

PRESS RELEASE

41 ROBINSON, BRADSHAW & HINSON LAWYERS NAMED SUPER LAWYERS

CHARLOTTE, NC (January 18, 2006) –

Robinson, Bradshaw & Hinson, P.A. is pleased to announce that 41 lawyers were selected as North Carolina Super Lawyers. Four shareholders, Everett J. Bowman, Peter C. Buck, Mark W. Merritt and John R. Wester were recognized as “Top 100 North Carolina Super Lawyers.” Julie Zydron Griggs and Christy Eve Reid were recognized as “Top 25 Female North Carolina Super Lawyers.” In addition, Russell M. Robinson, II, one of the firm’s founding partners, was named as one of the “Top 10 Super Lawyers” in the state.

The complete list of RBH attorneys includes:

Antitrust Litigation – Everett J. Bowman

Arts & Entertainment – Stokely G. Caldwell, Jr.

Bankruptcy – Garland S. Cassada; David M. Schilli

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Business Litigation - Louis A. Bledsoe, III; Robert W. Fuller; Robert E. Harrington; Thomas P. Holderness; Douglas M. Jarrell; A. Ward McKeithen; Mark W. Merritt; Lawrence C. Moore, III; D. Blaine Sanders; Richard A. Vinroot, John R. Wester and David C. Wright, III

Construction/Surety – Edward F. Hennessey, IV

Employment Litigation – Charles E. Johnson; Julian H. Wright, Jr.

Environmental/Land Use – William W. Toole

Estate Planning/Trusts – Julie Zydron Griggs; Graham D. Holding; Susan I. McCrory; Christy Eve Reid

Intellectual Property – Robert M. Bryan

International – John R. Miller

Mergers & Acquisitions – Robert G. Griffin

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Securities & Corporate Finance – Stephen M. Lynch

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