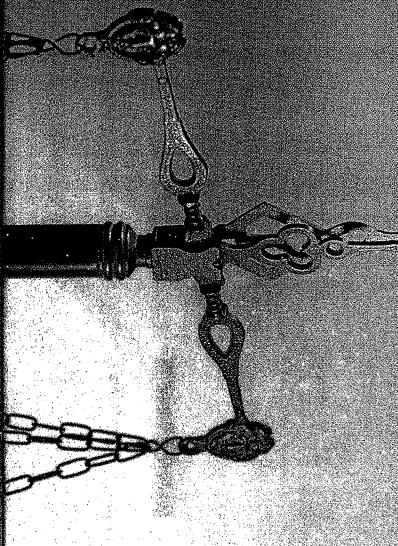
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copyrights and trade secrets. Clients include Johnson & Johnson, Microsoft and Dupont.

Sources Say: "The attorneys are good communicators and excellent businesspeople; everything is done to the highest standard."

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Caesar, Rivise, Bernstein,

Cohen & Pokotilow Ltd

THE FIRM: This Philadelphia based firm specializes in IP, computer and IT law. It handles all aspects of IP and has a particularly good reputation for representing generic drug manufacturers in patent litigation. The firm has 26 attorneys in total.

Sources Say: "This firm has a high level of expertise and a high level of civility. It has a great reputation."

Dechert LLP

THE FIRM: This firm handles all aspects of intellectual property law. The Philadelphia team is perhaps best known for IP litigation. Its stellar client list includes Apple, The Bank of New York Mellon and Pfizer.

Sources Say: "It is responsive and focused on real-world solutions."

Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has experience in the full range of IP issues and strength across a number of industries, including life sciences, mechanics, electronics and the computer industry. The cross-disciplinary IP litigation team has been particularly active this year. Clients include Amazon.com, Avantext and Yale University.

Panitch Schwarze Belisario & Nadel LLP

THE FIRM: This firm was founded in 2008 by a group of lawyers from Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld. It has 20 lawyers and advisers specializing in IP law and handles the full range of contentious and noncontentious issues

Reed Smith LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has IP teams across the USA, UK, Germany and France. The Pennsylvania IP team is divided between The firm's Philadelphia and Pittsburgh offices. The Pennsylvania team has experience in all areas of IP law, including litigation, prosecution, counseling and transactions.

Band 4

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has greatly strengthened its Pennsylvania IP group with the addition of three partners from Woodcock Washburn. It is now among the state's strongest patent litigation teams for life sciences clients.

Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC

THE FIRM: This firm's Pennsylvania IP team is based in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. The group was significantly strengthened in 2008 with the arrival of Roberta Jacobs- Meadway and Jay Meadway from Ballard Spahr. It handles the full range of IP issues for clients in a range of sectors, including retail, biotech, technology transfer and specialty food products.

Sources Say: "In terms of expertise, this firm has the whole deck of cards – it provides excellent representation."

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THE FIRM: This firm has six offices across Philadelphia, New Jersey and Delaware. The firm started life as a tax boutique but has now extended into other areas. It has had particular success in IP, where it has grown a client base of corporate, institutional and individual entities, including Primepoint, Deb Shops and the University of Pennsylvánia.

Sources Say: "This firm has talented lawyers with 'bigfirm training' who work on a cost-effective basis,"

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Woodcock Washburn LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has almost 90 lawyers spread across its Philadelphia, Atlanta and Seattle offices, all of whom focus exclusively on IP law. Though it lost three partners to Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld recently, the quality of Woodcock Washburn's attorneys and the sophistication of its work means it remains Pennsylvania's preeminent IP firm. The majority of The firm's work concerns patent law, but it also has expertise in trademarks,

relating to patents, trademarks and copyrights.

Sources Say: "The attorneys are client focused, thorough and experienced."

Band 3

Ballard Spahr LLP

THE FIRM: This group handles the full range of IP issues. The team has expertise in life sciences, pharmaceuticals, biotech and e-commerce matters.

Duane Morris LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has strength in contentious and noncontentious IP law. IP litigators in the Philadelphia office have seen an uptick in patent litigation and have recently represented a number of generic drug manufacturers. The firm has patent attorneys with expertise in biosciences, materials, chemicals, polymers, electronics and telecoms.

Pepper Hamilton LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has a renowned litigation group, which has dealt with a high volume of IP cases in recent times. It successfully defended Sensormatic Electronics against a \$35 million patent infringement claim brought by Checkpoint Systems, and secured settlements totaling \$3 million for members of the Business Software Alliance. The firm also has strength in noncontentious IP work, including prosecution, counseling and transactions.

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THE FIRM: This firm has two Pennsylvania offices, in Allentown and Valley Forge. It specializes exclusively in IP law and has a wide range of inclustry expertise, including electronics, biotech and manufacturing. The firm serves a range of clients, including startups, international corporations and institutions.

Volpe & Koenig PC

THE FIRM: This Philadelphia IP boutique handles the full range of contentious and noncontentious IP issues. It provides portfolio and management counseling to Inter-Digital Communications, a telecoms company. The firm's clients also include Olympus, AstenJohnson and AMD.

Sources Say: "The attorneys have excellent communication skills and always work to a high standard."

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LABOR & EMPLOYMENT

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Morgan, Lewis & Bocklus LLP

THE FIRM: The firm has 46 dedicated labor and employment lawyers across its Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Harrisburg offices. It handles layoffs and restructuring, non-compete litigation, and ERISA disputes, and has a benefits and compensation practice.

Band 2

Ballard Spahr LLP

THE FIRM: This large Philadelphia labor and employmen group advises on layoffs and restructuring and handles a steady stream of labor and employment litigation. The team also has a benefits and compensation group.

Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC

THE FIRM: This firm has three offices in Pennsylvania: Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Harrisburg. Though perhaps best known for its labor practice, The firm also handles complex employment litigation and counseling. Additionally, it has the capacity to handle immigration, ERISA and OSHA matters. The firm has a strong healthcare practice and recently represented the largest health system in Pennsylvania and one of the largest Catholic health systems in a number of wage and hour collective and class actions. The firm has also handled litigation arising from layoffs, including defending a Fortune 100 company against a collective action claiming that the company's downsizing process had involved age discrimination. Sources Say: "The firm's attorneys are of the highest caliber: they're community-minded and knowledgeable."

Reed Smith LLP

THE FIRM: This firm has labor and employment groups in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. It has recently handled a high volume of layoffs and restructurings, and seen an uptick in general labor and employment litigation. The firm represents a number of financial institutions, and the benefits and compensation group has been busy dealing with the new restrictions on bonuses at financial institutions that have accessed TARP money.

Sources Say: "This is a formidable practice with strong Pennsylvania lawyers and offices all over the world."