



Premises & General Liability

Pretzel & Stouffer aggressively represents clients in premises and general liability matters. We do this because our attorneys understand that these types of claims not only threaten a client's day-to-day operations but can cause serious damage to business reputation.

Businesses, property owners, heavy manufacturers, contractors, local government entities and risk management entities regularly retain Pretzel & Stouffer to handle their complex premises and general liability matters. Our niche premises liability practice draws routine and repeated engagements for incidents arising from snow or ice removal, construction and demolition activities as well as hidden defects.

As an elite trial firm, we are savvy inside the courtroom. Our multifaceted practice results in a truly skilled and comprehensive representation, from the inception of a lawsuit to its final resolution.

Our proficiency in premises and general liability litigation extends well beyond the courtroom. We regularly counsel clients on risk management practices, as we believe that avoiding a claim is more valuable than successfully litigating one. Our in-depth knowledge of Illinois state and local municipal law and codes makes us particularly effective at advising our clients on risk prevention in premises and general liability matters.

We have handled a wide array of premises and general liability issues, including construction and demolition activities, slip and falls, Dram Shop Act cases, Illinois Liquor Control Act cases, snow and ice removals, and injuries involving elevators, escalators, and moving sidewalks. While this short list does not encompass the sum of our attorneys' experiences, it confirms that we have the skills and experience to effectively handle any claim, case or issue involving premises or general liability.

Our extensive experience and commitment to providing excellent service for our premises and general liability clients is the driving force behind this successful practice group.