



Rand Brothers

Partner

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Rand is a member of the firm's *Chambers USA* ranked Mass Tort & Product Liability Practice. He is an accomplished attorney, regularly representing clients across a variety of industries in complex commercial and product liability litigation before federal and state courts across the country.

Rand has represented both U.S. and international corporations across a wide variety of industries including pharmaceuticals, biotechnology, transportation, telecommunications, and manufacturing. In connection with his product liability work, Rand frequently engages with experts in diverse scientific fields such as pharmacokinetics, pathology, epidemiology, oncology, genetics, and toxicology to develop compelling general and specific causation defenses for his clients.

Rand has extensive experience in all phases of complex litigation, ranging from initial case assessment and development of defenses, to authoring critical briefs in courts across the country, to defending and examining fact and expert witnesses at deposition, hearings, and trials. He has also had leading roles in the development and

implementation of cost-efficient pre-trial discovery plans for large product liability matters, including all defense-side discovery in a multidistrict litigation involving claims from nearly 4,000 individual plaintiffs.

Rand regularly publishes on product liability and mass tort issues in publications such as Law360 and *The National Law Review*. In addition, he is a frequent contributor to Winston's Product Liability & Mass Tort Digest.

Rand maintains an active pro bono practice, which has recently entailed representation of a service member discharged pursuant to "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" and representation of a coalition of non-profit organizations in an immigration asylum appeal to the Ninth Circuit as amicus curiae.

Key Matters

Rand's representative matters have included:

- Representation of aerospace manufacturer in multiple product liability litigation in Illinois state court and Northern District of Illinois.
- Representation of pharmaceutical companies in multi-district product liability litigation before Northern District of Florida and related consolidated proceedings in New Jersey and California state courts.
- Representation of pharmaceutical companies in product liability litigation before Northern District of California.
- Representation of pharmaceutical companies in product liability litigation before Middle District of Louisiana.
- Representation of agricultural biotechnology company in multiple product liability litigations in California state courts.
- Representation of automobile manufacturer in IP litigation before International Trade Commission.
- Representation of logistics company in government False Claims Act investigation.
- Representation of telecommunications company in IP litigation before International Trade Commission.
- Representation of smartphone manufacturer in IP litigation before International Trade Commission.
- Representation of marine terminal operator in commercial litigation before Federal Maritime Commission.
- · Representation of sports equipment manufacturer in commercial litigation in Delaware state court.
- · Representation of agricultural company in government antitrust investigation.
- Representation of energy company in government Foreign Corrupt Practices Act investigation.

Recent Experience

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Recognitions

• "Key Lawyer," *The Legal 500 U.S.*, Dispute Resolution: Product Liability, Mass Tort and Class Action – Defense: Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices, 2022–2024

Activities

Rand has contributed significantly to pro bono and public interest matters since joining the firm, including representation of a mother whose child was subject to domestic abuse, providing legal advice to non-profits, and assisting a former member of the armed services with a discharge upgrade pursuant to the repeal of "Don't Ask, Don't Tell."

Credentials

EDUCATION

Rand received a J.D. from Cornell Law School in 2010, where he served as notes editor of the *Cornell International Law Review*. He received a B.A. in economics from Boston College in 2007.

ADMISSIONS

- · District of Columbia
- Virginia

Related Insights & News

 "Challenges and Opportunities in Developing a Scientific Defense to Causation," Winston & Strawn Product & Mass Torts Summit, Speaker, June 7, 2022

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

Rand Brothers Discusses Microplastics:...

APRIL 1, 2025

BLOG

You Are What You...

MARCH 26, 2025

BLOG

The Fall of a...

MARCH 5, 2025

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Water Bottle Manufacturer Springs...

DECEMBER 11, 2024

PRESS RELEASE

Winston & Strawn Names...

DECEMBER 3, 2024

BLOG

Third-Party Litigation Financing...

OCTOBER 28, 2024

BLOG

Faulty Triggers or Faulty...

OCTOBER 25, 2024

RECOGNITIONS

Winston & Strawn Recognized in

JUNE 12, 2024

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A Potential Shield: FDCA...

MAY 6, 2024

ARTICLE

Tylenol MDL Highlights Expert...

MAY 3, 2024

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In re Acetaminophen MDL...

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In re Acetaminophen MDL...

FEBRUARY 2, 2024

Capabilities

Product Liability & Mass Torts

Litigation/Trials

Commercial Litigation & Disputes

Medical Devices