

John T. Sefton

Partner/Retired



John T. Sefton is a retired partner with Foley & Lardner LLP where he counseled clients in the acquisition and operation of business enterprises and agribusiness holdings of real estate. As a member of the firm's Real Estate and Commercial Transactions & Business Counseling Practices, he represented both U.S. companies doing business abroad and foreign clients who have acquired or disposed of U.S. enterprises. John advised a number of closely held family businesses and corporations and developed extensive experience in product distribution, environmental, Florida taxation, and creditors' rights problems. He served as counsel for a number of financial institutions in Florida and drafted documentation and compliance manuals for several Florida lenders.

Awards and Recognition

John was Peer Review Rated as AV® Preeminent™, the highest performance rating in Martindale-Hubbell's peer review rating system.

Education

- Yale University (J.D.)
- Vanderbilt University (bachelor's degree, magna cum laude)

Admissions

- State of Florida
- U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida

- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit
- United States Supreme Court