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Ralph J. Esposito Joins Farrell Fritz as Trusts & Estates Counsel

Farrell Fritz, P.C. welcomes Ralph J. Esposito to its trusts and estates department as counsel. Mr. Esposito works in our East Hampton office.

Since 2003, Mr. Esposito has worked at an East Hampton law firm in the areas of real estate, municipal applications, and primarily, estate planning.

Mr. Esposito has been involved in real estate ventures in New Jersey and Brooklyn since 1990. These have included the development of 90,000 square feet of commercial retail space on Route 17 in Paramus, NJ and in Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn; and the ownership and management of a 52,000 square-foot Family Entertainment Center.

From 1981 to 1993, Mr. Esposito was involved in family businesses, including the operation of a 54lane bowling center in New Jersey; in national and international sports promotions; and in television production and syndication. He was also a sports promotional consultant for Las Vegas and Atlantic City properties, breweries, and for the major bowling organizations and corporations.

Upon graduating from law school, Mr. Esposito practiced law in Illinois, working in tax and estate planning, including wills and trusts and in probate administration.

Mr. Esposito earned his Juris Doctor degree in 1975 from Loyola University of Chicago Law School. He received his MA in 1971 from Northwestern University and his B.A. in 1969 from Georgetown University.

Mr. Esposito is a member of the Bars of New York and Illinois. He is also a member of the American Bar Association's Real Property, Probate, and Trust Law Sections; the New York State Bar Association's Trusts and Estates Law Section; and the New York City Bar Association.

About Farrell Fritz

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