

Jim Leatzow

Expert Services / Litigation Support / Insurance - Reinsurance Arbitration



37 years of property/casualty insurance industry & agency experience
27 years national managing / underwriting general agent experience
13 years reinsurance experience
21 years national Third Party Administrator (TPA) - claims handling
25 years licensed property-casualty agent / broker in 50 states until October 2005
Licensed surplus lines broker in 46 states + D.C. until October 2005
Certified insurance & reinsurance arbitrator

President, Leatzow & Associates, Inc. - (consulting firm) - 1975 to present
President, Three Lakes Insurance Co., Ltd. (reinsurer) - 1992 to present

Practical insurance & reinsurance industry experience including:

- Property-Casualty **Agent / Broker / Producer** duties, obligations & standard of care
- Managing General Agent (**MGA**) / **Wholesaler** duties, obligations & standard of care
- Third Party Administrator (**TPA**) claim handling obligations & standard of care
- Qualified **bad faith expert** with testimony in state & federal courts
- **Errors & Omissions** claims handler (20 years+)
- **Coverage expert** involving appropriateness, placement & disputes involving:
General Liability ♦ Professional Liability ♦ Property ♦ Surety ♦
Errors & Omissions (E&O) ♦ Claims-made trigger ♦ Excess - Surplus lines
- **Construction** industry insurance placement & claims specialization (20+ years)
- **Underwriting** experience (20+ years)
- History of representing both plaintiff & defense in expert testimony consulting
- Provided testimony in 5 of 11 federal districts / Rule 26 Report specialization
- 110+ Expert retentions / 25+ depositions / 7 trial testimonies / 30 arbitration retentions
- Active reinsurance company officer
- **No charge for travel time, coast to coast**

Website: www.Leatzow.com

Education: B.A., Ripon College – 1969

Professional Memberships:

- ♦ Independent Insurance Agents & Brokers of America (IIAA)
- ♦ Certified insurance & reinsurance Arbitrator in ARIAS
- ♦ Reinsurance Association of America (RAA)
- ♦ Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (U.S. / U.K. / Bermuda)

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