

Jeffrey Thomas

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Jeff Thomas focuses his practice on insurance regulatory law and related matters. He has successfully led and managed complex regulatory and compliance issues for Fortune 100 companies on a national basis. His regulatory relationships and breadth of experience across all lines of insurance make him an effective advocate and trusted advisor for his clients on a wide range of business and public policy issues.

Practice Areas

Insurance Regulatory
Captive Insurance

Education

University of Arkansas School of Law
J.D. - (1987)

University of Arkansas,
B.A. - (1984)

Bar Admissions

Arkansas
District of Columbia

Experience

- Advises on and manages public policy and legislative issues before state and federal insurance regulators, including the National Association of Insurance Commissioners and National Conference of Insurance Legislators.
- Represents insurance companies on compliance issues in multi-state and single state market conduct and financial examinations, investigations and enforcement proceedings.
- Advises on and manages insurance holding company reorganizations, mergers and acquisitions, redomestications, insurance company formations and state expansions.
- Provides strategic advice and manages state and federal regulatory relationships for insurance companies and related financial institutions on a nationwide basis.
- Counsels business clients on risk management issues including formation and use of captives and other risk management vehicles.
- Frequent speaker at industry and trade meetings on compliance and risk management issues.

Professional Recognition

- *The Best Lawyers in America®:* Insurance Law (2009-2027)
- *The Best Lawyers in America®:* Administrative/Regulatory Law (2013-2027)
- Arkansas 250 - Arkansas' Most Influential Leaders 2021

Involvement

- Mitchell Williams
- Managing Partner (2020-2025)

- Board of Directors (2016-2019)
- Mitchell Williams Culture and Belonging Committee
- American Bar Association
- Arkansas Bar Association
- Pulaski County Bar Association
- District of Columbia Bar Association
- National Conference of Insurance Legislators - Insurance Education Council
- Association of Life Insurance Counsel