



## James J. McMonagle

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Mr. McMonagle is of counsel in the Vorys Cleveland office and a member of the corporate and finance and litigation practice groups. He has been involved with the mediation and arbitration of complex cases throughout the United States, including tort business, securities and employment litigation as well as unwinding and restructuring businesses as a result of unexpected market changes. Mr. McMonagle also assists healthcare and other corporate entities in strategic planning.

### Practice Areas

Antitrust and Trade Regulation  
Bankruptcy and Creditors' Rights  
Corporate and Business Organizations  
Government Relations  
Labor and Employment Litigation

### Industries

Health Care Services

### Education

Cleveland State University,  
Cleveland-Marshall College of Law, J.D., 1970  
Georgetown University, B.S., B.A., 1966

### Career highlights include:

- Serving as a Judge of the Common Pleas Court of Cuyahoga County for thirteen years
- Serving as General Counsel, Senior Vice President and Secretary, University Hospitals Health System and University Hospitals of Cleveland
- Serving as Board Member of a Fortune 500 Company

Mr. McMonagle is a member of the American Bar Association, the Ohio State Bar Association, the Cleveland Bar Association, the American Arbitration Association and the American Judges Association.

Mr. McMonagle has spoken around the country on asbestos litigation and has also been a frequent lecturer to judges on a state and federal level. Presentation topics have included product liability, employment law, mediation techniques and other areas.

Mr. McMonagle received his J.D. from the Cleveland State University, Cleveland-Marshall College of Law and his B.S. and B.A. from Georgetown University.

Mr. McMonagle has authored dozens of reported cases that are contained in the Ohio Official Reports and North Eastern Reporter System.

## James J. McMonagle (Continued)

### Professional and Community Activities

Cleveland Bar Association, Board Member, 1990-1995

Ohio State Bar Association, Delegate, elected in 1987 and re-elected in 1991

First Friday Club of Cleveland, President, 1980

### Honors and Awards

*The Best Lawyers in America*, Cleveland Arbitration Lawyer of the Year, 2012

*The Best Lawyers in America*, Arbitration, 2012

*The Best Lawyers in America*, Mediation, 2012

*The Best Lawyers in America*, Alternative Dispute Resolution, 2006-2011

Fellow of the Ohio State Bar Foundation, 1988-present

*The Best Lawyers in America*, Antitrust Law, 2005-2006

Jurisprudence Award, 2000

Outstanding Judge in Ohio, 1990

### Bar and Court Admissions

Ohio

U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio