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The Client's Guide



## is ranked in Chambers USA 2015 as follows:

### FLORIDA

#### LITIGATION Appellate

##### Litigation: Appellate Leading Individuals

###### Band 1

Eaton Joel D *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

Rosenthal Stephen F *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

##### Podhurst Orseck P.A.

**Joel Eaton** of Podhurst Orseck P.A. impresses sources with his abilities in appellate practice. Commentators say that he is *"so well prepared that he is able to answer questions about a complex case without any written notes."* The *"excellent"* **Stephen Rosenthal** of Podhurst Orseck P.A. is lauded by commentators for his *"abilities in distilling and presenting legal issues with great clarity."* He has extensive experience in handling class action, personal injury and professional malpractice matters in the appellate courts.

#### LITIGATION

##### Litigation: General Commercial Leading Firms

###### Band 1

Podhurst Orseck P.A.

##### Leading Individuals

###### Band 1

Josefsberg Robert C *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

Podhurst Aaron S *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

###### Band 2

Prieto Peter *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

###### Band 3

Marks Steven C *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

##### Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations Leading Firms

###### Band 2

Podhurst Orseck P.A.

##### Leading Individuals

###### Band 1

Josefsberg Robert C *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

###### Band 2

Prieto Peter *Podhurst Orseck P.A.*

##### Podhurst Orseck P.A.

**What the team is known for** Superb standard of representation in large and multidistrict plaintiff class actions. Enjoys an especially good reputation in relation to aviation litigation, as well as in product liability matters.

##### Strengths (Quotes mainly from clients)

*"It is an extremely competent firm with pretty outstanding lawyers."*

**Work highlights** Acted for a large class of plaintiffs in mass tort multidistrict product liability litigation alleging damages arising from defects in Chinese drywall products. The US Consumer Products Safety Commission and the Centers for Disease Control have already determined both that the product is defective and that its consumers are entitled to remediation.

##### Notable practitioners

Sources note **Robert Josefsberg's** impact on the Florida litigation Bar and praise his unique approach to complex disputes. He handles both commercial cases and white-collar defense. The *"exceptional"* **Aaron Podhurst** is a *"titan of the Bar,"*

say market commentators. He is widely regarded as an outstanding commercial plaintiffs litigator. **Peter Prieto** is *"an outstanding lawyer,"* according to sources. He is accomplished in handling both complex commercial litigation and white-collar criminal defense work. **Steven Marks** is a *"very bright plaintiff lawyer,"* particularly noted for handling litigation in the context of the aviation industry. His practice also encompasses personal injury, medical malpractice and admiralty matters.