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Leading Legals: New York's Most Powerful Real Estate Attorneys

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Attorneys are behind the scenes of any real estate transaction. They counsel their clients on land use, zoning and a labyrinth of abstruse regulations. Commercial Observer felt that all of these attorneys could have found their way onto our Power 100 list, but we've chosen to showcase them here, since they, too, deserve to be acknowledged for their contributions to New York's real estate ecosystem.



■ JEFFREY LENOBEL SCHULTE ROTH & ZABEL

Jeffrey Lenobel is a partner at Schulte Roth & Zabel, where he serves as chair of the Real Estate Group. Recently, the firm's real estate group advised Albertsons LLC and an investor group led by Cerberus Capital Management in the \$9.2 billion acquisition of Safeway. The firm also advised on the construction of the expansion of the main gallery at MoMA's main campus, counseled the Related Companies and Oxford Properties Group in developing Hudson Yards and he has represented an investment firm in the acquisition of several Rite Aid-leased properties. "The very active commercial real estate market is creating great opportunities for owners, lenders and investors," said Mr. Lenobel.

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