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GREGORY S. FRYER has practiced corporate and securities law for nearly 30 years. He joined Verrill Dana in 1985, after having practiced with law firms in New York and Atlanta.

Greg's principal areas of practice are Maine and Delaware corporate law, SEC regulation and reporting, mergers and acquisitions, and venture capital. Greg has advised a number of different corporations on fiduciary duty issues, such as dealing with dissident shareholders. He also serves as general counsel to numerous privately-held companies, advising directors and executives on legal issues and trends affecting their business, and helping them position their companies for future acquisition or sale transactions or for future financing transactions. Greg has a longstanding interest in capital formation for development-stage companies. He is a former member of the Maine Commission on Investment Capital (1990-93) and currently serves as a member of the Maine Small Enterprise Growth Board (2007 to present), Maine's state-funded venture capital firm.

Greg is a member of the Business Law Section of the Maine State Bar Association; he is a former Chair of that Section and since 1993 has served as Chair of its Securities Law Subcommittee. He was involved in Bar committees responsible for reviewing and drafting comprehensive updates of several business-related laws in Maine, including the Maine Business Corporation Act, the Maine Uniform Securities Act, and the Maine Limited Liability Company Act. Greg also is a former member of the Executive Committee of the Maine Bar Foundation, and continues to serve on its Finance Committee. In recent years, he has become an active member of the Business Law Section of the Boston Bar Association.

Greg is a graduate of Dartmouth College (1976, *magna cum laude*) and Cornell Law School (1979, *cum laude*, Cornell Law Review). Greg is ranked and listed in The Best Lawyers in America<sup>®</sup>, New England Super Lawyers, and Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business. He lives in Yarmouth, Maine with his wife Joanne T. Fryer, a lawyer who owns Divorce Mediation Services in Yarmouth.

### **Julie L. Flynn**

Julie Flynn is the Deputy Secretary of State for the Bureau of Corporations, Elections and Commissions (CEC), which is one of three Bureaus in the Department of the Secretary of State. She previously served as the Director of Corporations and Elections for the Bureau. Ms. Flynn has over 21 years of experience with business license or entity filings, beginning with the City of Portland in 1988 and serving since 1995 at CEC. Ms. Flynn holds BA in Psychology and a Master of Business Administration, both from the University of Maine at Orono. She has been active on the board of the International Association of Corporation Administrators, a professional association for government administrators in the field of corporation and commercial lien filings; serving as the organization's president in 2002.

### **Cathy Beaudoin**

Cathy Beaudoin is the Assistant Director of the Division of Corporations, UCC & Commissions for the Department of the Secretary of State. She has worked for the Department for over 19 years and has a wealth of knowledge about the Division. She played a key role in the development and implementation of the Division's many online services. She is always willing to offer assistance with corporate, UCC and commission filings. You can reach her at (207) 624-7748 or by email at [Cathy.Beaudoin@Maine.gov](mailto:Cathy.Beaudoin@Maine.gov).

## **Linda Conti**

Assistant Attorney General Linda Conti graduated from the University of Maine School of Law in 1987. She has been with the Office of the Attorney General since 1988 and has been working on litigation and legislation relating to the Attorney General's oversight of charities since 1989. She served as lead counsel in *State of Maine v. Melmac*, which involved the sale of Maine's nonprofit student loan funding corporation to a business and *State of Maine v. Seal Cove Auto Museum et. al.*, which was an action to remove a board member of a nonprofit corporation due to conflict of interest transactions and other breaches of fiduciary duties.

Linda recently participated as a panelist on the University of Maine School of Law's 2009 Ethics Symposium - Current Issues in Governance and Ethics for the Nonprofit Sector. She currently serves as Chief of the Consumer Protection Division, which is the Division responsible for consumer, antitrust and charities oversight and enforcement.

## **Michael Miller**

Assistant Attorney General Michael Miller joined the Healthcare Crimes Unit (“HCU”) of the Office of the Attorney General in February 2006, and became its Director in December 2007. She initially joined the Litigation Division of the Office of the Attorney General in late 2003. As Director, she oversees the eight member HCU, which is the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit for the State of Maine charged with conducting a statewide program for investigating and prosecuting violations of law pertaining to fraud in the administration of the Medicaid program, the provision of medical assistance, or the activities of health care providers.

Michael graduated from Widener University School of Law in 1998, *summa cum laude*. While in law school she was on staff for *The Delaware Journal of Corporate Law*. During 1998-1999, she served as law clerk to the Hon. Joseph T. Walsh, Justice, Supreme Court of Delaware. She was a litigation associate with the firm of Potter, Anderson & Corroon, LLP, in Wilmington, Delaware, and in 2000 joined the Delaware Attorney General’s Office. Michael also briefly served as a Staff Attorney for Legal Services For The Elderly, Inc. She moved to Maine with her family in 2003.