

## Premises Liability and Tort Defense

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### Protect Your Business and Your Property

Sometimes businesses or property owners will find themselves accused of liability when personal injuries occur on their premises. In these instances, you need experienced legal counsel to help you avoid hefty judgments and higher insurance rates against your business.

Peabody & Arnold has defended premises liability and related tort claims since its founding and has deep experience in taking cases – including “slip and fall” matters and complex claims involving serious personal injury – from inception through trial. We partner with you to achieve desired goals, whether by trying cases or reaching a mutual resolution.

### A Wealth of Litigation Experience

With skill and confidence, we represent clients in a wide range of disputes in state and federal courts. We evaluate risk and analyze objectives at every stage of the process, while managing the impact on your business. When needed, we have access to a broad network of trusted technical experts to bolster our case.

We handle a wide range of cases, including:

- High exposure personal injury
- Complex multi-party matters involving contribution and indemnification disputes between parties
- Alleged defective conditions
- Assaults from negligent security
- Slip and falls on alleged defects or snow and ice
- False imprisonment and unlawful arrest

In addition to our strong record of success in this area, we are members of a variety of defense bar organizations, including the Defense Research Institute, the International Association of Defense Counsel, and the Massachusetts Association of Defense Lawyers.