Family Law Forensic and Valuation Services

In divorce, the biggest hurdle may be ensuring that assets are divided fairly — which first requires an accurate inventory, valuation and consideration of future tax impacts. Weaver's forensic and litigation professionals can help you resolve issues in all of these areas.

Our team offers decades of experience in these complex financial issues, combined with credibility as expert witnesses. Working with Weaver's forensic, litigation and valuation professionals, you can help your clients achieve a fair outcome from their divorce proceedings.

How we can help:

Tracing

Especially after an extended marriage or second marriage, financial histories become intertwined, and it can be hard to untangle community from separate property. Weaver can analyze legal and financial records to identify and substantiate claims for separate property, as well as related reimbursement claims.

Valuation

Spouses who can agree on little else are unlikely to agree on the value of properties or businesses, especially with hard-to-value assets such as closely-held business interests, including stock options and restricted stock units, or intellectual property. Weaver can determine fair and reasonable market values for such assets, supported by documentation that will stand up to challenges in court.

Taxation

In structuring the division of assets and income streams, there are considerable tax implications to consider. Weaver can analyze different scenarios and advise you on the most tax-efficient alternatives, even for complex trusts or partnerships.





Weaver's family law services include:

- Identifying and obtaining relevant discovery material and information
- Conducting computer-assisted analysis of voluminous electronic data
- Analyzing complex financial transactions and relationships
- Reconstructing records for purposes of tracing financial transactions
- Tracing, identifying and substantiating separate and community property
- Assisting counsel in quantifying financial claims, including reimbursement claims, or rebutting claims by opposing experts
- Valuing assets, including complex corporate structures or alternative assets
- Analyzing the impact of debt incurred during the marriage
- Performing holistic tax analyses to guide the structure of settlements
- Assisting with cross-examination of opposing financial experts
- Preparing demonstrative trial exhibits and providing sworn testimony

Tracing

Separate Property

Community Property

- Earnings during the marriage
- Income from community property
- Income from separate property during Personal injury proceeds for loss of
- Enterprise goodwill
- Debts obtained during the marriage
- earning capacity

To learn how Weaver can assist in your family law cases, contact 800.332.7952 or visit us online at www.weaver.com/services/forensics-litigation-services

