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PRACTICE AREAS

Taxation

EDUCATION

Osgoode Hall Law School, LL.M,
2011

University of Ottawa, LL.B, 2006

Michigan State University
College of Law, JD., 2005

Wilfrid Laurier University, B.A.,
2002

BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia

U.S. Tax Court

U.S. Supreme Court

Florida

Ontario, Canada

*Admitted to practice law only in
the states listed above.*

Ken is of counsel in the Vorys Washington, D.C. office and a member of the probate and tax group. He has more than a decade of experience counseling clients in all aspects of real property tax law including the review of tax assessments and property tax management for large corporations. Ken also has extensive experience in litigation and has represented clients in real property tax valuation disputes and appeals. In addition, he has experience with sales and state tax issues.

Ken has served as tax counsel for some of the largest companies in the country and was involved in many complex property tax and valuation cases, often using his skills as a litigator and knowledge of alternative dispute resolutions to resolve matters effectively and efficiently. He has worked with property owners on valuation matters in many jurisdictions, including DC, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, Washington, Maine, Texas, Virginia, Ohio, Michigan, New Jersey, Alaska, California, Puerto Rico and Canada.

Ken has lectured on property tax valuation and dispute resolution issues all over the world including in Hong Kong, Amsterdam and Malaysia.

Ken is a member of the Institute for Professionals in Taxation (IPT) and a member of the organization's legal committee. In addition, he is also a member of the National Association of Property Tax Attorneys (NAPTA), where he currently serves on the board as Vice President.

Ken received a J.D. from Michigan State University College of Law. He received an LL.M. in tax from Osgoode Hall Law School and a LL.B. from the University of Ottawa. He is also certified as a specialist in civil litigation by the Law Society of Ontario. Ken earned a certificate in adjudication for administrative agencies, boards and tribunals from Osgoode Hall Law School in 2016.

Insights

"Multistate Review of Property Tax Decisions and Developments," July 17, 2019

"Time is Running Out to File Tax Appeals in Nearly 10 States," July 17, 2019

"Multistate Review of Property Tax Developments and Decisions," April 10, 2019

"Time is Running Out to File Tax Appeals in More Than 20 States," April 10, 2019

"Time Is Running Out to File Appeals in Ohio and Other Jurisdictions," March 7, 2019

"*Client Alert: Time to File Real Property Tax Complaints in Ohio for Tax Year 2018,*" February 12, 2019

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"Time is Running Out to File Appeals Across the Country," January 8, 2019

"Time to File Real Property Tax Complaints in Ohio for Tax Year 2018," January 8, 2019

"Multistate Review of Property Tax Decisions and Developments," August 2018

"Time Is Running Out to File Appeals in Nine States," August 2018

Professional and Community Activities

NAIOP National Tax and Finance Subcommittee, Member 2019

IPT Legal Committee. 2015-present; 2018 Annual Conference Associate Chair, 2019 PT Symposium Committee

DC Bar Global Legal Practice Standing Committee, 2018-present

ABA Tax Section, Ad Valorem Tax Sub Committee

Events

ABA/IPT Advanced Property Tax Seminar