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Expertise

- Restructuring & Insolvency
- U.S. Cross-Border

Biography

Jeremy Bornstein is a partner in the Restructuring & Insolvency Group at Cassels. His practice focuses on corporate restructurings, work-outs, distressed M&A and debtor-in-possession financing. Jeremy regularly acts for companies, lenders, court officers, purchasers and other stakeholders in significant and complex Canadian and cross-border mandates.

He has a track record for delivering exceptional client outcomes and is recognized for combining technical excellence with a collaborative, commercially minded style. Jeremy provides sound strategic advice in time-sensitive restructurings. He has extensive experience across a range of industries, including real estate, logistics, media, food and beverage, cannabis, energy and retail.

Jeremy’s recent representative work includes acting for:

- ACM Advisors Ltd. as appointing creditor in the Ashcroft Homes Group CCAA and receivership proceedings
- CharterUP, LLC as purchaser in the Bus.com CCAA proceedings
- Constantine Enterprises Inc. as appointing creditor and purchaser in certain Mizrahi Development Group receivership matters
- Cameron Stephens Mortgage Capital as DIP Lender in the Square Nine CCAA proceedings
- The Bank of Nova Scotia as DIP Lender in the STS Renewables CCAA proceedings
- National Bank of Canada as appointing creditor in various receivership matters
- LoyaltyOne, Co. (AirMiles) in its CCAA proceeding
- BioSteel Sports Nutrition Inc. and its affiliates in their CCAA proceedings
- Black Press Group in its CCAA proceedings
- DIP Lenders and Sponsor as purchaser in the Just Energy Group CCAA proceedings
- Avant Brands as the lead participant in the purchaser in the Flowr Group CCAA Proceedings
- Sungard Availability Services Group in its CCAA recognition proceedings
- Monitor in the Trichome Group CCAA proceedings

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- Monitor in the FIGR Group CCAA proceedings
- Timbercreek Asset Management Inc. in various receivership matters
- MCAP Financial Corporation in the Strategic Group of Companies CCAA and receivership proceedings

Achievements

- *Best Lawyers: Ones to Watch* (Insolvency and Financial Restructuring Law) (2024 – 2025)

Recent Representative Work

- Mako Mining Acquires Moss Mine in Arizona
- Cassels Successful in Terminating the Ashcroft Homes CCAA and Appointing an Interim Receiver
- Canopy Growth Completes Sale of BioSteel
- BioSteel Obtains CCAA Creditor Protection

Insights

- CCAA and BIA Amendments to Come into Force November 1, 2019
- Wage Earner Protection Program Amendments: Maximum Payment Amount Increases Without Changing $2,000 Super Priority Under the BIA and CCAA
- Return to Certainty: Supreme Court of Canada Provides Clarity to GST/HST Deemed Trust and the Liability of Secured Creditors for Funds Received

Education / Bar Admissions

- J.D., Western University, 2013
- H.B.A. (Business Administration), Western University, 2008

- Ontario, 2014