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SIX DICKIE, McCAMEY & CHILCOTE LAWYERS HONORED AS "2012 PENNSYLVANIA RISING STARS"

Six attorneys at the Pittsburgh-based law firm of Dickie, McCamey & Chilcote, P.C. have been named Pennsylvania Rising Stars for 2012 by *Philadelphia* magazine and *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers – Rising Stars 2012* magazine.

To be eligible for this distinction, a lawyer must be 40 years of age or younger or have practiced law for no more than ten years. Only two-and-one-half percent of Pennsylvania attorneys are honored as "Rising Stars." Lawyers are selected through a nomination process conducted by Thomson Reuters, the organization which publishes *Pennsylvania Super Lawyers* magazine.

"These lawyers have proven themselves to be the future of our profession," said Jeffrey T. Wiley, managing director and chief operating officer for Dickie McCamey. "We are extremely fortunate to have such talented attorneys who will help shape our firm's future and ensure that our clients continue to benefit from our skill and expertise."

Those lawyers named as Rising Stars for 2012 are:

Shannan Noé Cerrone is an associate in the Pittsburgh office and concentrates her practice in the area of civil litigation, with an emphasis on toxic tort matters and school and municipal liability litigation. Ms. Cerrone has also engaged in the defense of clients in product liability, insurance, and employment law cases. Prior to joining the firm, Ms. Cerrone served as a law clerk for the Pennsylvania State Attorney General's Office. In 2002, she graduated *summa cum laude* from the University of Pittsburgh with a bachelor of science in psychology and business. She received her law degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law in 2005, where she was a member of the Pittsburgh Journal of Technology Law and Policy.

This is the third consecutive year Ms. Cerrone has been selected as a "Pennsylvania Rising Star."

Michael S. Faber is a shareholder in the Pittsburgh office and is a member of the firm's Workers' Compensation group. He concentrates his practice in representing employers and their insurance carriers in workers' compensation cases and has litigated hundreds of workers' compensation claims at the trial and appellate levels. He was also named in the 2010 and 2011 editions of *The Best Lawyers in America*® in his specialty field of workers' compensation defense. Mr. Faber graduated from Pennsylvania State University in 1997 with a bachelor of science degree in psychology. He joined Dickie McCamey after receiving his law degree from the Duquesne University School of Law in 2000.

This is the fifth consecutive year Mr. Faber has been recognized as a "Pennsylvania Rising Star."

Justin M. Gottwald is an associate in the firm's Pittsburgh office and is a member of its Health Law Business, Product Liability, Commercial Law and Litigation, and Medical Malpractice Defense Groups. He concentrates his practice in the areas of health care law, with a particular emphasis in medical malpractice defense. In addition to his litigation practice, Mr. Gottwald regularly counsels physicians and hospitals with issues of regulatory compliance and hospital policies and procedures. In this role, Mr. Gottwald works closely with the client to assist in developing protocols and procedures to improve patient outcomes. He graduated from Drexel University with a bachelor of science in history and politics. He received his law degree from The Dickinson School of Law of The Pennsylvania State University

Douglas M. Grimsley is an associate in the Pittsburgh office and serves as co-chair of the firm's Government Contracting and Compliance Practice Group. Mr. Grimsley concentrates his practice in the areas of government contracting and compliance, commercial law, and product liability law. Mr. Grimsley serves on the firm's Pro Bono Committee. He initiated and presently coordinates the firm's Child Custody Guardian ad Litem Project. Through this pro bono project, attorneys of the firm represent the interest of children in complex and high risk custody cases pending in Allegheny County. In 2011, Mr. Grimsley was named as the inaugural recipient of the David B. Fawcett Pro Bono Award in recognition of his service to the community through pro bono work. Mr. Grimsley graduated *cum laude* from Old Dominion University with a bachelor of science in political science. He received his law degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law, where he graduated *magna cum laude* and Order of the Coif. While in law school, Mr. Grimsley served as managing editor of *Law Review*.

This is the third consecutive year Mr. Grimsley has been selected as a "Pennsylvania Rising Star."

Eric S. Lamprey is an associate in the firm's Harrisburg office. His practice focuses on all aspects of workers' compensation law. He represents employers and their insurance carriers and has litigated numerous claims at the trial and appellate levels. Prior to joining the firm, Mr. Lamprey served as the legal coordinator for Holy Spirit Health System in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania. He is a member of the Pennsylvania Bar Association and is admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. After receiving his bachelor of science in Criminal Justice from Pennsylvania State University in 1997, Mr. Lamprey graduated in 2006 with his law degree from the Widener University School of Law where he was a recipient of the 2006 Legal Research and Writing Award.

This is Mr. Lamprey's third consecutive year as a Pennsylvania "Rising Star."

Brant T. Miller is a shareholder in the Pittsburgh office, where he concentrates his practice in the areas of insurance defense and trucking litigation, with a particular emphasis in real estate litigation, title insurance litigation, commercial and residential real estate transactions, and landlord and tenant law. Mr. Miller is the Chair of the firm's Real Estate Group. Additionally, Mr. Miller is a licensed title agent and operates the firm's three title companies. He is a frequent lecturer on issues such as defending title insurance claims, title insurance claims handling, realtor professional liability, catastrophic loss for trucking claims, and bad faith. In 1995, Mr. Miller graduated *cum laude* from Washington & Jefferson College with a bachelor of arts in economics. He received his law degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law in 1998.

This is the fifth time Mr. Miller has been selected as a "Pennsylvania Rising Star." He also maintains an AV® Preeminent™ Peer Review Rating from Martindale-Hubbell.

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