

Arnold Abramson was born in June of 1944 in Vancouver BC to Josh and Bernice Abramson. He was educated in Vancouver and graduated from UBC with a Bachelor of Commerce in 1967 and a Bachelor of Laws in 1968.

Before joining the Legal Services Department of BC Hydro, Arny was a partner at Davis and Company, a large Vancouver law firm with offices throughout Canada and in Japan. Prior to Davis and Company, he spent some time with other legal firms in the Vancouver area, with MacMillan Bloedel Limited as in-house counsel, and with the independent Boards of Review under the Workers Compensation Act.

Community involvement includes being, for many years, a director and officer of Vancouver B'Nai Brith Hillel Foundation and serving as a board member of the Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver. He currently also serves as a director and officer of the Hillel Endowment Foundation. Lastly, Arny is a Past President (and founding member) of Macabee Lodge of B'Nai Brith.

Still remaining a member of the Law Society of BC, Arny has 40 years experience practicing law in the corporate commercial area. He has been a participant in various continuing legal education conferences and conferences of the Canadian Pension and Benefits Institute over many years on pension related issues, such as trustee duties and responsibilities and various other pension matters.

Carole Wine and Arny were married 40 years ago and have lived in Richmond BC for most of that time. They have three grown children residing in Vancouver.

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