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Focus Areas

Labor Management Relations
Litigation and Trials
Investigations
Policies, Procedures and Handbooks
Healthcare
Hospitality
Retail

Overview

Alan L. Merriman is an experienced traditional labor lawyer having previously served as a field attorney in the Hartford office of the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) from 2014-2021. During that time, he handled hundreds of unfair labor practice charges and representation case investigations (petitions and elections). Alan has extensive experience as an advocate and litigator in his prior role as assigned counsel for the General Counsel of the NLRB. He has handled many unfair labor practice hearings before administrative law judges and has successfully negotiated resolutions to many complex matters.

Alan is also a Major, Judge Advocate General (JAG) officer serving in the National Guard. In that capacity, he has served as special victims' counsel (representing service members who report sexual assault crimes), defense counsel (representing soldiers accused of misconduct) and cyber law counsel. Alan regularly advises the Connecticut National Guard command regarding sexual harassment/assault prevention and response actions. He is a veteran of Operation Enduring Freedom and was the 2005 Connecticut National Guard Soldier of the Year.

Professional and Community Affiliations

- Member, American Bar Association
- Member, Connecticut Bar Association
- Board of Directors, Member, Congregation Brothers of Joseph

Recognition

- Named, Soldier of the Year, *Connecticut National Guard*, 2005

Education

J.D., University of Connecticut School of Law, 2010

B.S., University of Connecticut, 2007

Bar Admissions

Connecticut

Courts

U.S. District Court, District of Connecticut

Tribal Court, Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation

Publications & Press

Littler Adds Former NLRB Attorney in Connecticut

Littler Press Release

May 3, 2021

Speaking Engagements

Virtual Organizing, Mail-Ballot Elections, and Recent NLRB Decisions on Manual Elections: Trends and Best Practices Based on a (COVID) Year in Review

June 24, 2021