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# JAMES B. PITTLEMAN

## SHAREHOLDER

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**PRACTICE FOCUS**

CORPORATE  
ESTATE PLANNING  
MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS  
TAX & FINANCE

## BAR ADMISSIONS

- Virginia
- District of Columbia
- U.S. Tax Court

## EDUCATION

- **J.D.**  
Georgetown University, 1966
- **B.S.**  
University of North Carolina, 1962

## AREAS OF CONCENTRATION

- Business and Succession Planning
- Corporate
- Estate Planning
- Tax
- Securities
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- Wealth Preservation Techniques

The cornerstone of Jimmy's practice is to help people by solving their problems and contributing to their growth and success. His 50 years of legal experience is complemented by an in-depth background in finance, including a number of years working for the IRS as a Revenue Agent and Tax Law Specialist, as well as several years as an investment banker at Legg Mason.

With a commitment that the client's interests always come first, Jimmy takes ownership of and responsibility for their issues and sees them through to resolution. This contributes to the fact he has many long-standing clients, some dating back to the 1970s. Jimmy, who is also a Certified Public Accountant, concentrates his practice on tax, corporate, securities, business and succession planning, and estate planning. He is especially interested in helping successful businesses and individuals where there are challenges in overcoming difficult ownership and family situations.

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Fairfax Bar Association  
D.C. Bar Association  
Virginia Bar Association  
American Bar Association  
Greater Washington Society of CPAs

## AWARDS

- AV Preeminent® Peer Rated by *Martindale-Hubbell® Peer Review Ratings™*
- 1990-2022, *The Best Lawyers in America®* –Tax Law
- 2021, *The Best Lawyers in America*, Lawyer of the Year, Closely Held Cos./ Family Business Law
- 2017 Best of NoVA, top lawyers in Tax Law, *Northern Virginia* magazine
- 2011, 2013 *Washingtonian* magazine's "Best Lawyers"
- 2011 *SmartCEO* magazine "Legal Elite"
- 2007 *Washington, D.C. Super Lawyers* – Tax
- 2006 *Virginia Super Lawyers* – Tax
- 2005, 2006 *Virginia Business* magazine's "Legal Elite" – Business Law
- 2001 *James Keith Award Recipient for Public Service*, Fairfax County Bar Association