

Flaster Greenberg PC

THE FIRM This midsize firm has offices across Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware and handles contentious and noncontentious work in fields of expertise which include pharmaceuticals and chemical engineering. Clients include American Standard Brands, which the team advises on patent application and prosecution.

Sources say: "We treat the firm as a partner. It is a valued, trusted adviser."

KEY INDIVIDUALS <u>Jordan LaVine</u> is regarded by peers as a *"real solid trademark attorney"* with *"great instincts,"* who blends advice on unfair competition, worldwide portfolio management and litigation into his practice. One source commented: *"I can send stuff to him and know it's taken care of."* LaVine advises Ancestry.com Operations on its Internet IP disputes regarding misuse of its trademarks. <u>Lynda Calderone's</u> background in chemical engineering is much appreciated by clients, who seek her advice on patent prosecution, litigation and transactional issues. *"She's brilliant – she can articulate the nuances of the patent area and she really understands the process of innovation and issues of bringing a product to market."* <u>Abbe Fletman</u> is a commercial litigator focusing particularly on trademark and copyright disputes. Clients note her *"outstanding legal judgment – she developed a rapport with the judge and did a great job of defending our case."*