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Andy Indeck serves as Chairman of Weber Gallagher.

He serves as coverage and monitoring counsel for insurers encompassing the following types of policies: Cyber Liability, D&O, E&O, EPL, CGL, Fidelity, Commercial Property, and Workers' Compensation. His practice includes defense and prosecution of coverage declaratory judgment and bad faith actions. Andy also serves as an expert witness on coverage matters on behalf of insurance carriers.

In addition to his insurance coverage work, Andy regularly handles the defense of professional liability matters, including legal, accounting, and broker/agent errors and omissions claims.

Andy's practice also involves representation of business entities and their principals in negotiations and/or disputes involving: asset purchases agreements, partnership agreements, employment agreements, intellectual property, fiduciary duty, self-dealing, noncompete and non-solicitation agreements.

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#### Industries

Insurance

Healthcare

**Public Entities** 

## **Practices**

Commercial Litigation

Risk Transfer and Risk Exposure

Consultation

Insurance

Litigation

**Expert Witness Services** 

## **Education**

Rutgers University School of Law, J.D., 1988

Rutgers University, B.A., 1985

#### **Bar Admissions**

New Jersey

New York

Pennsylvania

#### **Court Admissions**

United States District Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit United States District Court for the District of New Jersey United States Supreme Court

### **Experience**

- Results may vary depending on your particular facts and legal circumstances.
- Obtained affirmation of a summary judgment award in favor of the client in a case of first impression before the New Jersey Appellate Division on June 21, 2017 in *Abboud v. Nat'l Union Fire Ins. Co.*, 450 N.J. Super. 400 (App. Div. 2017).
- Obtained a favorable unanimous decision before the New Jersey Supreme Court on February 11, 2016, in the matter of Templo Fuente De Vida Corp. v. Nat'l Union Fire Ins. Co., 224 N.J. 189 (2016), that effectively broadened the scope of application of the "as soon as practicable" claim reporting

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requirement of a "claims made" D&O policy to reach instances where a claim is first made during the policy period but is nevertheless properly disclaimed by the carrier, without the carrier having to demonstrate appreciable prejudice, because the insured failed to provide notice of the claim "as soon as practicable."

- Successfully defended a landlord in litigation resulting from the breach of a commercial lease by prevailing on cross-motions for summary judgment which lead to the dismissal of plaintiff/tenant's complaint against the landlord in whole, while also simultaneously obtaining favorable judgment on the landlord's counter-claim for breach of lease against plaintiff/tenant.
- Obtained dismissal of more than \$1 million in malpractice claims against a New Jersey-based insurance agent in a summary judgment decision issued on July 24, 2012 in Essex County Superior Court.

## **Professional & Community Involvement**

Claims and Litigation Management Alliance (CLM), Member

Professional Liability Underwriting Society (PLUS), Member

New Jersey State Bar Association, Internet and Computer Law Committee

Hunterdon County YMCA, Board of Trustees