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Geoffrey joined the firm in 2004 and is Chair of the Real Estate Group. He specializes in the acquisition, disposition, leasing and financing of commercial real estate. His clients are principally property development companies, property management companies, family real estate holdings and national or regional retailers. Geoffrey previously was a partner in the firm Rachstein, Norman & Buchman LLP, and prior to that served as an attorney then General Counsel at the CVS Corporation.

Bar Admissions

Massachusetts Bar

Memberships

- Fund for a Free South Africa—Board Member 1979-1995, Secretary 1984-1995
- International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC)
- Retailer Association of Massachusetts (RAM)
- Jewish Alliance for Law and Social Action

Achievements

- Named a Massachusetts Super Lawyer by *Boston Magazine* in 2005, 2006 and 2007
- Founder of the Fund for a Free South Africa
- Founder and immediate past President "Baystate Jaguars" (AAU Basketball Club)
- Founder and President Newton Flames Girls Soccer Club

Publications

- "The Transkei: South Africa's Illegitimate Child," *New England Law Review*, Vol. 12, No. 3
- "The Transkei Revisited," *New England Law Review*, Vol. 13, No. 4.

Education

B.Com., University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, 1972

LLB, University of the Witwatersrand, 1975

J.D., New England School of Law, *cum laude*, 1977

Master of Urban Affairs, Boston University, 1983