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At Weinberg, Wheeler, Hudgins, Gunn & Dial, LLC, we try cases and use the threat of trial to leverage the most cost-effective resolution for your case. The lawyers in our Aviation Litigation Group have served as trial counsel, special counsel, lead counsel and coordinating counsel in hundreds of high-stakes aviation business, mass tort and product liability lawsuits.

Our clients cover the radar screen from airlines to air charter companies; aviation insurers to airframe and component part manufacturers; fixed based operators to regional airport authorities; and government contracts to aerospace industry consortiums.

We practice in federal and state courts across the nation, as well as before the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Department of State (DOS), Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB), and the Transportation Security Administration (TSA).

Our practice includes intense, high-profile matters in virtually every area of aviation law, including:

- » Advice and assistance in aviation insurance coverage disputes
- » Air-crash and mass disaster litigation
- » Battlefield liability
- » Commercial litigation
- » Crisis-management consulting
- » “Friendly-fire” litigation
- » Government contractor litigation
- » Product liability litigation
- » Property damage to aircraft and airport facilities
- » Strategic counseling on product audit programs, record retention schedules and e-discovery
- » Subrogation and recovery litigation

Our uniquely qualified team includes licensed instrument-rated and multi-engine pilots and an A&P mechanic. Our lawyers are frequent speakers for news organizations, before governmental boards, and at industry events, including the Aviation Insurance Association (AIA) Annual Conference and the SMU Air Law Symposium.



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With more than 30 years experience in nearly every facet of aviation law, Tom Strueber has been recognized as a “Super Lawyer” by *Atlanta Magazine* and *Law & Politics*; and has been identified as one of Georgia’s “finest aviation specialists” by *Who’s Who Legal 2007*. He “comes highly recommended for his work on contract disputes, product liability, insurance coverage and lawsuits arising from accidents in the aviation industry,” according to *Who’s Who Legal*. He has represented numerous major airlines, commuter airlines, airframe and component part manufacturers, airports, FBOs and aviation insurers. He has coordinated high-profile matters across the United States involving confidential FAA regulatory matters, NTSB investigations, mass disaster litigation, accidents involving military aircraft and components, general aviation crashes, aircraft lease and contract disputes, and aviation insurance coverage litigation.



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