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Practice Areas

Primary and Excess Casualty / General Liability Insurance / Reinsurance
Trucking / Motor Carrier Litigation Products Liability

Education

University of Denver School
of Law, J.D. (1986)
*American Jurisprudence Award
in Trial and Evidence
Editor, Transportation Law
Journal*

University of Denver,
B.S.B.A. (1982)

Other Experience

Senter, Goldfarb & Rice, P.C.
Associate

Law Offices of Peter Cordova
Associate

As lead for the Trucking/Motor Carrier Litigation practice group, Paul Collins regularly spearheads regional defense litigation for a number of regional and national common carriers. Paul leverages his broad experience in every conceivable aspect of common carrier litigation to inform his frequent industry speaking engagements, client presentations, and trade association activities.

Not limited to vehicles with GVWR over 19,500 pounds, Paul also has significant experience in products liability cases representing automobile manufacturers defending injury suits arising out of design defects.

Paul's practice extends to decades of coverage work, from opinions to bad faith and declaratory actions, on behalf of several national insurance carriers admitted in Colorado and elsewhere. He not only provides coverage litigation counsel, but frequently advises carrier clients on navigating policy language through state and federal regulations to avoid compliance issues on specimen forms. He was elected TAM's third-ever Managing Shareholder in 2015.

Representative Clients

Common carriers, manufacturing and industrial, service providers, utilities, care facilities, retail/public accommodation entities

Bar and Court Admissions

State Courts of Colorado
United States Supreme Court
U.S. Court of Appeals for the
Tenth Circuit
U.S. District Court for the
District of Colorado

Legal Memberships and Activities

Claims & Litigation Management Alliance
Trucking Industry Defense Association
Colorado Bar Association
Heart of the Rockies Bar Association
Denver Bar Association
Defense Research Institute
Colorado Defense Lawyers Association

Paul spends the summer weekends mountain biking, the winter weekends skiing, and year-round continues to refine his ballroom dancing skills.