



Practice Areas

Commercial, Finance, and Real Estate

Corporate and Business Organizations

Education

Harvard Law School, J.D., 1982
Davidson College, A.B., 1979,
magna cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa

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Mr. Ruby is a partner in the Vorys Columbus office and a member of the commercial and real estate practice group. He specializes in commercial finance, including representation of borrowers and lenders in credit facilities and letters of credit. His practice also includes aircraft transactions, commercial contracts and opinion letters.

Career highlights include:

- Representing a home builder and a retail company in the negotiation of multi-bank credit facilities
- Representing various companies in the acquisition of ownership or lease interests in aircraft
- Representing asset-based lenders in numerous transactions, including those involving subordinated debt

Mr. Ruby is a member of the American Bar Association, the Ohio State Bar Association, the Columbus Bar Association and the Lawyer-Pilot Bar Association.

Mr. Ruby has presented seminars on Revised Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code, letters of credit and opinion letters.

Mr. Ruby received his J.D. from Harvard Law School and his A.B. *magna cum laude* from Davidson College where he was Phi Beta Kappa.

Publications

L. M. McCorkle, Jr. & Thomas O. Ruby, "Contracts for the Sale of Gas - A Uniform Commercial Code Analysis," *Eastern Mineral Law Institute*, 1986 (Vol. 7, Ch. 15)

Client Alert: Final Rule Requiring Aircraft Re-Registration Becomes Effective

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Honors and Awards

The Best Lawyers in America, Columbus Lawyer of the Year, Banking Law, 2009

The Best Lawyers in America, Equipment Finance Law, 2007-2012

The Best Lawyers in America, Banking and Finance Law, 2012

The Best Lawyers in America, Banking Law, 2001-2011

Ohio Super Lawyers, Banking, 2004-2005

Columbus CEO, Top Lawyers in Columbus, 2010-2012

Fellow of the Columbus Bar Foundation since 1996

Bar and Court Admissions

Ohio