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**LEGAL  
EDUCATION**

**Juris Doctor:**

Western New England College School  
of Law, *Magna Cum Laude*, 1985.

**Law Review:  
Research:**

Member, Western New England Law  
Redressing Isolated Slurs and Epithets  
in the Workplace - Spring 1985.

**UNDERGRADUATE  
EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of  
Arts:**

University of Massachusetts,  
Amherst, 1980, Theater Arts.

**BAR  
ADMISSIONS**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 1985  
United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts, 1986  
United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit, 1986

**EMPLOYMENT**

LAW OFFICE OF ALAN SEEWALD, 1 Roundhouse Plaza,  
Northampton, Massachusetts 01060, January 1, 2015 to present,  
solo practice of law engaged in municipal and land use law.

SEEWALD, JANKOWSKI & SPENCER, P.C., 5 East Pleasant  
Street, Amherst, MA 01002, Partner, January 1, 1988 to December  
31, 2014. Partner in firm engaged in municipal law, land use  
permitting and litigation, real estate conveyancing and mortgage  
closings, wills, trusts and estate planning, and business and  
corporations.

RITCHIE & ENNIS, P.C., 5 East Pleasant Street, Amherst, MA  
01002, Associate, January 1, 1986 to December 31, 1987.

CITY OF NORTHAMPTON, City Hall, Northampton, MA 01060,  
Acting City Solicitor, January 2022; City Solicitor, February 2012 to  
January 2022. Engaged in all aspects of representation of City of  
Northampton, a municipality of approximately 30,000 residents.

TOWN OF AMHERST, Town Hall, Amherst, MA 01002, Town Counsel, January 1999 to November 2006; Acting Town Counsel, November 1997 to December 1998; Assistant Town Counsel, January 1987 to November 1997. Engaged in all aspects of representation of Town of Amherst, a municipality of approximately 30,000 residents.

TOWN OF WESTMINSTER, Town Hall, Westminister, MA 01473, Town Counsel. January 2002 to February 2010. Engaged in all aspects of representation of Town of Westminister, a municipality of approximately 7,000 residents.

WESTERN NEW ENGLAND UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, Wilbraham Road, Springfield, MA 01119, Adjunct Faculty, 1988 to 1991. Instructor in Land Use Planning and Municipal Law.

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS, DEPARTMENT OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND REGIONAL PLANNING, Amherst, MA, Adjunct Faculty, 2002 to 2015. Instructor in Judicial Planning Law.

**PROFESSIONAL  
TRAINING**

Presenter, "Civil Liability of Health Inspectors"  
Massachusetts Association of Boards of Health, 1986.

Presenter, "The Uniform Commercial Code,"  
Massachusetts Association of School Business  
Officers, 1986.

Presenter, "Enforcement of the Wetlands Protection Act",  
Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions, 1989  
and 1991.

Presenter, "Steering Your Way Through Local Zoning",  
Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education, 1991 to 2010.

Presenter, "Training for Local Zoning and Planning Boards",  
Executive Office of Communities and Development and Citizen  
Planner Training Collaborative, 1996 to 2008.

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS** Hampshire County Bar Association, Massachusetts Bar Association, Massachusetts Municipal Lawyers Association

**CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS** Board Member, Hillel House, University of Massachusetts, 1995 to 1998.

Board Member, Northampton Survival Center, 1996 to 2011. Past President of the Board.

Board Member, Western Massachusetts Legal Services, Inc., 1999 to 2004.

**REFERENCES** Available upon request.