

Jacksonville Attorney Elected Chair of the Florida Construction Industry Licensing Board

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Jacksonville attorney and Jimerson & Cobb shareholder Christopher Cobb has been elected Chairman of Florida's Construction Industry Licensing Board (CILB).

The CILB is the division of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation that is in charge of licensing and regulating the construction industry. The board's responsibilities include considering applications for licensure, reviewing disciplinary cases and conducting informal hearings relating to both.

"I am incredibly honored to be selected for this position," said Cobb, who served this year as Vice-Chair of the CILB. "As a Florida native, I consider it a blessing to be able to apply my education, skill and experience towards serving the people of this great state."



Cobb is Board Certified in construction law by the Florida Bar and has an extensive background in that practice area. He has litigated a variety of large construction lien, defects and business disputes, and has been named to the Florida Super Lawyers list in construction law for the last eight consecutive years. He has also received an AV Preeminent® rating from Martindale-Hubbell, signifying that his peers rank him at the highest level of professional skill and ethical standards.

Cobb resides in St. Augustine and is a graduate of Florida Coastal School of Law and the University of North Florida. He was appointed to the CILB in 2012 by Governor Rick Scott and will lead the organization beginning in 2017.

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