



Division of State Counsel
Litigation Bureau – Commercial Litigation Section
Assistant Attorney General - New York City
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The New York State Office of the Attorney General (OAG) is seeking an experienced litigator to serve as an Assistant Attorney General in the Commercial Litigation Section of the [Litigation Bureau](#) in the New York City office.

The Litigation Bureau represents the State of New York and its agencies and officers in state and federal courts in legal actions and proceedings relating to civil rights, education, social services, public employment, public health, law enforcement, corrections, state finance, insurance, taxation, and other litigated matters arising out of state operations and legislation.

Attorneys assigned to the Commercial Litigation Section primarily represent the Department of Taxation and Finance, the Department of Financial Services, the Department of State, the Department of Motor Vehicles, and the New York State Insurance Fund, in state and federal courts in legal actions involving taxation, finance, insurance law, employment discrimination, state regulation, and administrative law. Cases frequently present questions of constitutional law and statutory and regulatory interpretation, and have significant financial and policy implications for the State. Attorneys handle all phases of litigation through trial and have frequent opportunities to appear in court.

The ideal candidate has at least five (5) years of federal and/or state court civil litigation and commercial law experience; however, a minimum of two (2) years litigation experience (including clerkships, if any) is required. Superior writing, analytic and organizational skills are also required.

Applicants must reside in (or intend to soon become a resident of) New York State and be admitted to practice law in New York State. In addition, the Public Officers Law requires that attorneys in the OAG be citizens of the United States. A two (2) year commitment upon being hired is a condition of employment.

Candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to apply.

The OAG is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to workplace diversity.

HOW TO APPLY

Applications are being received online. To apply, please click on this link: [LIT_AAG/CLS/G_NYC_3131](#); applicants will be taken to the online application page for this position.

Applicants must be prepared to submit a complete application consisting of the following:

- [Cover Letter](#) (You may address to Sandra Jefferson Grannum, Esq., Bureau Chief, Legal Recruitment)
- [Resume](#)
- List of three (3) [references](#) with contact information and email addresses
- [Writing Sample](#)

Please note: Failure to submit a complete application will delay the consideration of your application.

If you have questions about a position with the OAG and the application process or you need assistance with submitting your application, please contact the Legal Recruitment Bureau via email at recruitment@ag.ny.gov or phone at 212-416-8080.

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