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Paul is a shareholder at G&B, and a member of the Pharmaceutical; Biotechnology; Litigation and Trial; Client Counseling; and Patent Prosecution practice groups of Greenblum & Bernstein. His work in these groups includes preparing and supervising the preparation of infringement and validity opinions, Notice Letters, litigation, FDA citizen petitions, and patent prosecution; as well as general counseling, particularly in the pharmaceutical, chemical, and medical arts. Paul is involved extensively in the firm's pharmaceutical practice and advises drug companies (primarily generics) on strategic planning and new product introduction. He works extensively with Hatch-Waxman issues and the interface of patent and FDA law. On the innovator side, Paul prepares and prosecutes patent term extension applications. Paul also maintains an active patent prosecution docket mostly comprising pharmaceutical, polymer, and medical device technologies. Paul travels throughout the world to meet with current and prospective clients, including regular visits to India.

## Notable

- Studied (Ph.D.) under MacArthur Award recipient Dr. R. Stephen Berry (1986-1993)
- Regularly travels throughout Europe and India

• Broad interest in chemical, pharmaceutical, and medical device cases, with a special interest in generic pharmaceuticals and Hatch-Waxman litigation

# Education

- Georgetown University Law Center, J.D. (1999) (Journal of Legal Ethics)
- Hebrew University, Lady Davis Postdoctoral Fellowship
- The University of Chicago, Ph.D., Chemistry (1993)
- College of William and Mary, B.Sc. (Chemistry) (with High Honors, 1986)

#### **Bar Admissions**

- USPTO, 1997
- Virginia, 1999

#### Courts

- Supreme Court of Virginia
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
- U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia

## **Practice Groups**

- Litigation and Trial
- Pharmaceutical
- Client Counseling, Licensing & Technology Transfer
- Patents