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Davis Graham & Stubbs tops “Best Lawyer” list in Colorado

DGS first in energy, natural resources, environmental and corporate law; commercial litigation

DENVER – Oct. 9, 2008 – Davis Graham & Stubbs LLP, with 31 attorneys practicing in 30 fields, ranks first in Colorado in the 2009 edition of Best Lawyers in America for the practice areas of corporate and securities law and commercial litigation as well as energy, environmental, natural resources and oil and gas law.

The number of DGS lawyers recognized in the definitive guide to legal excellence increased by two, and includes nearly half of the firm’s partners. Targeted for in-house counsel, the book’s 15th edition is to be published in December.

The DGS attorneys included in “Best Lawyers” for 2009 are:

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| Stephen M. Brainerd | Trusts and Estates |
| Charles L. Casteel | Commercial Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation, Product Liability Litigation |
| James E. Culhane | Real Estate Law |
| Gregory R. Danielson | Natural Resources Law, Oil & Gas Law |
| William J. Duffy | Environmental Law |
| Roger L. Freeman | Environmental Law |
| Michael J. Gallagher | Commercial Litigation |
| Catherine Hance | Real Estate Law |
| Dale R. Harris | Antitrust Law, Commercial Litigation |
| Richard P. Holme | Appellate Law, First Amendment Law |
| Marcia Chadwick Holt | Employee Benefits Law, Trusts and Estates |
| Randall E. Hubbard | Mining Law, Natural Resources Law |
| John R. Jacus | Environmental Law |
| Thomas P. Johnson | Commercial Litigation, Insurance Law |
| Charles L. Kaiser | Energy Law, Environmental Law, Mining Law, Native American Law, Natural Resources Law |
| Glen E. Keller Jr. | Bankruptcy and Creditor-Debtor Rights Law |
| Robert W. Lawrence | Environmental Law, Mass Tort Litigation, Natural Resources Law |
| Ronald Levine II | Corporate Governance and Compliance Law, Corporate Law, Leveraged Buyouts and Private Equity Law, Mergers & Acquisitions Law, Securities Law |
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| Zach C. Miller | Environmental Law, Water Law |
| Laurence E. Nemirow | Tax Law |
| Jennings J. Newcom | Corporate Governance and Compliance Law |
| Patricia Peterson | Corporate Law, Securities Law |
| Peter H. Schwartz | Corporate Governance and Compliance Law, Corporate Law, Mutual Funds Law, Securities Law |
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