



### **Education and Professional Background**

Texas Wesleyan School of Law, Juris Doctor cum laude, 2000

University College Dublin, Ireland, Master of Laws, 1997

Trinity College, Ireland, Bachelor of Laws, 1994

### **Admitted to Practice**

Texas, 2000

U.S. District Court, Northern, Southern and Eastern Districts of Texas

Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals

### **Noreen M. Grant, Associate**

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Noreen represents insurance companies, businesses and individuals in commercial as well as personal injury matters. Her main focus has been in the area of litigation, including personal injury, contract disputes, product liability claims, and premises liability claims.

### **Representative Experience**

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- Filed an interlocutory appeal and petition for writ of mandamus, and presented oral argument in the Tyler Court of Appeals, complaining the trial court abused its discretion in refusing to dismiss plaintiff's claims for failure to comply with Chapter 74's expert report requirement. That Court initially denied all appellate relief, but on rehearing, the Court withdrew its earlier opinion, and granted mandamus relief requiring the trial court to dismiss all claims against the nursing home. Under Chapter 74, the nursing home is entitled to recover its attorney's fees and costs from plaintiffs and their counsel.
- Secured summary judgment in premises liability and negligent activity lawsuit on behalf of national distributor concerning a forklift accident resulting in severe brain damage to the Plaintiff
- Obtained a summary judgment on behalf of a prominent national bank in a lawsuit arising from a robbery where plaintiff alleged inadequate security measures
- Obtained defense verdict in representation of defendant apartment complex in premises liability/DTPA lawsuit involving allegation of sexual assault at complex.
- Obtained defense verdict in representation of defendant apartment complex in six-figure premises liability lawsuit involving a claim of personal injury at complex.
- Secured six-figure plaintiff verdict in federal court in representation of plaintiff corporation in complex contractual dispute against Fortune 500 company.
- Obtained favorable settlement in six-figure patent infringement suit against Fortune 500 company.

### **Professional Affiliations**

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State Bar of Texas  
Texas Association of Defense Counsel  
American Bar Association

### **Selected Publications and Presentations**

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*'Psychiatrists' Duty to Warn Third Parties: Tarasoff Kicked Out of Texas ... Finally!'* 7 Texas Wesleyan Law Review, Spring 2004

### **Civic and Volunteerism**

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Treasurer of Cochran Heights Neighborhood Association, 2004 – Present

### **Practice Areas**

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Commercial Disputes

Health Law

    Drug and Medical Device Litigation

    Nursing Home and Long-Term Care Litigation

Insurance

    Insurance Defense

Personal Injury/Premises Liability

Products Liability

    Products