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Bob Safron is a member of the American College of Real Estate Lawyers and is included in Law Business Research's *International* in the New York Metro Area by *Super Lawyers*. He has more than 40 years of experience in a broad range of commercial real estate transactions, including financing, leasing and loans.

Representative Matters

Represented several large real estate companies in the acquisition, development, leasing and/or financing of numerous major projects.

Represented or assisted many major law firms in their leasing of office space in New York City.

Represented a foreign institutional company in the acquisition and/or development, and ultimately the disposition, of a \$1.1 billion project.

Represented a variety of owner/investor clients in the acquisition, development, financing and/or disposition of numerous hotels.

Represented a major Dutch pension fund in connection with the financing of a U.S. portfolio of nearly \$1 billion of real estate in New York City.

Represented a foreign bank in connection with the restructuring and/or disposition of several properties in New York City and throughout the U.S.

Represented well-known hotel chain in connection with the disposition, purchase and/or leasing of its hotel portfolio in New York City.

Represented numerous foreign banks in their sale and leasing of office buildings in New York City.

Represented well-known international retailer in its leasing of retail sites throughout the U.S.

Represented several multi-national organizations in connection with the acquisition, divestiture and/or leasing of corporate real estate.

Education

- New York University School of Law (J.D., *cum laude*, 1969)
 - Pomeroy Scholar
 - Member, *NYU Law Review*
- Brandeis University (B.A., 1966)

Admissions

- New York

Professional Activities

MEMBERSHIPS: Association of the Bar of the City of New York (formerly served two terms as a member of its Committee on Real Property Law); New York State Bar Association; American Bar Association; American College of Real Estate Lawyers

HONORS: Named in *Chambers USA* in the area of Real Estate; Recognized in *The Best Lawyers in America*® in the area of Real Estate Law; Named in *Super Lawyers* in the area of Real Estate; Recipient, Lawyers Alliance for New York's 2006 Cornerstone Award for outstanding pro bono legal service to nonprofit organizations; Designated as one of the world's leading real estate lawyers by Euromoney magazine; Included in the Guide to the World's Leading Real Estate Lawyers