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Four Vandeventer Black Attorneys Receive Prestigious Peer Rating

Norfolk, VA. (March 31, 2015) – Vandeventer Black LLP has received notification from Martindale-Hubbell that four attorneys have received an “AV” Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review Rating™. Martindale-Hubbell is recognized as the legal profession’s most prestigious rating service.

Attorneys Arlene Klinedinst (Labor & Employment), Neil Lowenstein (Appellate Practice, Commercial Litigation), Trey Kelleter (General Litigation, Government Investigations), and Kimberley Timms (Appellate Practice, Insurance Coverage Defense) received an “AV” rating from their peers. In order to be given a Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review Rating™, attorneys must have very high professional ethics and preeminent legal ability. Only those lawyers with the highest ethical standards and professional ability receive a Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review Rating.

“This recognition is fast becoming the standard for which attorneys are measured, and we are honored to add to our growing list of AV-rated attorneys,” said Michael L. Sterling, Managing Partner. “To be identified by their peers as being among the best in the legal profession demonstrates our high standards and the quality of client services we offer.”

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