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Counsel

Tessa Harvey's practice focuses on complex commercial and financial litigation and internal and government investigations. She has represented clients in disputes involving mortgage-backed securities, derivatives, sale-leaseback agreements, and other financial instruments, as well as corporate clients and senior executives in purchase agreements, service contracts, and employment disputes in federal courts, state courts, and arbitration forums, including the Southern District of New York, the New York Supreme Court Commercial Division, JAMS, AAA, and FINRA.

Tessa has also represented corporate clients and executives in investigations by the Department of Justice, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, FINRA, the Bank of England's Prudential Regulation Authority, and the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority.

Before joining Binder & Schwartz, Tessa practiced in the litigation department of a top national law firm.

Honors & Affiliations

- Selected as a New York Super Lawyer for Business Litigation (2024-2026)
- Selected as a New York Super Lawyer Rising Star (2015-2023)

Professional Affiliations

- Federal Bar Council

Education

- Fordham University School of Law, J.D., 2012
- Associate Editor, Fordham Moot Court; Member, Fordham Urban Law Journal; Recipient of the Archibald R. Murray Public Service Award, 2012
- Boston University, B.A., 2009

Bar & Court Admissions

- New York
- U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York
- U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York
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