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## EDUCATION

- Washington and Lee School of Law  
(J.D., 2001)
- Grove City College  
(B.S., *cum laude*, 1998)

## AWARDS

- *Super Lawyers Southern California Rising Stars* 2010 - 2015

## SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- DRI Retail and Hospitality Litigation Seminar, Chicago "The Evolution of Traumatic Brain Injury Litigation" (May 2017)
- Procedural Seminar, "Authoring the Winning Summary Judgment Motion" (March, 2005)
- Mealey's Retail Liability Conference, Las Vegas "Defending Third Party Criminal Act Lawsuits" (December, 2004)

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## GRANT D. WATERKOTTE, ESQ. *Shareholder*

Grant D. Waterkotte is a shareholder at Pettit Kohn. A highly accomplished trial attorney, Grant has tried over 20 cases to verdict in Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, San Bernardino, Riverside, Ventura and Kern Counties, and routinely achieves very favorable results for his clients. Grant's extensive jury trial experience and exceptional results led to his induction into the American Board of Trial Advocates (ABOTA) in October of 2010. He also serves as a faculty member of the Jack Daniels' Los Angeles ABOTA Trial School.

Grant has a wide range of civil litigation and trial experience, primarily in the areas of retail liability, transportation law, employment law, representation of homeowners' associations, and personal injury. Grant also provides employment and transportation consultation and legal drafting services for his corporate clients.

Grant was born in Orange, California. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Grove City College in Pennsylvania, where he graduated *cum laude*, and was honored as the "Most Outstanding Student in the Social Sciences." He received his *Juris Doctor* degree from Washington and Lee School of Law in Lexington, Virginia. While there, he served as student body president, and the managing editor of the *Environmental Law Digest*.

Grant was selected for inclusion in *Super Lawyers* "Southern California Rising Stars" list for each year 2010 through 2015. Grant has been licensed to practice law in California since 2001, and licensed to practice law in Arizona since 2011. He is also licensed to practice law before all of the Federal District Courts of California and Arizona, the Ninth Circuit, and the Supreme Court of the United States.

## PRACTICE AREAS

- Civil & Trial Litigation
- Employment & Labor
- Personal Injury
- Product Liability
- Professional Liability
- Restaurant and Hospitality
- Retail
- Transportation

## AFFILIATIONS

- American Board of Trial Advocates, Member
- Association of Southern California Defense Counsel
- Jack Daniels' Los Angeles ABOTA Trial School, Faculty Member
- International Law Society
- Los Angeles County Bar Association
- Pi Gamma Mu Social Science Honor's Society
- State Bar of Arizona
- State Bar of California
- Transportation Lawyers of America
- Washington & Lee Alumni Association