Congratulations To The 23 Porzio Attorneys Recognized In Best Lawyers In America, 2020

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Porzio is pleased to announce that 23 Porzio attorneys, in 20 practice areas, were recently selected by their peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America, 2020* edition.

In addition, two attorneys were selected for *Newark Area Lawyer of the Year*: James H. Coleman, Jr. for Arbitration and John S. Mairo for Litigation/Bankruptcy.

Principals

Diane Fleming Averell - Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
Steven P. Benenson - Commercial Litigation I Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants
Roy Alan Cohen - Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants I Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Todd A. Denys - Trademark Law
Vito A. Gagliardi, Jr. - Education Law I Litigation - Labor and Employment
William J. Hughes, Jr. - Criminal Defense: White-Collar
William A. Krais - Medical Malpractice Law - Plaintiffs I Personal Injury Litigation - Plaintiffs
John S. Mairo - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law I Litigation - Bankruptcy
Warren J. Martin, Jr. - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law I Litigation - Bankruptcy
Brett S. Moore - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Eric L. Probst - Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants I Product Liability Litigation - Defendants
Michael L. Rich - Commercial Litigation I Litigation - Real Estate I Litigation - Labor and Employment
Robert M. Schechter - Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law
Thomas Spiesman - Environmental Law
Charles J. Stoia - Commercial Litigation

Counsel / Of Counsel

Sal M. Anderton - Government Relations Practice
Timothy L. Barnes - Medical Malpractice Law - Plaintiffs I Personal Injury Litigation - Plaintiffs
Michelle Molinaro Burke - Mass Tort Litigation / Class Actions - Defendants I Personal Injury Litigation - Defendants
James H. Coleman, Jr. - Appellate Practice; Arbitration; Mediation

Charles E. Falk - Tax Law; Trusts and Estates
Martin A. Newmark - Land Use and Zoning Law
Robert G. Shepherd - Litigation - Intellectual Property I Trademark Law
Alvin Weiss - Arbitration; Mediation

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