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**Morris Polich & Purdy's** Aviation & Marine Practice Group represents all types of transportation clients. We have experience representing aviation and marine clients before state and federal administrative agencies, as well as trial and appellate courts, in lawsuits pertaining to numerous types of transportation matters, including:

- Cargo claims
- Products liability
- Personal injury
- Salvage
- Marine insurance
- Toxic torts
- Aircraft leasing and financing
- Employment disputes
- Regulatory compliance

## **A CROSS SECTION OF OUR EXPERIENCE**

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### **Cargo Claims**

- Our attorneys have experience representing carriers in cargo claims involving the Carriage of Goods by Sea Act and the Carmack Amendment, among others.
- Our attorneys similarly have experience in aviation-related cargo claims, including prosecution and defense of claims pursuant to treaty, convention or statute.

### **Personal Injury and Wrongful Death**

- Our attorneys have defended aviation and marine claims involving personal injury and wrongful death, including claims arising under the Warsaw Convention, the Montreal Convention, the Death on the High Seas Act, the Limitation of Liability Act and the Jones Act.

### **Transactional Matters**

- We advise and assist with a wide range of commercial agreements and issues, including human resource and environmental matters, mergers and acquisitions, entity formation, joint ventures, real estate transactions, office and hangar leases, as well as architect and construction contracts.

### **Marine Insurance**

- We have represented major insurers in claims involving marine insurance liabilities for remediation of environmental damage.
- We provide coverage advice and representation on insurance coverage issues relating to all types of policies.

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## **Employment**

- Our attorneys understand that transportation employers face unique challenges, and we represent such clients in employment matters specific to transportation industries.
- For example, our attorneys handle negligence claims under the Jones Act on behalf of maritime employers. We also advise clients on the ways in which to handle employee reports at the time of injury so as to help minimize the risk of liability.
- We also represent transportation clients in all types of employment matters, such as harassment, discrimination, retaliation, as well as wage and hour disputes.

## **Appellate**

- Our attorneys have experience representing aviation and marine clients before state and federal appellate courts in numerous jurisdictions across the country.



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