



NEW ENGLAND DISPUTE RESOLUTION  
NEUTRAL PROFILE

**Hon. Thomas J. May**

**TERRITORY:**

All of Massachusetts

**PRACTICE AREAS:**

Primary: Criminal Litigation, homicides, civil

Secondary:

(Additional information available upon request.)

**ADR TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE:**

Judge May has more than forty years experience as an attorney and judge with a variety of experience in civil, probate and criminal jury trials. He Served as a selectman of the Town of Brookline. Judge May served in the U.S. Marine Corps as an infantry officer for three years and was honorably discharged with the rank of Captain. After a brief period of employment in a Boston commercial law firm he returned to Boston College Law School to serve as an assistant to his father Dean Robert F. Drinan for several years.

**EMPLOYMENT:**

Brookline Police Office

Norfolk Superior Court- District Attorney Assistant

Mee & May Law Offices

Faculty, LTI/University of Lowell

1965-1970

**EDUCATION:**

U.S. Marine Corps

Boston College

Boston College Law School, 1966

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Hon. Thomas J. May recently retired from the bench after serving thirteen years as a District Court Judge, the last six years as the Presiding Justice of the Brookline District Court. His first case as a defense counsel was with the famed F. Bailey & J. Albert Johnson as co counsel in the infamous Patricia Heart trial. Judge May also appeared as co-appellate counsel for the New Hampshire High School Teacher, Pamela Smart.

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