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**Practice Areas**

- Aviation
- Commercial Litigation
- Tort Litigation
- Premises Liability
- Product Liability

**Practice Emphasis**

As a Shareholder in the Tort and Commercial Litigation sections of Cowles & Thompson, Greg focuses his practice in the areas of product liability, commercial litigation and transportation. He has over 26 years of experience representing corporate clients in a broad array of matters, including aviation product liability defense, coordination of the national defense in product liability claims, defending wrongful death actions, prosecuting and defending contractual disputes, contract negotiations and federal civil/seizure and forfeiture cases. In doing so, he has successfully represented clients at trial in both state and federal courts throughout Texas. Greg also provides general business counsel to national product manufacturers and aviation-related enterprises, flight schools and FAA certificated on demand and commuter air carriers and repair stations.

Greg is a former Chair of the Aviation Specialized Litigation Group of the Defense Research Institute's Product Liability Committee and a former Chair of DRI's Aerospace Committee. He is also a panel attorney for the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association.

**Special Honors**

For the past seven years, Mr. Carboy has been named a "Texas Super Lawyer" by the publishers of *Texas Monthly* and *Law & Politics Magazine*. The annual ranking of "Texas Super Lawyers," which is designed to identify the top five percent of Texas attorneys in more than 60 practice areas, is based on surveys of more than 65,000 attorneys across the state.

**Publications and Speaking Engagements**

- Panel Speaker, "Aviation" American Conference Institute, 2012
- Moderator: "Product Liability Concerns and Strategies From the Perspective of a Distributor/Repair Service, Its Underwriter and Agent," Aviation Specialized Litigation Group, Defense Research Institute's Product Liability Conference, 2008
- "Hidden Cargo Brings Woes to Unsuspecting Companies," *Dallas Business Journal*, August 3, 2007
- Author and Presenter, "GARA: Summary Caselaw Update," Aviation Specialized Litigation Group, Defense Research Institute's Product Liability Conference, 2007
- Author and Presenter, "Products Liability Update," Cowles & Thompson's Tort Litigation Update Seminar, 2003
- Author and Presenter, "Chapter 82: Manufacturer's Duty to Indemnify," Cowles & Thompson's Risk Transfer Seminar, 2002
- Author and Presenter, "Introduction to Aviation Law," Cowles & Thompson's Transportation Litigation Seminar, 1999

**Memberships**

- State Bar of Texas
- Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association
- American Bar Association
- Dallas Bar Association
- Defense Research Institute



**Education and Court Admissions**

- Deerfield Academy 1979
- B.A. in Economics, Bucknell University, 1983
- J.D., Washington College of Law, American University, 1989
- State Bar of Pennsylvania, 1990
- State Bar of Texas, 1992
- U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Western District of Texas
- U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit