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Shawn J. Alves is an associate in the Phoenix, Arizona law firm of Milligan Lawless, P.C. and practices in commercial litigation and health care law. Shawn previously gained significant trial experience while serving as an attorney in the Air Force Judge Advocate Generals Corps (JAG).

Shawn received his commission as an Air Force officer in 2016 and finished his Air Force career as Senior Prosecutor. As a Senior Prosecutor, Shawn was responsible for prosecuting complex and high visibility crimes. Shawn gained substantial experience working with expert witnesses and specialized in trying cases with complex digital forensic evidence.

Shawn also served as a Special Assistant United States Attorney where he led prosecution of Federal civil misdemeanor and criminal misconduct brought by the U.S. Attorney's Office in Western Texas. Prior to joining the Air Force, Shawn practiced commercial litigation, focusing on creditor/lender rights litigation, commercial real estate disputes, and construction defect litigation.

**PRACTICE AREAS**

- Commercial Litigation
- Securities Litigation
- Health Care Fraud and Abuse

**EDUCATION**

- Vanderbilt University Law School – J.D., 2014
- University of Florida – B.A., 2010

**BAR AND COURT ADMISSIONS**

- Arizona, 2022
- United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces, 2016
- Florida 2014

**PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION**

- Air Force Commendation Medal
- Joint Service Achievement Medal

**PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP**

- State Bar of Arizona
- State Bar of Florida