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Glenn Thomson focuses on municipal bond financing involving taxable and tax-exempt financings for health care, housing, manufacturing and other public projects on behalf of governmental, 501(c)(3) charities and private business organizations, as well as governmental and nonprofit health care mergers, acquisitions and restructurings, economic development incentives, corporate trust matters and defaults, and workouts of bond-financed properties. Glenn is the former co-leader of Alston & Bird's Economic Incentives Practice Team. He writes and speaks regularly at national and regional workshops, seminars and panels concerning developments in the public finance and economic incentives areas.

Glenn received his J.D. in 1978 and his B.A., with high distinction, in 1973 from the University of Virginia. At the University of Virginia, he was awarded intermediate honors and was elected as a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society.

Representative Experience

- Bond counsel for \$276 million of tax-exempt refunding bonds for a city-owned international airport.
- Underwriter's counsel for more than \$527 million of fixed rate tax-exempt bonds benefiting a regional hospital.
- Bank counsel to a banking group providing letters of credit securing \$305 million of tax-exempt bonds.
- Hospital counsel to a university-affiliated nonprofit health care organization in connection with a multihospital joint venture and the assumption of \$200 million in bond debt.
- Corporate counsel to various Fortune 500 companies in obtaining economic incentives for more than \$2 billion in capital expenditures for office and manufacturing facilities.
- Trustee's counsel in connection with various bond and note defaults and workouts and more than \$3 billion in new note and bond issues.
- Hospital counsel to numerous governmental hospital restructurings.

Publications & Presentations

Publications

- "Guide to Georgia's Sunshine Laws for Economic Development Professionals," 2010.

Professional & Community Engagement

- National Association of Bond Lawyers (NABL)
- American Health Lawyers Association
- Georgia Economic Developers Association
- Metropolitan Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Economic Development Committee

- State Bar of Georgia
- Atlanta Bar Association
- YMCA of Metro Atlanta, board
- Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, Community Board
- Adaptive Learning Center, board

Education

- University of Virginia (J.D., 1978)
- University of Virginia (B.A., 1973)

Admitted to Practice

- Georgia
- District of Columbia

Related Services

Public Finance | Economic Incentives - Japanese Business Team | Corporate & Finance | Corporate & Business Transactions | International | Government & Economic Incentives