

# Kevin E. Burke

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## **Practice Areas**

Labor Management Relations
Discrimination and Harassment
HR Advice and Counsel
Healthcare

## **Overview**

Kevin E. Burke represents and advises a wide range of employers regarding labor and employment matters. Kevin represents employers in labor relations matters including:

- Collective bargaining negotiations
- Contract administration
- Labor arbitrations
- Responding to unfair labor practice claims

He also investigates and responds to charges of discrimination and counsels management in matters involving:

- Hiring
- · Performance and discipline
- Leave requests
- Terminations

Kevin has contributed updates to several chapters in *Labor and Employment in Massachusetts: A Guide to Employment Laws, Regulations, and Practices*, published by LexisNexis.

Prior to joining Littler, Kevin was an in-house labor and employment counsel at an academic medical center in Boston.

Additionally, he practiced in the labor and employment group of a Massachusetts municipal defense firm, where he advised



municipalities in a broad range of employment litigation matters and public sector labor issues.

# **Professional and Community Affiliations**

- Member, Boston Bar Association
- Member, Massachusetts Bar Association

# **Events & Speaking Engagements**

## 2021 New England Virtual Employer Conference

November 9, 2021

#### 2020 Virtual New England Employer

November 5, 2020

### Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses Legal Clinic

Babson College, Wellesley, MA November 20, 2019

#### Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses Program - Boston

November 14, 2018

#### Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses Program

Wellesley, MA 2016-2018

# Recognition

• Named, Ones to Watch The Best Lawyers in America®, 2022-2025

#### **Education**

J.D., Northeastern University School of Law, 2008 B.A., Saint Anselm College, 2005

#### **Bar Admissions**

Massachusetts

#### **Courts**

U.S. District Court, District of Massachusetts

# **Publications & Press**



# Act Fast: National Labor Relations Board Guidance Memorandum Serves as a Reminder of Shortened Election Timeframe

Littler ASAP

December 13, 2023

#### Act Fast: National Labor Relations Board Reverts to Shortened 2014 Representation Election Timeframe

Littler ASAP

August 29, 2023

### D.C. Circuit Issues Mixed Ruling Regarding Major Provisions of the NLRB's 2019 Election Rule

Littler ASAP

January 20, 2023

#### Littler Elevates 33 Attorneys to Shareholder

Press Release

January 6, 2022

#### Best Lawyers in America© 2022 Edition Honors More Than 240 Littler Lawyers

Press Release

August 19, 2021

# Peter Sung Ohr has Cemented the Biden NLRB's Direction Despite Challenges to his Interim Appointment and Prosecutorial Authority

Littler ASAP

March 17, 2021

#### **House Passes Sweeping Labor Law Rewrite**

Littler ASAP

March 10, 2021

#### PRO Act Would Upend U.S. Labor Laws for Non-Union and Unionized Employers Alike

Littler ASAP

February 10, 2021

#### Littler WPI's Election Report: How Voters Have Shaped Workplace Policy

Littler Report

November 6, 2020

# NLRB Proposed Rule Signals a Return to the Excelsior Requirement and the Advent of Absentee Ballots for Military Personnel

Littler ASAP

July 31, 2020



#### **NLRB Updates Election Rule Changes to Comply with Court Order**

In the News

June 10, 2020

#### NLRB Moves Forward with Bulk of Final Election Rule Changes Despite Blow Dealt by Federal Court

Littler ASAP

June 2, 2020

### **WPI Labor Day Report 2019**

Littler Report

September 3, 2019

## Littler's WPI Labor Day Report 2018

Littler Report

August 30, 2018

## Massachusetts Legislature Passes Comprehensive Noncompete Reform

Littler ASAP

August 2, 2018

#### Rhode Island Enacts Legislation Requiring Accommodations for Pregnant Employees

Littler ASAP

July 15, 2015

# Massachusetts Attorney General Issues Final Sick Leave Regulations

Littler ASAP

June 25, 2015

# Massachusetts Attorney General Issues Required Notice of Employee Rights and Clarifies the "Safe Harbor" Exemption

Littler ASAP

June 11, 2015

# Massachusetts High Court Rules Real Estate Agents Not Subject to State's Stringent Independent Contractor Law

Littler ASAP

June 4, 2015