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## Husch Blackwell Attorneys Named Best of the Bar by *Kansas City Business Journal*

Husch Blackwell is proud to announce that eight attorneys in the Kansas City office were named Best of the Bar by the *Kansas City Business Journal*.

Selected by their peers as the best attorneys in the Kansas City area, the 2010 Best of the Bar were recognized in the *Business Journal* September 24. This year's selection required more discernment than last year, as 30 percent more votes came in, resulting in a prestigious list of honorees.

The following Husch Blackwell attorneys made the list:

Christine DeMarea: Estate Planning, Trusts and Estates, Tax-Exempt Organizations

Lara Dickey: Intellectual Property, Patent Law, Life Sciences

Kimberly Gibbens: Healthcare

James Griffin: Litigation

Benjamin Mann: Bankruptcy, Commercial Litigation

John Phillips: Labor and Employment, Mediation/Arbitration

Amber Van Hauen: General Business Litigation, Labor Law, Products Liability

Ryan Watson: Products Liability, Complex Insurance Coverage Issues,

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