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**Best Lawyers Ranks MDM&C's Insurance and Construction Practices First in State**

*Names Eleven Attorneys to 2010 List of Leading Lawyers*

**MORRISTOWN, NJ – July 29, 2009** – McElroy, Deutsch, Mulvaney & Carpenter, LLP (MDM&C) today announced that eleven of their attorneys have been named to the 2010 edition of Best Lawyers®, the oldest and most respected peer-review publication in the legal profession. Ten of their attorneys are located in their New Jersey offices, and one in their Philadelphia office.

First published in 1983, Best Lawyers is based on an exhaustive annual peer-review survey. For the new U.S. edition, more than 24,126 leading attorneys cast more than 2.8 million votes on the legal abilities of other lawyers in the same and related specialties. Of the eleven selected from MDM&C, two attorneys have been included for twenty years and two have been included for ten years: *John T. Coyne* – Insurance Law; *Francis X. Dee* (20 years) – Labor and Employment Law; *Edward B. Deutsch* – Commercial Litigation; *Barry D. Kleban* – Bankruptcy and Creditor-Debtor Rights Law; *Francis X. O'Brien* – Trusts and Estates; *John J. Peirano* (10 years) – Labor and Employment Law; *Loren L. Pierce* – Insurance Law; *Laurence Reich* (10 years); *Ronald J. Riccio* – Appellate Law; *J. Michael Riordan* – Insurance Law and Labor and Employment Law; and *Donald A. Romano* (20 years) – Labor and Employment Law.

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