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David W. Starfield, Esquire

David is a co-founder and Senior Counsel of Starfield & Smith, P.C. In his legal capacity, David has been actively involved in all aspects of SBA lending for over 30 years. David represents and assists hundreds of lenders that participate in SBA's lending programs, and serves as Counsel to the National Association of Government Guaranteed Lenders ("NAGGL"). David's skill as an attorney is of the highest caliber. Martindale-Hubbell gives David its highest rating of "AV" for his legal skill and ethics. He has been honored as a Life Fellow of the ABA's American Bar Foundation. His peers have repeatedly voted him a "Super Lawyer" in Philadelphia Magazine. David uses these skills on a daily basis to represent the interests of lenders that extend capital to the small business community.

David devotes countless hours to NAGGL as a developer and instructor for several of NAGGL's most popular courses; as an advisor to NAGGL's Technical Issues Committee; as a regular contributor of articles and insights to NAGGL's monthly newsletter; as a member of the Region III Liaison Committee; and as a frequent lecturer and moderator of breakout sessions at NAGGL conferences on the latest SBA lending and regulatory issues. Additionally, David has been honored for his contributions to the industry by receiving NAGGL's Distinguished Service Award, NAGGL's Instructor of the Year award, and SBA's Financial Services Champion of the Year award for Eastern Pennsylvania.

David has worked directly with the SBA on seminars, rules and articles. He also frequently travels to Washington, DC in his capacity as NAGGL Counsel to assist the Agency and Congress in developing policies and proposals to advance the interests of SBA lenders and improve the delivery of financial assistance to small businesses.

ADMISSIONS:

- U.S. Supreme Court
- Pennsylvania
- New Jersey

HONORS/AWARDS:

- 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 Super Lawyers - Pennsylvania (Banking)
- 2016 "Life Fellow" of the ABA's American Bar Foundation
- 2012 "Distinguished Service Award" - National Association of Government Guaranteed Lenders
- 2009 "Financial Services Champion of the Year" - SBA Eastern Pennsylvania
- 2004 "Instructor of the Year" - National Association of Government Guaranteed Lenders
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MEMBERSHIPS:

- National Association of Government Guaranteed Lenders
 - Counsel to Board of Directors
 - Technical Issues Committee (advisor)
 - Region III Liaison Committee
- American Bar Association
- Pennsylvania Bar Association

EDUCATION:

- University of Southern California School of Law - J.D.
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