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Jim Anderson is the Founding Member of Anderson Crawley & Burke, PLLC, (www.acblaw.com), a law firm headquartered in Ridgeland, Mississippi. He is a member of the Mississippi Bar, is admitted to practice before all Courts in Mississippi and the United States Supreme Court. A University of Southern Mississippi graduate (BS, 1971) and Mississippi College School of Law graduate (JD, 1978), Mr. Anderson is a member of the Mississippi Bar Association, Defense Research Institute (DRI), and the American Bar Association. He has served as Chairman of the Workers' Compensation Section of the Mississippi Bar and has been active in regulatory reform related to workers' compensation issues. He is a member of the Board of Directors of and Past-President of the Mississippi Workers' Compensation Educational Association, Inc. (MWCEA), and was author of and editor of the Mississippi Workers' Compensation Claims Guide, now in its 4th Edition. Mr. Anderson has been a faculty member for numerous seminars relating to workers' compensation and other employment related issues and offers a series of STAR® training seminars to the workers' compensation community regarding the Mississippi Workers' Compensation Law.

In addition to his work with the MWCEA, he is an active participant in the Workers' Compensation Institute in Orlando, Florida where he co-chairs the National Workers' Compensation Review and represents Mississippi in the Multi-State program. Mr. Anderson has carried Martindale Hubbell's highest rating (AV) since 1990 and has been listed in The Best Lawyers in America since 1995. He has also been named Lawyer of the Year in Jackson, Mississippi for Workers' Compensation Law, Employers, by The Best Lawyers in America and in 2012 was named Lawyer of the Year by the Mississippi College School of Law for Outstanding Lifetime Achievement in the Legal Community. He is a Fellow in the College of Workers' Compensation Lawyers and currently serves on the Board of Governors for the College and is Chairman of the Governance Committee for the Board. In 2015, he was awarded the Kenneth G. Perry Professionalism Award, an award given annually by the Workers' Compensation Section of the Mississippi Bar in recognition of Exceptional Professionalism in the practice of workers' compensation law. He also currently serves as Chairman of the Industry Relations Sub-Committee of the Workers' Compensation Community within the DRI.

Mr. Anderson is also a member of the Board of Directors for the Multiple Sclerosis Association of America headquartered in Cherry Hill, New Jersey. <http://www.mymsaa.org/> He is the immediate Past Chairman of the Board of Directors of that organization and currently serves as Chairman of the Communications and Marketing Committee for that Board.