operating system.
- *Robinson Manufacturing v. Bank of America Commercial LLC* – Represented Bank

of America in commercial dispute regarding the factoring of woolen mill receivables.

- *Davric Maine v. Rancourt* – Represented individual defendant accused of antitrust violations in connection with harness horseracing in Maine.
- *Millett v. Atlantic Richfield, et al.* - Represented Atlantic Richfield in class action concerning gasoline additive MTBE and groundwater contamination.
- *Karofsky v. Abbott Laboratories, et al.* - Represented defendant American Home Products in antitrust class action concerning brand name pharmaceutical pricing.
- *National Semiconductor v. Foxboro* - Represented National Semiconductor in dispute regarding design and installation of computerized control system for semiconductor fabrication cleanroom.
- *Lewiston Auburn Cellular Inc., et al. v. Nynex Mobile Communications Company* – Represented local cellular telephone company in partnership dispute arising out of loss of FCC cellular license for Portland, Maine.
- *Key Bank of Maine v. Mariculture, Inc.* - Represented Key Bank of Maine in lender liability action arising out of the seizure of salmon aquaculture operation on Swan's Island, Maine.
- *Blue Cross Blue Shield of Maine v. Maine Grocers Association Insurance Trust*, - Represented ERISA plan in claim arising from embezzlement of plan assets by plan administrator.

## News

September 4, 2020

**Federal Indictments Follow Long-Running Antitrust Class Action in Ready-Mix Concrete Industry**

August 20, 2020

**48 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Selected by Peers for Inclusion in Best Lawyers in America 2021, Including 4 “Lawyers of the Year”**

August 15, 2019

**46 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Selected by Peers for Inclusion in Best Lawyers in America 2020, Including 3 “Lawyers of the Year”**

August 15, 2018

**46 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Selected by Peers for Inclusion in Best Lawyers in America 2019, Including 4 “Lawyers of the Year”**

August 15, 2017

**42 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Selected by Peers for Inclusion in Best Lawyers in America 2018**

August 15, 2016

**36 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Selected by Peers for Inclusion in Best Lawyers in America 2017**

August 17, 2015

**35 Attorneys Selected by Peers for Inclusion in The Best Lawyers in America® 2016**

August 22, 2014

**35 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Named to Best Lawyers 2015**

August 28, 2013

**36 Preti Flaherty Attorneys Selected for Inclusion in Best Lawyers 2014**

March 3, 2011

**Preti Flaherty Wins \$19 million Jury Verdict for Semi-Materials Co., Ltd.**

## **Press Coverage**

July 9, 2018

**Furukawa, Mitsubishi To Pay \$19.6M To End Antitrust Claims**

January 18, 2017

**Yazaki Settles Car Parts Antitrust Claims For \$212M**

March 12, 2012

**The Top 100 Verdicts of 2011**