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OVERVIEW

As a Partner in the Dallas office of GRSM, Barret defends clients in complex litigation throughout the country. He is experienced in defending product manufacturers, premises owners, and employers through responding to new claims, fact and expert discovery, trial, and appeal. He has managed national litigation for large corporate clients, including coordination of national discovery and trial strategies, development of corporate and expert witnesses, training of local counsel in jurisdictions across the country, and reporting to in-house counsel and insurance carriers. He also serves as local counsel for a number of clients in Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Texas where he maintains licenses.

Always results-oriented, Barret works closely with his clients to develop case-specific litigation strategies. He prides himself on aggressively pursuing innovative and complex pre-trial defenses that have resulted in successful motions for summary judgment, preclusion of opposing expert witnesses, and extraordinary interlocutory appellate relief. He has served as briefing attorney and trial counsel in a

number of state and federal jurisdictions. He has authored numerous unique dispositive and Daubert/Frye motions that have resulted in summary judgment for his clients. His appellate experience includes interlocutory appeals in California and Arkansas that have resulted in the reversal of trial court orders and the dismissal of claims against his clients.

When not at work, he enjoys spending time with his wife and three boys, who are active with him in baseball, basketball, football, soccer, hunting, and fishing.

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

Trials

- *Arland and Dina Wieland v. ArvinMeritor, Inc., et al.*
- *Jennifer E. Bechtel, as Personal Representative of the Estate of Henry S. Eisler, Jr. v. Alcoa Corporation, et al.*
- *David and Rebecca Dorey v. Arconic, Inc., et al.*
- *Gregory Fordham, Individually and as Special Administrator of the Estate of Harold Fordham, deceased v. A.W. Chesterton, Inc., et al.*
- *Doris White v. Alcoa Inc., et al.*
- *Cami Bivert v. Caterpillar, Inc., et al.*
- *Natalie R. Dean, Individually and as Representative of the Estate of Paul Gaydos, Deceased, and Rebecca Lynn Karlik and Deane Maries Gaydos v. Alcoa, Inc.*
- *Pete and Nancye Bumgardner v. ABB, Inc., et al.*
- *Brenda Williams v. R. T. Vanderbilt, et al.*
- *Arleen Pellegal v. Northrop Grumman Ship Systems, Inc. f/k/a Avondale Industries, et al.*
- *Johnny Franklin, et al v. General Motors Corporation, et al.*
- *The Vince Hagan Company, Inc. v. The Sherwin-Williams Company*

Appellate Decisions

- *Hendrix v. Alcoa Inc.*, 2016 Ark. 453
- *Reynolds Metals Co. v. Circuit Court of Clark County*, 2013 Ark (Ark. Jun. 27, 2013)
- *Porocel Crop v. Circuit Court of Saline County*, 2013 Ark. 172 (Ark Apr. 25, 2013) (Amicus Curiae)
- *R.T. Vanderbilt Company Inc., v. The Superior Court of Los Angeles County*, Super. Ct. No. BC382727 (2008)

CREDENTIALS

Admissions

- Arkansas
- Oklahoma

- Texas
- U.S. District Courts, Northern and Eastern Districts of Texas

Memberships

- State Bar of Texas
- Arkansas Bar Association
- Oklahoma Bar Association
- Dallas Bar Association
- Texas Young Lawyers Association
- DRI
- Lake Highlands Area Improvement Association

Education

- J.D., *summa cum laude*, Thomas Jefferson School of Law, 2005
- *Thomas Jefferson Law Review*, Literary Editor
- B.A., Louisiana State University at Shreveport, 2001