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For more than three decades, Elizabeth has assisted clients with probate and business-related litigation throughout New Jersey.

She has extensive experience in handling will contests, guardianships, employment law, external audits, health care litigation, shareholder litigation, misappropriation and dissolution.

She also represents litigants in hotly contested probate matters, and is frequently appointed by New Jersey courts in probate matters.

Among her successes: She successfully invoked the “in terrorem” provision of a woman’s will, leading a significant share of the estate to be diverted to a New Jersey charity. Such provisions, which threaten a beneficiary with forfeiture if he or she challenges a will, are often unenforceable, but Elizabeth won a favorable ruling in New Jersey state court and defended it on appeal. The N.J. Supreme Court denied certiorari.*

*Results may vary depending on your particular facts and legal circumstances.

In addition to her probate practice, Elizabeth represents partnerships, limited partnerships and companies and medical providers in disputes regarding fiduciary duties, valuation, misappropriation and dissolution.

She is adept at developing strategies tailored to a client’s national and international legal needs. She provides a range of services, including agreement preparation, sale and purchase arrangements and litigation counseling for a variety of businesses, and her strategic guidance also extends to real estate and tax appeal matters. With an emphasis on educating clients to develop best practices in their organizations, Elizabeth offers guidance to a broad array of professionals and businesses to ensure that they are ahead of the legal curve.

Elizabeth also has a particular fluency in health law matters. Her clients—including general practitioners, dentists, therapists, psychologists, chiropractors and specialists—rely on her deep understanding of regulations surrounding the medical profession. She is experienced in practice formation, employment contracts, partnership agreements, restrictive covenants, administrative regulations, professional board matters, contract disputes, general practice management, medical powers of attorney, mergers, insurance issues and general litigation matters. She also assists medical providers in responding to audits, inquiries by the Board of Medical Examiners and other agencies, as well as claims by medical insurers.

In addition, Elizabeth counsels and represents clients in real estate and tax appeal litigation matters. She is a certified arbitrator and Chair of the Equity Committee for the Burlington County Bar Association. She has also lectured on topics including probate litigation, civil trial preparation and chancery practice.

Services

- Litigation
- Health Law
- Fiduciary Litigation
- White-Collar Criminal Defense & Regulatory Compliance
- Privacy & Data Security
- Animal Law
- Property Tax

Before Fox Rothschild

Prior to joining the firm, Elizabeth was a founding member of a prominent New Jersey law firm where she headed its litigation practice. She also spent time as a business law associate with a New Jersey-based firm.

During law school, Elizabeth was an intern for Judge Stanley Brotman of the U.S. District Court in Camden, and clerked for Judge Myron Gottlieb in the General Equity Division of the Burlington County Superior Court.

Beyond Fox Rothschild

Elizabeth is President of the Board of Director of CASA Mercer/ Burlington. She also serves on the Board of Directors of Princeton Regional Chamber of Commerce and as Chair of Women in Business Alliance.

Active in the community, Elizabeth serves on the board of the Woodlands Community Association, Inc. and chairs the Bylaw Committee of Helen Beeler Elementary School's Parent Teacher Association. She also served as a coach for the youth soccer and track teams of the Marlton Recreation Council.

Bar Admissions

- New Jersey

Court Admissions

- U.S. Court of Appeals, Third Circuit
- U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Education

- Rutgers Law School (J.D., 1990)
- Rutgers University, New Brunswick (B.A., 1987)

Memberships

- America Inns of Court
- Association of Trial Lawyers of America
- Burlington County Bar Association
 - Judicial and Prosecutorial Appointment Committee
- Camden County Bar Association
 - Co-chair, Commercial Litigation Section
- Equity Committee, Burlington County Bar Association
- Litigation Counsel of America
- New Jersey Bar Association

- Pennsylvania Bar Association
- Women in Business Alliance, Chair

Board of Directors

- Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) for Children of Mercer and Burlington Counties
- Princeton Regional Chamber of Commerce
 - Women in Business Alliance
- Princeton Mercer Regional Chamber
 - Committee of Directors
- Woodlands Community Association, Inc.

