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### PRACTICE AREAS

Litigation  
Trusts and Estates  
Financial Services

### INDUSTRIES

Insurance  
Real Estate

### BAR ADMISSIONS

The Florida Bar  
Colorado Bar  
New Jersey Bar

### COURT ADMISSIONS

U.S. District Court for  
the Southern and  
Middle Districts of  
Florida  
U.S. District Court for  
the District of New  
Jersey  
U.S. District Court for  
the District of  
Colorado  
U.S. Court of  
Appeals, 5th and 11th  
Circuits

A former professional athlete, Arnold L. Berman transferred his competitive instincts on the basketball court to the courtroom. He is a litigator who has handled multi-million dollar cases and was the firm-wide Managing Partner of Shutts & Bowen LLP for more than ten years. He is the Chairman of the West Palm Beach Litigation Department.

### EXPERIENCE

During 30 years in practice, Mr. Berman has counseled clients in disputes in various areas of the law. Although probate, trust and guardianship cases are his central focus, he also handles litigation involving commercial law, real estate, banking foreclosures, healthcare law, and products liability.

Mr. Berman represents national clients in large, commercial disputes. He has handled several multi-million dollar cases involving loss-of-profit claims, damage claims and probate, trust and guardianship disputes. Other examples include large commercial property foreclosures for leading institutions in finance and insurance, as well as the defense of catastrophic product liability and personal injury disputes.

### RECOGNITION

- Martindale-Hubbell A-V Rated
- *Florida Super Lawyers*, selected for inclusion in Estates & Trust Litigation, 2006, 2007, 2008

### BACKGROUND

While at Brown University, Mr. Berman was awarded an NCAA post-graduate scholarship, as well as the Brown University Class of 1907 Award for his academic and athletic achievement. In basketball, he was named to the Academic All-America, All-East, All-Ivy League, and All-New England teams, and earned Honorable Mention All-America honors. He was drafted by the NBA as well and still holds many of the scoring records at Brown University.

### EDUCATION

- University of Miami School of Law, J.D., 1977
- New York University Graduate School of Business Administration, M. B.A., 1975
- Brown University, B.A., 1972

