



## Howard Burshtein \*

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Howard's practice is focused on all aspects of corporate and commercial transactions.

He has acted on numerous transactions involving the purchase, sale and structuring of domestic and international businesses and professional practices. He represents firms and individual professionals, including physicians, dentists, pharmacists, accountants, lawyers, architects and engineers. Working with Torkin Manes' Tax Group, he helps owners and professionals to structure their businesses and practices to maximize their short- and long-term goals.

The other major component of Howard's practice is focused on international transactions, as many of his clients are based in the United States and elsewhere. He has undertaken many acquisitions and divestitures of Canadian businesses for clients based in the US, UK, Italy, Australia and Belgium. As well, he is often called on to assist foreign clients in establishing new businesses in Canada. Howard also represents several life insurance and property/casualty insurance brokerage firms.

### Expertise

- ▶ Business Law
- ▶ Health Law
- ▶ International & Cross-Border Business
- ▶ Mergers & Acquisitions
- ▶ Private Equity

### Awards & Recognition

- ▶ *The Best Lawyers in Canada*® - Corporate Law (2021 - 2022)

### Publications & Presentations

- ▶ Nov 16, 2017 | Presentation  
Not Collecting Co-Payments - What's the Risk?  
*Legal Issues Affecting Dentists Today, Torkin Manes Health Law Program*
- ▶ Nov 18, 2014 | Presentation  
Tidying Up Your Corporate House  
*M & A Trends for Private Companies and their Shareholders, Torkin Manes Annual Business Law Seminar*

- ▶ Nov 20, 2012 | Presentation  
How to Structure Your Group Practice to Maximize Value  
*Torkin Manes Legal Symposium for Dentists*
- ▶ Nov 01, 2009 | Presentation  
Buying and Selling Your Practice  
*Torkin Manes Legal Symposium for Dentists*
- ▶ Jan 01, 2000 | Presentation  
Succession Planning  
*Ontario Associate of Architects' Annual Conference*
- ▶ Jan 01, 2000 | Presentation  
Venture Financing: The Dos and Don'ts
- ▶ Jan 01, 2000 | Presentation  
Doing Business in Canada  
*Seminar - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*
- ▶ Jan 01, 2000 | Presentation  
Wealth Planning  
*Seminar - Markham*

## Memberships

- ▶ Canadian Bar Association
- ▶ The French Language Lawyers Association

## Community Involvement

- ▶ Big Brother
- ▶ Multiple Sclerosis Super Cities Walk Coordinator
- ▶ Beth Emeth Bais Yehuda Synagogue:
- ▶ Director (2005-2009), Chair of Constitution/Governance Committee (2005 - 2011)

## Credentials

- ▶ Called to the Ontario Bar, 1986

## Education

- ▶ LL.B., University of Windsor, 1984
- ▶ M.B.A. (Marketing), University of Toronto, 1981
- ▶ B.Comm. (Finance), McGill University, 1979