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**Area of Emphasis**

Marnie Schock is a shareholder in the Corporate & Commercial Group of Babst Calland. Her practice focuses on: real estate transactions including sales, purchases, commercial and retail leasing, easements and other real estate agreements; the acquisition, disposition and leasing of mineral interests, joint development and exploration agreements, licensing and rights-of-way and other mineral conveyancing and related agreements; corporate acquisitions, mergers and divestitures; finance transactions; and commercial contracts.

**Background**

Ms. Schock graduated from the University of Toronto with an Honours Bachelor of Arts in 1995. She received her J.D. from the University of Pittsburgh in 1998 where she was a member of the University of Pittsburgh Journal of Law and Commerce.

Prior to joining the firm, Ms. Schock was Vice President of Legal for Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc., a full-line sporting goods retailer with over \$4 billion in annual sales. At Dick's Sporting Goods, Ms. Schock had direct responsibility for a wide variety of legal matters including: negotiation of a \$150 million headquarters project; legal aspects of Dick's Sporting Goods' three acquisitions; negotiation of big-box retail leases, trademark purchase agreements and licenses, and aircraft purchase and sales agreements; management of complex and routine litigation; and oversight of corporate governance matters. Before working for Dick's Sporting Goods, Ms. Schock was an associate with two Pittsburgh-based law firms where her practice focused on real estate, corporate and finance transactions.

**Memberships and Affiliations**

Ms. Schock is a member of the Allegheny County, Pennsylvania and American Bar Associations.