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Mr. Seonggi Jang is an Advisor at Shin & Kim, mainly practicing in the areas of Defense Industry & National Defense and Corporate Investigation & White Collar Crime.

Mr. Jang began his service as a non-commissioned officer to the Army in 1992 and accumulated extensive experience in military law and investigation during his approximately 33-year service in the military. During his service in the Army, he served as a military prosecutor investigator, handling core military legal tasks such as military law case investigation, state litigation and state compensation, disciplinary cases, and victim support. Subsequently, while serving as the head of the investigation team in the defense acquisition investigation division and the anti-corruption investigation division at the Prosecutors Office Ministry of National Defense, he participated in investigations of nationally significant cases, including corruption cases related to defense acquisition and public security cases. He also gained experience in joint civilian-military investigations through a secondment to the Joint Investigation Unit for Defense Acquisition at the Seoul Central District Prosecutors' Office. Furthermore, he gained expertise across the entire defense industry by conducting investigations and collecting criminal intelligence related to strategic materials, defense materials, and military supplies for the Defense Acquisition Program Administration and the Army, Navy, and Air Force Logistics Command's Combat Support Systems Project Teams.

Currently, leveraging his solid practice in military investigations and defense procurement, he handles military and defense-related disputes and investigative responses, issues concerning defense procurement and strategic materials, and provides risk management and advisory services to public institutions and corporations.

Professional Career

2026-Present	Shin & Kim LLC
2025	Completed Korean Weapons System Safety Management Course
2020-2025	Investigation Team Leader, Division 1 (Anti-Corruption Investigation Division), General Prosecution Department, Prosecutors Office Ministry of National Defense

2016-2020	Investigation Team Leader, Division 2 (Defense Procurement Investigation Division), General Prosecution Department, Prosecutors Office Ministry of National Defense
2015-2016	Prosecutor, Joint Investigation Unit for Defense Procurement, Seoul Central District Prosecutors' Office
2014	Prosecutor, Special Investigations Division, General Prosecution Department, Prosecutors Office Ministry of National Defense
2008-2014	Prosecutor Investigator, Army 3rd Military Command
2004-2008	Prosecutor Investigator, Army 52nd Division
1997-2004	Prosecutor Investigator, Army 32nd Division
1992-1997	Prosecutor Clerk, Army 5th Corps, 55th Division, etc.

Key Experience

1. Military Criminal Investigations and Military Justice

- Investigated a corruption case involving promotions to general officer ranks in the Republic of Korea Army
- Investigated a case involving the supply of pharmaceutical products
- Investigated a shooting incident at a General Outpost (GOP) and the death of Private Yoon
- Investigated cases involving the disclosure of military secrets related to the Ministry of National Defense and defense procurement projects
- Investigated a case involving an environmental remediation project undertaken by the Task Force for Relocation of Military Bases of U.S. Armed Forces in Korea
- Investigated a case involving the supply of equipment for the Republic of Korea Army's Warrior Platform
- Investigated a case involving the supply of goods to the Gyeryong Service Support Group of the Ministry of National Defense
- Investigated offenses against superior officers, crimes involving assault, threats, and bodily injury, and crimes involving military property
- Investigated duty-related offenses committed by military personnel and civilian military employees

2. Defense Procurement Investigations and Joint Civilian-Military Investigations

- Investigated a case involving the Submarine Program Team of the Defense Acquisition Program Administration (DAPA)
- Investigated a case involving the supply of aircraft starters to DAPA
- Investigated a case involving the supply of loudspeakers for broadcasts toward North Korea
- Investigated major cases of national significance, including corruption in defense procurement and national

security-related offenses

- Investigated a case handled by a special military investigation team established by the Ministry of National Defense to investigate alleged real estate speculation
- Investigated a case handled by a joint investigation team on defense procurement corruption at the Seoul Central District Prosecutors' Office
- Conducted other joint civilian-military investigations and investigations involving strategic items, defense articles, and government-procured goods
- Planned and executed search and seizure operations targeting government agencies involved in defense procurement and defense contractors

3. Military Administration

- Handled litigation matters involving the Republic of Korea Army while serving as an officer responsible for government litigation
- Handled state compensation matters while serving as an officer responsible for compensation proceedings before an Army Regional Compensation Deliberation Committee
- Handled disciplinary matters involving sexual misconduct and duty-related misconduct while serving as an officer responsible for disciplinary proceedings before military disciplinary committees
- Handled matters relating to the expungement of disciplinary records, pardons, and monetary surcharges

Education

1997-1999	Korea National Open University, Department of Law (LL.B.)

Qualifications

2023	PDA Certified Private Detective, Korea
2016	Licensed Administrative Agent, Korea

Languages

Korean, English

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