



## PAUL H. ETHRIDGE, ESQ.

Paul H. Ethridge has practiced law in Maryland since 1973 and in the District of Columbia since 1976. He has held an "AV" rating from Martindale-Hubbell for more than two decades. Having served three separate terms on the Board of Governors of the Maryland State Bar Association, Mr. Ethridge also had the privilege of sitting on the Maryland State Bar Association Board of Governors' Executive Committee for two terms as well.

Mr. Ethridge was elected as a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers, having the distinction of being chosen in this select membership as one of the less than one percent of all trial lawyers in the nation. He is an Associate of the American Board of Trial Advocates. Mr. Ethridge currently serves on the Maryland Attorney Grievance Commission and is a Fellow of the Maryland Bar Foundation. As a member of the Montgomery County Bar Association, he served on the Executive Committee from 1985-1995.

Mr. Ethridge was recently appointed to the Governor's Appellate Judicial Nominating Commission for a four year term. He served on the Governor's Trial Court Nominating Commission from 1998 to 2002 and on the Litigation Section Council of the Maryland State Bar. Mr. Ethridge is presently the Chair of the Maryland State Bar Association Committee on Rules of Practice and is also a member of the Committee on Laws. He is a frequent lecturer for Montgomery County, State, and National CLE programs. He has sat on numerous Montgomery County Bar Association Committees, including the Judicial Selections Committee, the Insurance Committee and the Administration of Justice Committee.

Mr. Ethridge's experience includes hundreds of trials involving business disputes, medical malpractice, product liability, personal injury matters, insurance coverage disputes, domestic relations and legal malpractice. Currently, he serves as a Special Mediator and Special Master to the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, Maryland.

Mr. Ethridge's practice focuses primarily in the areas of mediations and arbitrations. Paul has also been appointed Special Discovery Master by the judges of the Circuit Court for Montgomery County.

Paul is proud to have served on the governing body of the Montgomery County Special Olympics. He presently volunteers at S.O.M.E. (So Others May Eat) soup kitchens, and has actively been involved in his church and other outreach community activities.

### HIGHLIGHTS

Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers  
Governor's Appellate Judicial Nominating Commission  
Chair of the Maryland State Bar Association Committee on Rules of Practice  
Associate of the American Board of Trial Advocates  
Appointed Special Discovery Master by the Judges of the Circuit Court  
for Montgomery County

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### COURT ADMISSIONS

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Circuit  
United States Court of Appeals  
for the Fourth Circuit  
United States District Court for  
the District of Columbia  
United States District Court for  
the District of Maryland  
Maryland Court of Appeals  
District of Columbia Court of  
Appeals

### BAR MEMBERSHIPS

Maryland