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Accomplishments: Mr. Litz is an experienced civil trial lawyer, arbitrator and mediator. The majority of his practice has been concentrated in commercial lending and collections, lender liability and bankruptcy proceedings. He has arbitrated cases involving breach of contract, real estate leases, partnership dissolution, personal injury, loan workouts, general corporate, securities, products liability and computer contract matters. Mr. Litz is an Adjunct Professor of Law at Washington University teaching ADR and has authored publications in numerous periodicals, including the Missouri Bar Journal, the Missouri Business Law Quarterly, and the Missouri Bar "Litigation Settlement." He has served as faculty for various ADR training programs and seminars, including the Practising Law Institute (New York, NY), University of Missouri-Kansas City, the Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis and ADR Super Conferences (Washington D.C. and New York, NY). He is admitted to the Missouri Bar (1981); U.S. District Court Eastern District of Missouri (1981); 8th Circuit Court of Appeals (1981); 11th Circuit Court of Appeals (1989).

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