

## North Carolina Business Litigation

### Trusted Litigation for North Carolina Businesses

As a business owner, investor, CEO, executive leader, or in-house counsel, you strive to balance your company's success with shareholder and employee welfare and compliance. In doing so, you stand to make decisions that impact your partners, employees, and operations. Delicate issues can arise—economic, contract-related, or otherwise—causing disputes among critical players, or jeopardizing corporate functions. You may find yourself in need of legal guidance—and an advocate to enforce or defend your interests.



### Litigating Shareholder Disputes

Perhaps your partners or fellow shareholders have a difference of opinion on how your business should be managed. Maybe you've discovered some financial wrongdoing or mismanagement that harms your company or your investment. Or perhaps you've been accused of breaching your fiduciary duties to your company or its shareholders. As a business owner or investor, you have the right to protect your investment and the future of your company.

With years of experience in business litigation, the attorneys of StephensonLaw are here to defend your rights. Shareholder disputes can often resemble a divorce, and can become just as emotional. We work to seamlessly iron out shareholder conflicts, defend against business litigation claims, and safeguard your company's interests and reputation with as minimal disruption as can be achieved.

## **Litigating Business Disputes**

When your company executes any type of legally enforceable contract with an individual or business, you expect both parties to perform their end of the bargain. If the other party fails to fulfill these terms or impedes your own ability to do so, your company deserves to be made whole again, as if the contract was fully performed. You are entitled to be compensated for any damages you've suffered.

The attorneys at StephensonLaw will enforce your rights in any breach of contract or business dispute—from minor to material—and help you recover in damages what you have been deprived. We are prepared to help you navigate the legal landscape of business disputes, and ready to file suit to protect your interests. Look to us to protect your business when you need it most.

## **Effective Representation for Business Owners and Investors**

These days, business owners and investors are commonly confronted with disputes which can give rise to litigation. The attorneys at StephensonLaw are experienced in business dispute resolution and litigation. If you are not receiving the distributions or returns you are entitled to, or the financial records you are entitled to inspect, you may need a competent business litigation firm to enforce your rights. Whether you've had a major disagreement with your co-owner or another company, we will defend your position and help you reach a satisfactory conclusion.

We take our position as business litigation attorneys seriously. We dive deeply into the issue in question, helping you to divorce emotion from practicality to resolve the matter on the most beneficial terms. We're here to resolve messy conflicts so you can refocus your company on growth. With our expertise in business litigation we can help with:

- Owner/Partner Disputes
- Breach of Contract
- Business Torts
- Partnership Disputes
- Private Deals/Post-Closing Disputes
- Bad Faith Litigation
- Regulatory Investigations and Litigation
- Restrictive Covenant/Trade Secret Litigation
- Insurance Disputes
- Shareholder Derivative Actions

We seek to create long-term partnerships with our clients, serving as their advisors and

advocates. If you are a business owner seeking legal advice or defense, fill out a contact form or call StephensonLaw today.

We offer these services in Raleigh, Cary, Apex, Holly Springs, Morrisville, and other areas throughout the region.