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PRIMARY PRACTICE AREA:

Construction Law and Construction Claims,
Employment Law, Labor Law, and General
Corporate/Commercial Law

EDUCATION:

Duquesne University School of Law, 1987;

J.D., Cum Laude, Senior Staff,

Duquesne Law Review

University of Pittsburgh, Graduate School of
Business, 1982;

M.B.A., with Highest Honors;

Beta Gamma Sigma Academic Honor
Society

University of Pittsburgh, 1978;

B.S., Civil and Mining Engineering;

Chi Epsilon Civil Engineering Honor Society

Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

Allegheny County Bar Association,

Construction Law Section;

Professional Engineer in Pennsylvania
and Ohio

Joseph A. Hrabik has over twenty (20) years of construction law experience. Throughout his career, he has worked to ensure the prompt and cost-effective resolution of construction project disputes and claims through alternative dispute resolution (arbitration and mediation).

Mr. Hrabik served as outside counsel to owners on construction and environmental law matters while associated with the firm Babst, Calland, Clements & Zomnir, P.C. Beginning in 1992, he handled legal matters on major industrial and commercial projects nationwide as General Counsel for Affiliated Building Services, Inc., a facility management and general construction contractor based in Pittsburgh. From 1998 to 2007, he served as General Counsel for Harper Mechanical Corporation, one of the largest mechanical engineering and construction companies in Florida.

Mr. Hrabik has served as Deputy Director of the Allegheny County Department of Public Works, Division of Engineering and Construction. He is currently General Counsel of the West Virginia University Research Corporation.

Mr. Hrabik is skilled in handling contract reviews and amendments, performance and payment disputes, mechanics' liens, change orders, equitable adjustments, construction claims, defenses and counterclaims, impact claims, bond and insurance matters.

Mr. Hrabik also has substantial experience in the areas of employment (employment policies, procedures and claim defense), labor law (project agreements and grievance proceedings), workers' compensation, risk management, real estate transactions and leases, and general commercial matters.

Mr. Hrabik's hourly rate to serve as an Arbitrator or Mediator is \$200.