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Retired

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John Lucas retired from a very successful career at Brock Shipe Klenk effective August 1, 2023.

John graduated with honors from the U.S. Army Ranger school, an intense combat leadership course. A former member of the U.S. Army Special Forces and a decorated combat veteran, he brought his military philosophy to his law practice. Specifically, he defined the mission and then accomplished it. John relied on good judgment, integrity, and his skill in the courtroom to solve his clients' problems.

John's legal practice and background included a wide range of complex commercial litigation, including the defense of class action lawsuits, antitrust and unfair competition suits, labor and employment disputes, lender liability claims, product liability suits, disputes over control of businesses, representation of bankruptcy trustees in protracted complex litigation arising out of collapsed Ponzi schemes, and the like.

He spent 31 years in litigation at Hunton & Williams and 5 years at Merchant & Gould, P.C prior to joining Brock Shipe Klenk. His practice

spanned a breadth and depth of legal and business issues, from the nuances of Delaware corporate merger law to the complexities of radiation monitoring systems for nuclear power plants. He tried and argued cases in courts in at least fifteen states, including arguments before the U. S. Supreme Court, the Supreme Courts of Virginia and Tennessee, the U. S. Courts of Appeal for the 4th, 5th, 6th, and 9th Circuits as well as the Tennessee Court of Appeals and numerous state and federal trial courts.

John's clients ran the gamut and included one of the world's largest construction companies, a variety of Fortune 50 and Fortune 500 Companies, a former Cabinet officer, a state governor, multiple local governments and officials, utility companies, banks and financial institutions, and a multitude of small businesses and deserving individuals.

John will be enjoying his retirement residing in Virginia.