



Shelby County Government

MARK H. LUTTRELL, JR.
MAYOR

June 3, 2011

The Honorable Sidney Chism, Chairman
Shelby County Board of Commissioners
160 N. Main, Suite 450
Memphis, TN 38103

Dear Chairman Chism:

Pursuant to the rules and regulations governing the Economic Development Growth Engine Industrial Development Board of the City of Memphis and the County of Shelby, Tennessee, the following are nominees for appointment to the Board of Directors:

Joint nominee by the City and County Mayors: Al Bright

City Mayor nominees: Mark Halperin, Deidre Malone, Jack Moore, Johnny Moore, and City Councilman Kemp Conrad

County Mayor nominees: Natasha Donerson Bowen, Tom Dyer, Charlie Goforth, Larry Jackson, and Shelby County Commissioner Mike Ritz.

For your use, biographical information is attached and approval of the Board of Commissioners will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mark H. Luttrell, Jr.
Mayor

Enclosure

Al Bright, Jr.

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PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

Butler, Snow, O'Mara, Stevens & Cannada, PLLC,
Attorney, Corporate & Securities

Memphis, Tennessee
Summer 2002 (Summer Associate)
September 2003 to Present

- Draft various types of legal documents such as:
 - ❖ purchase agreements for the acquisitions involving both private and public entities;
 - ❖ confidentiality and non-disclosure agreements, consulting agreements, and employment agreements;
 - ❖ private placement or confidential memoranda for equity offerings; and
 - ❖ distribution agreements, sales agreements and licensing agreements.
- Participate in the operation of both public and privately held companies, including drafting and reviewing service agreements and management agreements.
- Draft formation documents for various business entities, including shareholders' agreements, operating agreements and partnership agreements.
- Coordinate due diligence processes for acquisitions.

Legal Aid of East Tennessee
Law Clerk

Knoxville, Tennessee
January 2003 to June 2003

- Drafted lease agreements and participated in negotiations of lease terms with the Knoxville Community Development Corporation.
- Analyzed and interpreted healthcare statutes and regulations for senior counsel.

Shelby County Public Defender's Office
Law Clerk

Memphis, Tennessee
Summer 2001

- Assisted with trial preparation for cases heard in General Sessions and Criminal Court.
- Analyzed and interpreted criminal statutes and judicial opinions.

Tennessee General Assembly
Legislative Intern

Nashville, Tennessee
Spring 2000

- Drafted bill summaries for the Senate General Welfare Committee.
- Monitored bills in various Senate and House committees.

EDUCATION

University of Tennessee College of Law, Knoxville, Tennessee
Doctorate of Jurisprudence, Concentration in Business Transactions, Spring 2003
Executive Editor, *Transactions: The Tennessee Journal of Business Law*
Dean's List – Spring 2001 (Honors), Spring 2002 (Honors), and Spring 2003 (Honors)

University of Memphis, Memphis Tennessee
Bachelor of Business Administration, Finance, *cum laude*, Summer 2000

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Admitted to practice before the following courts: United States District for the Western District of Tennessee and Tennessee Supreme Court.
Member of the following bar associations: American Bar Association, National Bar Association, Tennessee Bar Association and Memphis Bar Association
Memphis Leadership Academy, Fellows Program (invited to participate in the inaugural class)
Memphis Bar Association, Leadership Forum (invited to participate in the inaugural class)

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SAMPLE OF REPRESENTATIVE TRANSACTIONS

Mergers and Acquisitions

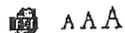
- ❖ Assisted in acquisition of division of a U.S. publicly held company by a Canadian publicly held company, including coordinating due diligence and negotiating and drafting ancillary documents for transaction.
- ❖ Assisted in acquisition of health care provider, including negotiating and drafting of purchase agreement, management agreement and operating agreement.
- ❖ Assisted in acquisition of privately held service company, including negotiating and drafting of purchase agreement and transfer of intellectual property.
- ❖ Assisted in acquisition of a community bank, including negotiating and drafting of purchase agreement, employment agreements and ancillary documents.
- ❖ Assisted in acquisition of multi-level sales company, including drafting of purchase agreement, operating agreement, shareholders' agreement and other ancillary documents.

Securities

- ❖ Drafted private placement memoranda for equity offering and filed documents regarding exemptions from registration with the Securities and Exchange Commission and state regulatory authorities.
- ❖ Filed documents with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and state regulatory authority authorities regarding the offer and sale of securities.
- ❖ Assisted in formation of broker-dealer, including approval process with the NASD and various state regulatory agencies.

General Business

- ❖ Drafted formation documents for numerous corporations, general partnerships, limited partnerships and limited liability companies.
- ❖ Drafted employment agreements and consulting agreements for various types of professionals, including senior management of both public and privately held companies and health care professionals.
- ❖ Drafted management and services agreements for both public and privately held companies.
- ❖ Drafted and negotiated promissory notes, lines of credit and security agreements.
- ❖ Drafted and negotiated distribution and manufacturing agreements for use in United States, Europe and Asia.
- ❖ Drafted and negotiated licensing agreements regarding the use of intellectual property.



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Areas of Emphasis

Mergers and Acquisitions
Joint Ventures and Strategic
Collaborations
Pharmaceutical, Biotechnology,
Medical Device and Healthcare
Securities
Business Planning and Operations

Associations

American Bar Association
National Bar Association
Tennessee Bar Association
Memphis Bar Association

Distinctions

Mid-South Rising Stars®,
Business/Corporate
Fellow, Memphis Leadership Academy
Leadership Forum, Memphis Bar
Association, Class of 2005
Director, Memphis-Shelby County
Community Redevelopment Agency
Legal Counsel, Medtronic, Inc., 2007-08

Bar Admissions

Tennessee, 2003

Education & Honors

University of Tennessee, J.D., Executive
Editor, Transactions: The Tennessee
Journal of Business Law, 2003
University of Memphis, B.B.A., 2000

Legal Experience

Representation of both public and private companies in a variety of industries, including healthcare, financial services, in the sale or disposition of businesses and divisions.
Representation of companies in commercial transactions, including drafting and negotiating licensing agreements, supply agreements and distribution and sales agreements.
Counseling companies in connection with capital formation activities, including the private placement of securities and venture capital financings.
Representation of clients in connection with organizational and business planning.

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