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NICHOLAS D. GARRARD (Nick) was born and raised in the Mississippi Delta. He graduated cum laude from the University of Mississippi in 2003 with a B.A. degree in broadcast journalism and received his Doctor of Jurisprudence from the University of Mississippi School of Law in 2006.

Mr. Garrard advises companies on a variety of day-to-day legal issues, and assists them in efficient handling of accounts and business practices. He also represents business clients as creditors in bankruptcy cases, and assists in collections and replevin matters. Mr. Garrard has experience in locating and developing relationships with local counsel in other states, and has overseen cases to ensure client satisfaction.

Additionally, Mr. Garrard maintains an active litigation and appellate practice. As an appellate attorney, Mr. Garrard has drafted briefs and successfully represented clients on cases before the appellate courts in Mississippi and North Carolina.



**Current Employment Position(s):**

- Attorney

**Bar Admissions:**

- Mississippi, 2007 all state and federal courts
- North Carolina, 2012 all state and federal courts
- U.S. Court of Appeals Fifth Circuit
- Cherokee Tribal Court - Eastern Band of the Cherokee Nation
- Choctaw Tribal Court - Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians

**Education:**

- University of Mississippi School of Law (Ole Miss), 2006
  - Juris Doctor
- University of Mississippi, 2003
  - Bachelor of Arts, Broadcast Journalism

**Professional Associations and Memberships:**

- Mississippi Bar Association

- Mississippi Defense Lawyers Association
- Defense Research Institute

**Past Employment Positions:**

- Eleventh Circuit Court District - Cleveland, Mississippi
  - Judicial Law Clerk

**Recent Decisions**

- Doty and Garrard obtain dismissal of Workers' Compensation claim
- Wilkins Patterson Attorneys Obtain Favorable Ruling from Mississippi Supreme Court
- Workers' Compensation Case Affirmed by Court of Appeals
- Defense Verdict Affirmed on Appeal

**Practice Areas**

- Appellate Practice
  - Creditors' Rights and Bankruptcy
  - Employment Law
  - General Liability
  - Medical Malpractice Defense
  - Motor Vehicle Defense
  - Rental Purchase Law
  - Workers' Compensation Defense
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