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"A fearless advocate for his clients."

Monty Dhaliwal

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Monty Dhaliwal is the Co-Head of Pallett Valo's Litigation Practice. He focuses on commercial litigation, shareholder disputes, injunctions, commercial real estate disputes, insolvency, and corporate restructuring. Monty has a reputation as a tough advocate who can clean up a crisis with a steady hand.

Representing businesses of all sizes – from sole proprietors and small family businesses to multinationals – he has appeared before the Ontario Superior Court of Justice and Ontario Court of Appeal. Monty also represents clients in alternative dispute resolution, including private arbitrations.

Aiming to provide his clients with the best solution to resolve their disputes, he goes the extra mile to understand their businesses and the environment in which they operate, providing practical advice to address complex issues.

A fearless advocate for his clients, he acts on behalf shareholders and directors in complex shareholder and oppression disputes, in derivative actions, and in corporate governance issues. He knows that sometimes disputes need to be resolved, while others need to be litigated.

In commercial real estate disputes, he represents clients in litigating agreements of purchase and sale and leases for real estate. He also acts for developers in litigation matters arising during development activities. These include dealing with municipalities, neighbouring developments, and landowners. To keep the developments moving forward, Monty is known to use creative and aggressive advocacy.

Furthermore, he has experience in estate litigation, IP/trademark litigation, contract disputes, defamation, debt recovery, asset recovery, PPSA security enforcement, breach of contract, insurance litigation, *Condominium Act* litigation, and breach of trust. Monty also acts for clients in seeking injunctions against businesses and individuals, both urgently and as final orders.

Expertise

- Commercial Litigation
- Advising on BIA Proceedings
- Advising on CCAA Proceedings
- Alternative Dispute Resolution (Arbitration & Mediation)
- Appeals
- Arbitration
- Commercial Disputes
- Commercial Receiverships
- Contract Disputes
- Copyright Infringement
- Corporate and Shareholder Disputes
- Corporate Bankruptcy Petitions
- Corporate Restructuring
- Creditor Remedies
- Creditor/Debtor Rights
- Defamation
- Employment Litigation
- Enforcement of Securities, Asset and Debt Recovery
- Estate Litigation
- Financial, Mortgage and Title Fraud
- Injunctive Remedies
- Mortgage Enforcement
- Mortgage Remedies
- Priority Disputes
- Real Estate and Land Development Litigation
- Risk Management
- Secured and Unsecured Transactions

Industries

- Banking
- Education
- Healthcare
- Insurance
- Land Development
- Transportation/Logistics

- Religious Institutions

Education

LL.B., University of Buckingham, United Kingdom (2011)

Called to the Ontario Bar, 2014

Memberships

- Director of Professional Development, South Asian Bar Association (SABA) of Toronto
- Member, Toronto Lawyers' Association
- Member, The Advocates' Society
- Member, Peel Law Association
- Member, Burlington Chamber of Commerce
- Member, Oakville Chamber of Commerce
- Past Vice President, South Asian Bar Association (SABA) of Toronto
- Past Secretary, South Asian Bar Association (SABA) of Toronto (2025-2026 and 2021-2022)
- Past Council Member – Central West Region, Ontario Bar Association
- Past Committee Member, Young Advocates' Standing Committee (YASC), The Advocates' Society
- Past National Representative and Member, International Association of Young Lawyers (AIJA)

Publications

- Five Pallett Valo Lawyers Elected to Serve in Various Legal Associations September 2025
- Hope Isn't a Strategy: Why Insolvent Companies Must Think Beyond One Creditor May 2025
- Pallett Valo's Monty Dhaliwal Elected as Secretary of SABA Toronto February 2025
- Pallett Valo Llp Is a Listed Representative in Three Cases January 2025
- A New Test for Leave to Appeal From the Divisional Court December 2024
- Pallett Valo Welcomes Six Partners January 2024
- Pallett Valo's New Remedies Group Helps Lenders Make Optimal Decisions and Maximize Recoveries February 2018
- Pallett Valo's Monty Dhaliwal Elected as Vice President of SABA Toronto August 2022
- Seven Pallett Valo Lawyers Will Serve the Ontario Bar Association in Various Roles for 2022/2023 July 2022
- South Asian Bar Association of Toronto Elects New President, Executive August 2021
- SABA Spotlight Series – Monty Dhaliwal May 2021
- 7 Things to Know About Vendor Contracts April 2019
- Monty Dhaliwal Joins Pallett Valo LLP June 2017

Other Languages

- Punjabi
- Hindi

Other Publications and Presentations

- Quoted (pg 28), Findings: South Asian Women Are Overlooked And Underemployed, Pink Attitude – March 2022
- Panel speaker, Getting the Most Out of Your Mentor and Sharing Insights, Women in Law Summit – February 2022

"Monty has proven himself in difficult situations. He can be counted on when the team is facing tremendous odds."

- Travis Alders, Lead Systems Safety & Reliability Engineer, L3Harris Technologies

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