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Mr. Burton joined the BOMA staff in 2001 and leads a team of staff advocacy professionals responsible for BOMA's legislative, regulatory, and building codes & standards issue advocacy at the national level. BOMA's Advocacy Group is also responsible for BOMA's State and Local Advocacy Program designed to assist BOMA members and affiliates with their efforts in these arenas. Mr. Burton is also responsible for BOMA's Research efforts including publishing the annual *Experience Exchange Report* containing income and expense data for operating office buildings, as well as other research projects to benefit BOMA members.

Prior to joining the BOMA staff, he served as Senior Staff Vice President for Construction, Codes & Standards at the National Association of Home Builders. He has extensive experience in association management with an emphasis on issue advocacy, federal legislative and regulatory programs, state and local support, development of codes and standards, and research support for advocacy efforts.

Mr. Burton's broad experience in construction and real estate includes positions with Marvin Window and Door Company as an architectural/technical specialist in the Texas and Mid-Atlantic regions. He was also President of a custom home building firm in Austin, Texas specializing in large custom homes and multifamily projects with an emphasis on innovative and energy efficient construction.