Honors & Awards

- **Selected to the "Champions for Business" list by the Princeton Chamber of Commerce (2014)**
This award is conferred by the Princeton Chamber of Commerce. A description of the selection methodology is [available here](#). No aspect of this advertisement has been approved by the New Jersey Supreme Court.

Coronavirus Resources for NJ Businesses

New Jersey businesses and individuals are looking for guidance to weather the profound effects on our economy brought by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Below are some of the most helpful resources to explain the two important laws passed by Congress – the CARES Act and the Families First Coronavirus Response Act – as well as more specific guidance and links to free webinars in some key areas of law.

The CARES Act

The Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act or CARES Act provides financial support for small businesses and targeted sectors of the economy, along with direct cash payments to many Americans and enhanced resources for medical support.

For businesses in New Jersey – especially small businesses – the CARES Act may offer a lifeline to remain solvent through the pandemic. These resources were compiled by attorneys who are experienced in corporate financing and advising on Small Business Administration loans.

WEBINAR: Assessing Your Loan Options Under the CARES Act

Friday, April 3, 2020

[Listen to a recording of the webinar](#) or [view the presentation](#).

Our panelists will detail the differences between the Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program and the 7(a) Paycheck Protection Program, explaining which option may best fit a company's needs and strategic objectives.

Resources

- [**Understanding the CARES Act: The \\$2.2 Trillion Stimulus Package**](#)
- [**CARES Act CHART: A Comparison of SBA Loan Programs**](#)
- [**An Employer's Guide to CARES Act Relief**](#)

The FFCRA and Paid Leave Tax Credits

The Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) mandates paid sick leave and family and medical leave, authorizes enhanced unemployment compensation, places new coverage requirements on group health plans and provides federal tax credits to help offset the costs.

Resources

- [Federal Law Mandates Paid Sick Leave, Enhanced Unemployment](#)
- [How the FFCRA Paid Leave Tax Credits Work](#)
- [New FAQs on Families First Coronavirus Response Act](#)
- [Webinar: Families First Coronavirus Response Act: An Analysis for Employers](#)

Bankruptcy

- [Survival Checklist for Businesses During a Pandemic](#)

Commercial Contracts

- [How COVID-19 Is Impacting Commercial Contracts in NJ](#)

Construction

- [NJ Restricts Construction. Issues New Mandates for Retail, Warehouses, Manufacturers](#)
- [NJ Allows Construction Work to Continue With Precautions](#)

Employee Benefits & Health Plans

- [Safeguarding Participant Contributions to Your 401\(k\) Plan](#)
- [Workforce Reductions and Multiemployer Pension Plan Withdrawal Liability](#)

Labor & Employment

- [NJ Delays Expansion of WARN Act in Light of Coronavirus Crisis](#)
- [What Employers Should Do When an Employee Contracts COVID-19](#)
- [New Jersey Expands Earned Sick Leave and State Benefits](#)
- [OSHA Guidance on an Employee's Right to Refuse to Work](#)
- [What to Do If You Have to Furlough Employees](#)
- [OSHA Guidance on Preparing Workplaces for COVID-19](#)
- [New Jersey Enacts Broad Coronavirus Relief and Worker Protection Package](#)
- [The New Jersey WARN Act Creates Risk for Closures and Mass Layoffs](#)

Litigation

- [COVID-19 In-House Counsel Contract Checklist](#)
- [Insurance: Business Interruption, Event Cancellation and Travel Insurance](#)

Real Estate

- [Navigating NJ's Restrictions on Short Term Rentals Under COVID-19](#)
- [New Jersey Economic Relief Programs for Various Businesses](#)
- [Rent and Mortgage Payments in the Time of COVID-19](#)
- [NJ – How COVID-19 Is Impacting Commercial Contracts](#)
- [Electronic Recording Options for Real Estate Documents](#)
- [NJ – Property Tax Appeal Filing Deadline Extended to May 1st at the Earliest](#)
- [NJ – Measures Taken to Assist Business Due to COVID-19](#)

White-Collar Criminal Defense & Regulatory Compliance

- [NJ Provides Immunity to Health Care Providers Treating COVID-19 Patients](#)

Visit Fox Rothschild's [Coronavirus Response Resource Center](#), which is updated daily with links to free webinars, articles and charts with practical guidance for leaders of companies of all sizes.