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**THIRTY-FOUR TUCKER ELLIS ATTORNEYS NAMED  
*BEST LAWYERS IN AMERICA*® FOR 2014**

Cleveland, Ohio, August 19, 2013 – **Tucker Ellis LLP** is proud to announce that 34 of the firm’s attorneys have been selected by their peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America*® for 2014 (Copyright 2013 by Woodward/White, Inc. of Aiken, SC). The number of Tucker Ellis attorneys honored represents a 30% increase over last year’s recognition. Five Tucker Ellis honorees are new to the list for 2014.

The attorneys and the practice areas in which they are recognized are:

- **Henry E. Billingsley II** – Admiralty & Maritime Law
- **Jonathan R. Cooper** – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants
- **Harry D. Cornett, Jr.** – Criminal Defense: White-Collar; Legal Malpractice Law – Defendants; Litigation – Intellectual Property
- **Richard A. Dean** – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants
- **Gary L. Dinner** – Trusts and Estates
- **Stephen C. Ellis** – Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- **Robert J. Hanna** – Commercial Litigation
- **Michael F. Harris** – Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- **Jeffrey A. Healy** – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants
- **Christopher J. Hewitt** – Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- **Curtiss L. Isler** – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- **Irene C. Keyse-Walker** – Appellate Practice; Bet-the-Company Litigation; Commercial Litigation
- **Eugene M. Killeen** – Public Finance Law
- **Joseph P. Koncelik** – Environmental Law
- **John Q. Lewis** – Commercial Litigation
- **Rita A. Maimbourg** – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants; Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants
- **John F. McCaffrey** – Commercial Litigation; Criminal Defense: Non-White-Collar; Criminal Defense: White Collar
- **Mark F. McCarthy** – Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- **Erica McGregor** – Trusts and Estates
- **Joseph J. Morford** – Mass Tort Litigation/Class Actions – Defendants

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- **Matthew P. Moriarty** – Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants; Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants; Professional Malpractice Law – Defendants
- **Glenn E. Morrical** – Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law
- **Brian M. O’Neill** – Banking and Finance Law; Corporate Law; Mergers and Acquisitions Law; Real Estate Law
- **Thomas W. Ostrowski** – Banking and Finance Law
- **Anthony R. Petruzzi** – Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- **Susan L. Racey** – Litigation – Trusts and Estates; Trusts and Estates
- **Thomas Simmons** – Employment Law – Management
- **Hugh M. Stanley** – Bet-the-Company Litigation; Commercial Litigation; Litigation – Banking and Finance
- **Edward E. Taber** – Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants
- **Robert C. Tucker** – Bet-the-Company Litigation; Commercial Litigation; Medical Malpractice Law – Defendants; Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants
- **S. Peter Voudouris** – Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants; Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- **Jeffry L. Weiler** – Tax Law; Trusts and Estates
- **Kevin M. Young** – Commercial Litigation; Litigation – Construction
- **Michael C. Zellers** – Product Liability Litigation – Defendants

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“We’re always pleased to be recognized for the exceptional work we do here at Tucker Ellis,” said Managing Partner Joe Morford. “Since our ultimate goal is provide a different and better legal experience for our clients, we’re especially proud that our peers have honored us on the Best Lawyers list.”

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