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Ramsay “Buzz” Wiesenfeld, Esq. Brings years of experience to every dispute. He is an accomplished mediator recognized for his energy, capacity to listen and quiet persistence in helping parties and their counsel craft wise agreements. As a full-time dispute resolution professional since 1993, he has mediated approximately 2,300 matters with a wide variety of issues.

PHOTO/LEFT Quote(s)

Resolution Experience

- Partnership/Business Dissolution: professional partnerships, sale,
- Employment: wrongful termination, sexual harassment, hostile workplace, age discrimination, wage and hour exemptions
- Personal Injury: diverse including catastrophic spinal, brain and burn injuries, multi-party, allocation of interplead funds, structured settlement plans
- Environmental: petroleum spills, tanks, allocation of clean-up funds, endangered species
- Professional Liability: accounting, engineer, attorney, physician/MICRA
- Real Estate: disclosure, misrepresentation, fraud, commissions, contract enforceability
- Construction: schools, condominiums, apartments, commercial, homes
- Probate: challenged families, family farms, other non-liquid assets
- Government: zoning, land use, tort liability
- Intellectual Property/Technology: patent, trade secret, trademark
- Insurance: bad faith, disability, life, liability, reinsurance
- Product Liability: auto, bus, truck, manufacturing, farming, flammable fabrics, exercise equipment
- Toxic Torts: pesticide, herbicide, mold,
- Fire Loss/Subrogation: source, cause
- Flooding: cause determination, allocation
- Commercial/Business/Contracts: contractor/sub-contractor, owner-contractor disputes, breach of contract, trade libel, interference, HOAs, unfair competition
- Elder Abuse: care facility staffing, medical care

REPRESENTATIVE CASES

- Environmental contamination/cleanup in course of family business dissolution/probate dispute
- Mass apartment tenant mold claims
- State of California employment harassment
- Catastrophic spinal injuries in auto accident
- Sports Franchise employee wrongful termination
- Disability Insurance bad faith claims
- Severe brain injury claim alleged from road design
- Land use dispute between local city and developer of low cost housing
- Professional partnership dispute

PROFESSIONAL

BACKGROUND/MEMBERSHIPS/RECOGNITIONS

- ACR, Association for Conflict Resolution, Environment and Public Policy section
- CDRC, California Dispute Resolution Council
- Sacramento County Bar Association, ADR section
- State Bar # 68,019 (active)
- ABOTA , American Board of Trial Advocates
- Eighteen year civil trial practice in Sacramento, CA with "A-V" Rating, Martindale-Hubbell, 1975-1993
- Former senior mediator with JAMS/Endispute/Bates-Edwards Group, 1992-1997
- ABA, Dispute Resolution Section
- Panelist (former) Sacramento Mediation Center, Sacramento Superior Court Pro-Tem panel
- Adjunct associate (former), CCP, Center for Collaborative Policy

COMMUNITY BACKGROUND

- Point West Rotary: Foundation Board member and Rotarian of the Year
- Leadership Sacramento
- Mentor/Tutor: Encina High School/Jonas Salk M.S.
- Del Dayo Soccer Club Board Member/Coach
- Friends of Cal Aquatics, board member

EDUCATION

- ❖ B.A., History, University of California, Berkeley, 1971
- ❖ J.D., University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law, 1975
- ❖ M.A., Conflict Resolution, Antioch University/McGregor, 2004

DISPUTE RESOLUTION TRAINING:(over 3000 hours)
Sacramento Mediation Center, Bates/Edwards Group, CDR
Associates, American Arbitration Assoc., Western Network,
American Association of Attorney Mediators, Pepperdine Institute
for Dispute Resolution, Center for Collaborative Policy (formerly
California Center for Public Dispute Resolution), Interaction
Associates and Antioch University McGregor