

Elizabeth Pérez-Lleras

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Focus Areas

Wage and Hour Appellate Discrimination and Harassment Hiring, Performance Management and Termination Workers' Compensation Home Health and Home Care

Overview

Elizabeth Pérez-Lleras has experience in all areas of employment, including traditional labor litigation and counseling. She has represented employers in litigation matters before state and federal courts and administrative agencies and has broad experience in complex wage and hour collective actions. She excels in appellate practice and has participated in several important cases before the U. S. Court of Appeals, First Circuit and the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico.

After graduating law school, Elizabeth began her law career at Schuster LLC and was elevated to partner within five years.

Professional and Community Affiliations

• Member, Puerto Rico Bar Association

Recognition

- Recipient, President's Award, University of Puerto Rico
- Golden Key International Honor Society

Education

J.D., University of Puerto Rico, 2003, *magna cum laude* B.S., University of Puerto Rico, 2000, *magna cum laude*

Bar Admissions

Puerto Rico

Courts

U.S. Court of Appeals, 1st Circuit Supreme Court of Puerto Rico U.S. District Court, District of Puerto Rico

Languages

Spanish English

Publications & Press

Littler Attorneys Named in 2024 Best Lawyers™ for Colombia, Portugal, Puerto Rico and Spain Littler Press Release November 16, 2023

Hot off the Press: New Labor Reform Bill for Puerto Rico

Littler Insight June 21, 2022

The Women's Advocate Office of Puerto Rico Publishes Guidelines on Lactation Room Standards *Littler ASAP* February 19, 2021

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q2 2020 *Littler Global Guide Quarterly* July 23, 2020

Governor of Puerto Rico Extends Curfew and Relaxes Lockdown *Littler Insight* May 2, 2020 Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q1 2020 Littler Global Guide Quarterly April 15, 2020

Puerto Rico Enacts Law Creating Special Paid Leave for Non-Exempt Employees in the Private Sector Littler ASAP April 14, 2020

Puerto Rico Department of Labor Issues New Opinion Regarding Employee Compensation and Available Leaves During the COVID-19 Emergency Littler ASAP March 24, 2020

Puerto Rico Transportation Bureau Issues Additional Guidance on COVID-Related Shutdown and Curfew Littler ASAP March 20, 2020

Puerto Rico Agencies Issue Guidance Clarifying Executive Order on COVID-19 Shutdown and Curfew Measures Littler Insight

March 18, 2020

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q4 2019 Littler Global Guide Quarterly January 22, 2020

New Legislation Precludes Employers in Puerto Rico from Using Credit Reports or Credit History to Take Employment Actions Littler ASAP November 4, 2019

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q2 2019 Littler Global Guide Quarterly July 17, 2019

Guidelines on the Interpretation of Puerto Rico's Employment Legislation, Chapters 6 and 8 *Littler Insight* June 21, 2019

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q4 2018 *Littler Global Guide Quarterly* January 16, 2019 Puerto Rico Treasury Department Changes Tax Reporting on Act 80 Payments Made During Tax Year 2018 Littler ASAP November 5, 2018

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q3 2018 *Littler Global Guide Quarterly* October 11, 2018

Puerto Rico: New Act Extends the List of Authorized Deductions to Non-Exempt Employees' Wages Littler ASAP July 17, 2018

New Act in Puerto Rico Establishes a Special Paid Leave for Employees Suffering from Catastrophic Illnesses Littler ASAP February 2, 2018

New Act Prohibits Employers in Puerto Rico from Using Absences to Measure Employee Efficiency and Performance Littler ASAP January 30, 2018

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q4 2017 Littler Global Guide Quarterly January 19, 2018

Littler Global Guide - Puerto Rico - Q3 2017 *Littler Global Guide Quarterly* October 12, 2017

Hurricane Maria's Aftermath: Highlights of Available Government Assistance for Puerto Rico Residents Littler Insight October 12, 2017

Puerto Rico Approves Major Reform of its Employment Laws

Littler ASAP January 26, 2017

Amendment to Act 180 Imposes Civil Penalties on Employers for Violations Littler ASAP October 3, 2014 Recent Puerto Rico Court of Appeals Rulings Provide Guidance Regarding What Constitutes a Transfer of Going Business Littler ASAP April 14, 2014

Recent Puerto Rico Court of Appeals Rulings Provide Guidance Regarding What Constitutes a Transfer of Going Business Littler ASAP April 11, 2014

Speaking Engagements

Puerto Rico Labor Reform 2022: Amendments to the Puerto Rico Labor Transformation and Flexibility Act July 5, 2022

2021 Puerto Rico Virtual Regional Employer Conference San Juan, PR November 16, 2021

Reestructuración de costos sin terminar contratos de trabajo May 22, 2020

2019 Puerto Rico Conference San Juan, PR April 12, 2019

2018 Littler Puerto Rico Conference

San Juan, PR April 19, 2018

Puerto Rico Wage and Hour Webinar "Arroz y Habichuelas" San Juan, PR March 8, 2018

2017 Littler Global Puerto Rico Conference San Juan, PR April 7, 2017

Puerto Rico Labor Reform 2017: What You Need to Know San Juan, PR February 16, 2017

Second Annual Puerto Rico Conference

Condado VanderbiltSan Juan, Puerto Rico August 18, 2016

Littler Global Puerto Rico Conference

San Juan, PR August 20, 2015