



JEFFREY C. MANDO, MEMBER

Attorney Profile

“Jeff Mando has represented clients in over 75 jury trials in state and federal courts in Ohio and Kentucky. Mando is an exceptional trial attorney, whose team has obtained a favorable result in every case it has tried in the last 10 years.”

Jeff Mando is a premier litigation attorney in Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky. With over 30 years of experience as a trial attorney, Jeff Mando aggressively represents clients in high risk and high profile cases.

The key to his trial success lies in his keen ability to understand and emphasize the strengths of his client's case while addressing its weaknesses. Jeff is able to quickly assess his client's position and has tremendous instincts about whether his client should try to settle the case or go to trial. When working on a high risk/high profile case, his team is nimble, leverages all available resources, and maximizes the budget in order to prevail on a case.

After a decision is rendered, Jeff Mando understands how to protect a verdict. “Once a trial is over, you often have to handle the appeals,” says Mando. “We see it as our job to protect what we secured for our clients.” Applying this strategy, Mando has a stellar record in the appellate courts, having successfully argued cases for clients, including over 20 cases before the 6th Circuit Court of Appeals, and secured five favorable rulings from Kentucky Supreme Court, in the last five years alone.

Representative Engagements:

National Counsel for Sorenson Companies, Since 2009, Jeff Mando has defended Sorenson in product liability suits filed across the country. The lawsuits allege that a medical device (a post-operative pain pump) manufactured by Sorenson Medical was defective and that Sorenson Companies were responsible under a successor liability theory. After the suits were filed, Sorenson's insurance carriers denied coverage for the claims, exposing the client to millions of dollars of uninsured risk. Through Mando's strategic efforts, he was able to secure court rulings reinstating in excess of \$20M in coverage, while simultaneously defending the cases in a cost efficient manner and thwarting any efforts to establish successor liability.

Counsel for Sanitation District 1 (SD1), Jeff Mando recently defended SD1 in a wrongful termination lawsuit in which the Controller claimed that he had been constructively discharged in violation of the Whistleblower Act after reporting accounting irregularities. The Controller's claims questioned the integrity of the institution and SD1 management. Faced with such austere allegations, Mando took a principled stand in defending SD1 by taking the issues to trial. He successfully argued the case and the jury found that SD1 had not engaged in any illegal conduct. This was an important verdict which restored confidence in SD1's board and management team.

If you are a corporation, government entity, or individual in Greater Cincinnati that is involved in a high risk and complicated case, and you are in need of an experienced attorney with a proven track record who understands how to develop an effective strategy, please contact Jeff Mando at www.aswdlaw.com.