# BILL LYLES BILL LYLES LAW, LLC. P.O. Box 20487 Charleston, SC 29413

## **EDUCATION**

<u>Law</u> - JD, University of South Carolina 1992 <u>Undergraduate</u> - BA, Political Science, University of South Carolina 1988

Honors & Awards - Editor, South Carolina Law Review; Order of Wig and Robe Graduate; Member, John Belton O'Neall Inn of Court

## **MEMBERSHIPS & DISTINCTIONS**

Member, National Association of Distinguished Neutrals; Section Delegate, Dispute Resolution Section of the SC Bar; Charleston County Bar; Martindale Hubbell AV Rated

## **EMPLOYMENT**

- Bill Lyles Law, LLC. July 2017 Present (focusing exclusively on ADR)
- Lyles & Lyles, LLC. August 2000 July 2017
- Nexsen Pruet November 1992 August 2000

## **REPRESENTATIVE LITIGATION EXPERIENCE**

- Representation of contractors, subcontractors, manufacturers, distributors, suppliers, owners and owners' associations in various types of multi-party, multi-million dollar construction/property-related lawsuits and contract negotiations;
- Participation with class-counsel team in national class-action lawsuits involving building products, including the Masonite, Georgia Pacific, and Louisiana Pacific class-actions;
- Representation of real estate finance company in a \$75 million dollar lender liability case arising from \$10 million dollar operating line of credit provided to finance timeshare sales;
- Representation of corporate defendant in personal injury asbestos cases; and
- Representation in broker fraud cases in federal court and in arbitration before the New York Stock Exchange, including suitability cases, churning cases, misrepresentation cases, execution cases and registration cases.

### MEDIATOR EXPERIENCE

Mediated over 750 cases, including a wide variety of personal-injury claims, product-liability claims, commercial transactions, land-use issues, zoning issues, construction defects, construction-delay claims, mechanic's liens, legal malpractice, medical malpractice, accountant malpractice, architect/engineer malpractice, lender liability, and insurance coverage matters. The cases mediated have involved simple two-party matters and hundreds of other cases with 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 parties. The settlements of cases mediated have been as low as less than \$10,000 to greater than \$20,000,000.