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Kaye has served as Assistant Superintendent and General Counsel at the Aldine Independent School District since April 2013 after being Special Counsel in the Houston office of the law firm, Littler Mendelson. Her clients included public school systems, higher education institutions and charter schools.

She began her legal career in 1984 as Assistant University Counsel at Howard University. Upon returning to Houston in 1986, she became a Trial Attorney for the Houston District Office of the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. She later became an Assistant District Attorney for Harris County for 5 years until 1992 when she was appointed Assistant School Attorney for the Houston Independent School District. Soon after, Ms. DeWalt was promoted to the position of General Counsel supervising four attorneys and a support staff of five including 2 paralegals and 3 secretaries. After 12 years with Houston ISD, she continued her legal career in private practice in the area of Labor and Employment Law with a specialty in Education Law and Training from 2004 to 2013. She has over 30 years of experience in the legal arena, and is a frequent speaker and presenter on numerous topics in Education and Employment Law.

Kaye received her Bachelor’s of Science degree *cum laude* from Texas Southern University in 1980 and her Juris Doctor from Howard University School of Law in Washington, DC in 1984. She is licensed to practice law in the state and federal courts in Texas and Pennsylvania.