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Through almost four decades of hard work, W. Edgar “Ed” Spivey has forged a reputation as a top-tier trial lawyer. As a veteran in the field, he has a diverse civil litigation and arbitration practice that has involved the representation of international, national and local businesses, public governmental bodies, and individuals.

Spivey has particularly deep experience representing public governmental bodies as plaintiffs and arbitrating and litigating investment and securities disputes for claimants, especially in FINRA proceedings.

Most recently, he has led efforts in Virginia by local governments to recover badly needed resources necessary to combat and abate the prescription opioid epidemic. In 2022, those efforts contributed to partial settlements that will flow over \$500 million to Virginia over a period of years. Through such litigation, Spivey is working to halt the spread of opioid addiction and bring justice to the families of the lost.