

General Firm Information

LAW OFFICES OF PAUL M. GAIDE has been recognized as one of the *TEN BEST LAW FIRMS - COLORADO* (2017 – 2018) for “*EXCEPTIONAL AND OUTSTANDING CLIENT SERVICE,*” by the American Institute of Family Law Attorneys.

For over twenty-nine years Paul M. Gaide has been an accomplished litigation and transactional lawyer and advisor. When aggressive representation is desirable and appropriate, the LAW OFFICES OF PAUL M. GAIDE is quite capable of advocating for you. When a subtle approach will benefit you most, Paul M. Gaide is fully capable of utilizing a collaborative approach and applying all pertinent facts and law to obtaining an acceptable and timely resolution of client matters.

Paul M. Gaide’s unique combination of education and vocational experiences in law, finance, insurance, tax and accounting, together with his exceptional work ethic, attention to detail and dedication, result in the firm’s clients receiving valuable insights and exceptional service, especially in high net worth and complex cases.

Paul M. Gaide’s law practice has emphasized superior representation of clients: (a) in conflict resolution, including litigations before state trial courts, state appellate courts, probate courts, United States District Courts, and United States Bankruptcy Courts; and (b) in connection with transactional and planning matters.

Paul M. Gaide is admitted and licensed to practice law in and before the courts of the:

State of Colorado (2009)

United States District Court, District of Colorado (2010)

United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Colorado (2010)

State of Connecticut (1989)

United States District Court, District of Connecticut (1991)

United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Connecticut (1991)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts (2011)

United States District Court, District of Massachusetts (2011)

United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Massachusetts (2011)

In his career as an attorney, Paul M. Gaide’s clients have included individuals, sole proprietors, shareholders, partners, members of limited liability companies, corporations (local to national), banks (national and state), vulture funds, loan servicers, trustees, committees, governmental entities, regional health insurance providers, title companies, mortgage companies, and many

more. For matters with a dollar focus, matters have generally ranged from \$100,000 to \$50,000,000. Smaller and larger matters will be considered.

Prior to relocating back to Colorado, Paul M. Gaide practiced law in New England with the Am Law 100 firm of Edwards & Angell, LLP, n/k/a Lock Lord, LLP, now having over 620 lawyers in the United States, the United Kingdom and Asia, with Schatz & Schatz, Ribicoff & Kotkin, the then third largest law firm in the State of Connecticut with 135 attorneys, and in his own practice.

Paul M. Gaide is a graduate of the University of Colorado School of Law, Juris Doctor, Emphasis in Taxation (1989) (Research Assistant: N. Steuben, *Real Estate Planning* (Cases, Materials, Problems, Questions and Commentary) (3d ed. 1989)); and a graduate of the University of Denver, College of Business Administration, B.S.B.A. - Finance (Bal F. Swan Scholar, Dean's Lists).

Some reported decisions in which Paul M. Gaide has participated as counsel have included: *Fleet Bank Connecticut, N.A. v. Carillo*, 240 Conn. 343, 691 A.2d 1068 (1997); *In re: Brenes*, United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Connecticut, Case No.: 95-30185 (Dabrowski, J.) (*CASA Investments Company v. Brenes*, Adv. Pro. No.: 95-3048, *General Financial Services, Inc. v. Brenes*, Adv. Pro. No.: 95-3073 (Consolidated for Trial), 261 B.R. 322 (Bankr. Dist. Conn. 2001) (Special Counsel to Trial Counsel for CASA Investments Company in 18 U.S.C. § 727 action); and *The Cadle Company, et al. v. Charles A. Flanagan, et al.*, 2006 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 14928, District of Connecticut, Covello, J. Case No.: 3:01-CV-51 (AVC) (March 31, 2006) (Special Counsel to Plaintiff – RICO jury award in Plaintiff's favor).

You are encouraged to contact the LAW OFFICES OF PAUL M. GAIDE to confidentially communicate your concerns and determine if the firm can be of assistance to you. The firm offers a no-cost initial consultation of up to one hour.

Weekend and evening appointments may be available.