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**Practice Area:**

Government Regulations  
and Registrations  
Public Policy

**Practice Groups:**

Government Relations on  
Legislative  
Vendor, and Agency  
Matters  
State-Level Ethics  
Compliance

Gary G. Horlacher is a Partner in the Firm's Atlanta office who specializes his practice on government related issues. He has over 25 years experience in state-level and Washington D.C. issue advocacy, media relations, communication and campaign management. Mr. Horlacher represents clients on issues related to healthcare, technology, ethics, state election law, environmental, labor and many other areas.

**EXPERIENCE**

- Press Secretary and spokesman for Georgia Governor Roy Barnes
- Assistant Commissioner of Public Affairs for Georgia Department of Labor
- Manager of Government Relations for Oglethorpe Power & GEMC
- Georgia Innocence Project, *pro bono*, obtained a \$1.2 million compensation package from the State for a man wrongly imprisoned for 23 years for a crime he did not commit
- Served as Counsel for 8 years at Alston & Bird LLP

**EDUCATION**

- J.D., Georgia State University (1985)
- B.S., University of Georgia (1978)

**INVOLVEMENT**

- Member, Atlanta Bar Association
- Member, Georgia Chamber of Commerce Government Affairs Council
- Member, United Methodist Church Habitat for Humanity Projects
- Campaign of Atlanta Mayor Shirley Franklin (2001)
- Lifetime Red Cross Blood Donor

