

Tax

Solid Solutions for a Complex Code

The United States has one of the most complicated tax codes in the world, and the penalties for violating that code can be quite burdensome. Businesses and individuals need a trusted advisor to guide them through the complexities of tax laws and regulations.

The Brooks Pierce tax law team is made up of highly respected professionals with skill in all facets of tax law, and includes a litigator for the Office of Chief Counsel for the U.S. Treasury.

We bring this wealth of experience to bear in a multitude of varying business needs:

- Corporate representation in tax planning and complex tax issues
- Tax planning for privately-held and family-owned businesses, including implementation and preparation of estate plans to minimize the gift tax
- Structuring business entities, including partnerships, LLCs, S corporations, and C corporations, for the most tax benefit and minimized liability
- Advising businesses of all sizes on how to conduct transactions, such as mergers, acquisitions, liquidations, and joint ventures, in the most tax effective way

Our attorneys also assist in dispute resolution. We represent both companies and individuals in disputes with the IRS and local and state taxing authorities. We also defend taxpayers in disputes over tax payments, levies, and audit penalties.

For non-profit organizations, our tax attorneys can provide valuable counsel for everything from entity formation to compliance with tax regulations to structuring philanthropic gifts to maximize tax benefits.

How can we help you and your business find solid tax solutions?

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News

Brooks Pierce Receives 41 Tier-One Rankings in 2023 "Best Lawyers"
11.03.2022

Brooks Pierce Welcomes Four New Associates
10.07.2022

Brooks Pierce Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2023 Guide
08.18.2022

Brooks Pierce Receives 40 Tier-One Rankings in 2022 Edition of "Best Law Firms"
U.S. News - Best Lawyers® "Best Law Firms", 11.04.2021

72 Brooks Pierce Attorneys Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® 2022 Guide
The Best Lawyers in America®, 08.19.2021

Events

Bob Saunders Presents at NC Realtors Association Annual Convention
10.19.2021

Jamey Lowdermilk Serves as Panelist at American Bar Association Midyear Tax Meeting
01.26.2021

Brooks Pierce International Law and Tax Partners to Speak at Export University 101 Event
03.04.2015

Publications

Brooks Pierce Capital Dispatch: Updates from the NC General Assembly and Governor's Office,
June 25, 2021
06.25.2021

Brooks Pierce Capital Dispatch: Updates from the NC General Assembly and Governor's Office,
April 16, 2021
04.16.2021

Brooks Pierce Capital Dispatch: Updates from the NC General Assembly and Governor's Office,
March 26, 2021
03.26.2021

Tax Incentives for Employers in the CARES Act
COVID-19 Response Resource Center: Timely Counsel for your Business, 04.06.2020

Guide to the COVID-19 Paycheck Protection Program and Loan Forgiveness
COVID-19 Response Resource Center: Timely Counsel for your Business, 03.27.2020