Arthur McAfee

After receiving his Bachelors of Arts degree in Political Science from Morehouse College in 1983 and his Juris Doctor Degree from Howard University School of Law in 1987, Arthur McAfee began his career in sports law and sports administration in 1987 as a NCAA Enforcement Representative. Between 1987 and 1993, his duties at the NCAA included representing the NCAA before the NCAA Committee on Infractions against universities and institutions for violations of NCAA legislation. Cases in which he was involved that led to sanctions include: University of Missouri Men's Basketball, Auburn University Football, University of Texas Pan-American Men's Basketball, and University of New Mexico Men's Track and Field.

Between October 1993 and August 1995, he served as a Player Representative for International Management Group (IMG) Football Division. As a player representative at IMG, he was responsible for developing new clients and negotiating contracts for NFL Players.

Also, he served as outside counsel to universities and institutions involved in infractions of NCAA legislation, including the University of Miami (Florida) Football, Basketball, Men's Tennis, and Women's Golf programs; Alabama State University Men's Basketball, Women's Basketball, Track and Field, and Women's Volleyball programs; Albany State University's Athletic Department; and Howard University Men's Basketball and Baseball programs.

Currently, he is Staff Counsel at the National Football League Players Association. In this capacity, he is responsible for representing NFL Players in labor arbitration and disciplinary hearings against the National Football League and National Football League Clubs. He is also responsible for advising player agents on individual contract negotiations and provisions of the NFL/NFLPA Collective Bargaining Agreement and involved in administering of the NFLPA Regulations Governing Contract Advisors, including its certification program and enforcement of its disciplinary procedures.

In addition, he has been a guest lecturer on the topics of professional and amateur sports, sports law and labor at several universities including the American University School of Law, Howard University School of Law, Georgetown University School of Law, Florida State University, and Tulane University School of Law.

He is a member of the State Bar of Georgia, the National Bar Association, Sports Lawyers Association, and the American bar Association's Entertainment and Sports Industries. Arthur and his wife Anita have a daughter Dylan.