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## Kilpatrick Townsend Earns Top-Tier Recognition in *U.S. News – Best Lawyers*® 2020 “Best Law Firms” Rankings

### *Selected “Law Firm of the Year” for Native American Law*

**ATLANTA (November 5) – Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton** once again earned recognition in *U.S. News - Best Lawyers*® 2020 “Best Law Firms” rankings. Kilpatrick Townsend was selected for a total of 85 Tier 1 national and metropolitan practice rankings. The firm garnered 16 national Tier 1 rankings and 69 metropolitan Tier 1 rankings.

Additionally, Kilpatrick Townsend was selected as the “Law Firm of the Year” for [Native American Law](#). Only one “Law Firm of the Year” is selected in each of the 74 practice areas examined by the publication. This is the second consecutive year that Kilpatrick Townsend has garnered the “Law Firm of the Year” recognition. Last year, the firm was named “Law Firm of the Year” for Litigation – Intellectual Property.

The firm’s national Tier 1 rankings include:

- Advertising Law
- Biotechnology Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Construction Law
- Corporate Law
- Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Franchise Law
- Insurance Law
- Litigation - Banking & Finance
- Litigation - Construction
- Litigation - ERISA
- Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Native American Law
- Patent Law
- Technology Law
- Trademark Law

Kilpatrick Townsend also ranked nationally in the areas:

- Antitrust Law
- Appellate Practice
- Banking and Finance Law
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Copyright Law
- Employment Law - Management
- Environmental Law
- Health Care Law
- Information Technology Law
- Labor Law - Management
- Litigation - Antitrust
- Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Litigation - Environmental
- Litigation - Labor & Employment
- Litigation - Patent
- Litigation - Tax
- Mergers & Acquisitions Law
- Real Estate Law
- Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Securities Regulation
- Securitization and Structured Finance Law
- Tax Law

Additionally, the firm received prestigious recognition for its practices in the following metropolitan areas:

### **Atlanta**

*Tier 1 rankings for the Atlanta office include:*

- Advertising Law
- Appellate Practice
- Arbitration
- Banking and Finance Law
- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Biotechnology Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Construction Law
- Copyright Law
- Corporate Law
- Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Employment Law - Management
- Environmental Law
- Franchise Law
- Insurance Law
- Labor Law - Management
- Litigation - Banking & Finance

- Litigation - Bankruptcy
- Litigation - Construction
- Litigation - Environmental
- Litigation - ERISA
- Litigation - Insurance
- Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Litigation - Labor & Employment
- Litigation - Patent
- Mergers & Acquisitions Law
- Patent Law
- Privacy and Data Security Law
- Real Estate Law
- Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Securities Regulation
- Securitization and Structured Finance Law
- Tax Law
- Technology Law
- Trademark Law

*The Atlanta office also achieved high rankings for:*

- Antitrust Law
- Bet-the-Company Litigation
- Corporate Governance Law
- Criminal Defense: White-Collar
- First Amendment Law
- Information Technology Law
- Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law
- Litigation - Antitrust
- Litigation - First Amendment
- Litigation - Securities
- Litigation - Tax
- Mediation

## **Augusta**

The Augusta office achieved Tier 1 rankings for Commercial Litigation and Medical Malpractice Law - Defendants. The office also achieved a high ranking for Health Care Law.

## **Charlotte**

The Charlotte office achieved a Tier 1 ranking for Real Estate Law.

*The Charlotte office also received high rankings for:*

- Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
- Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Litigation - Real Estate

## **Dallas**

The Dallas office achieved Tier 1 rankings for Commercial Litigation and Technology Law. The office also achieved high rankings for Corporate Law and Information Technology Law.

## **Denver**

*The Denver office achieved Tier 1 rankings for:*

- Litigation – Intellectual Property
- Litigation – Patent
- Patent Law

## **Houston**

The Houston office achieved a Tier 1 ranking for Construction Law and high rankings for Commercial Litigation and Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants.

## **Los Angeles**

The Los Angeles office achieved a Tier 1 ranking for Insurance Law and a high ranking for Litigation – Insurance.

## **New York City**

The New York office achieved a Tier 1 ranking for Litigation – Intellectual Property and high rankings for Advertising Law and Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions – Defendants.

## **Raleigh**

*Tier 1 rankings for the Raleigh office include:*

- Commercial Litigation
- Environmental Law
- Labor Law - Management
- Litigation - Environmental
- Litigation - Labor & Employment
- Real Estate Law

*The Raleigh office also achieved high rankings for:*

- Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law
- Employment Law – Management
- Energy Law
- Health Care Law
- Litigation – Securities

## **San Diego**

The San Diego office achieved high rankings for Commercial Litigation, Litigation – Intellectual Property, and Litigation – Labor & Employment.

## **San Francisco Area**

The San Francisco office achieved a Tier 1 ranking for Litigation – Intellectual Property.

*The San Francisco Area also achieved high rankings for:*

- Biotechnology Law
- Commercial Litigation
- Litigation - Intellectual Property.
- Patent Law
- Trademark Law

## **Seattle**

The Seattle office achieved a Tier 1 ranking for Native American Law. The office also achieved a high ranking for Patent Law.

## **Triad (Greensboro/Winston-Salem)**

*Tier 1 rankings for the Winston-Salem office include:*

- Commercial Litigation
- Commercial Transactions / UCC Law
- Corporate Law
- Environmental Law
- Insurance Law
- Litigation - Insurance
- Litigation - Intellectual Property
- Litigation - Patent
- Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
- Mergers & Acquisitions Law
- Patent Law
- Securities / Capital Markets Law
- Trademark Law

*The Winston-Salem office also achieved high rankings for:*

- Antitrust Law
- Appellate Practice
- Banking and Finance Law
- Construction Law
- Eminent Domain and Condemnation Law
- Litigation – Banking & Finance
- Litigation – Construction
- Litigation – Environmental
- Litigation – First Amendment
- Personal Injury Litigation – Defendants
- Product Liability Litigation – Defendants
- Real Estate Law

## **Washington, DC**

The Washington D.C. office achieved Tier 1 rankings for Employee Benefits (ERISA) Law and Native American Law.

*The Washington D.C. office also achieved high rankings for:*

- Antitrust Law
- Arbitration
- Construction Law
- Financial Services Regulation Law
- Franchise Law
- Insurance Law
- Litigation – Antitrust
- Litigation – Construction
- Litigation – ERISA

## **About Best Law Firms**

The *U.S. News – Best Lawyers*® “Best Law Firms” rankings are based on a rigorous evaluation process that includes the collection of client and lawyer evaluations, peer review from leading attorneys in their field, and review of additional information provided by law firms as part of the formal submission process. To be eligible for a ranking, a law firm must have at least one lawyer listed in 27th Edition of *The Best Lawyers in America*® list for that particular location and specialty. Achieving a high ranking is a special distinction that signals a unique combination of excellence and breadth of experience.

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