



DON H. GOODE

SHAREHOLDER

EDUCATION

B.A., magna cum laude, 1974, Jacksonville University
J.D., with honors, 1977, University of Florida
J.D., Cum Laude, L.L.M. in Taxation, 1978, University of Florida

BAR ADMISSIONS

Mississippi
Florida

ADMITTED

1977
1980

Don Goode's primary areas of practice are the representation of individuals and businesses involving:

- Income & Estate Taxation
- Retirement Planning
- Employee Benefits Plans

He also has extensive experience in the tax issues involving professionals and professional entities such as:

- Medical Office Groups
- Law Firms
- Accounting Firms

He has represented clients in such varied matters as:

- Estate & Assets Protection Planning
- Sales of Businesses
- Estate & Gift Tax Audits
- COBRA Issues in Acquisition Transactions
- Formation & Operation of Tax-Exempt Organizations
- Integration of Qualified Plans & IRA's in Estate Planning
- Negotiations with the Department of Labor & the Internal Revenue Service involving ERISA & Income Tax Issues

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

- Dossett, Goode, Barnes & Broom, P.A. | 1981-1996

CIVIC

- Member of Board of Directors - Reservoir Fire Protection District | 1984-1986





PROFESSIONAL ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- Peer Rated AV in Martindale-Hubbell Legal Directory
- Listed in the 2010, 2011, 2012, & 2013 Editions of The Best Lawyers in America, Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law & Tax Law

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS/AWARDS

Frequent Lecturer to Attorneys, CPAs And Other Professional Groups. Spoken At Seminars Sponsored By:

- American Bar Association
- Mississippi College School of Law
- University of Mississippi School of Law
- Mississippi Bar Association
- Mississippi Society of CPAs
- The Financial Planning Association
- Mississippi Association of Life Underwriters

MEMBERSHIPS

- American Bar Association: Taxation Section
- Mississippi Bar Association: Taxation Section - Executive Committee
- Estate Planning Council of Mississippi
- Mississippi College Estate Planning Council
- Mississippi Chapter of the Financial Planning Association
President, 1989-1990
- Capitol Area Bar Association



PRACTICES

- ASSET PROTECTION
- EMPLOYEE BENEFITS
- PROBATE LAW
- TAXATION
- WILLS, TRUSTS,
& ESTATE PLANNING