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STEVEN PEGALIS named 2019 Long Island "Lawyer of the Year" by U.S. News - Best Lawyers® for Plaintiffs Medical Malpractice Law

Firm named TIER ONE Long Island Firm (Plaintiffs Personal Injury Litigation and Medical Malpractice Law) by U.S. News - Best Lawyers® "Best Law Firms"

New Hyde Park, November 8, 2018... It is with pride that we announce <u>Steven E. Pegalis, Esq.</u> was recognized as "Lawyer of the Year" by <u>Best Lawyers®</u> for 2019, for Long Island Medical Malpractice Law - Plaintiffs. Only one lawyer is recognized by Best Lawyers as the "Lawyer of the Year" in a given specialty and location. The "Lawyer of the Year" distinction reflects the high level of respect a lawyer has earned among other leading lawyers in the region and practice areas for their abilities, professionalism, and integrity. Mr. Pegalis was previously named the "Lawyer of the Year" for Plaintiffs' Personal Injury Litigation in 2017. Additionally, we announce that <u>Pegalis & Erickson, LLC</u> has just been recognized for the eighth consecutive year, as a "Tier 1" Long Island law firm for Medical Malpractice Law - Plaintiffs and Personal Injury Litigation - Plaintiffs, by U.S. News "Best Law Firms."

**Steven Pegalis, Esq.** is the founding partner of Pegalis & Erickson, LLC, and is one of the nation's foremost medical malpractice trial lawyers for patients. In more than 45 years of practice as an advocate for seriously injured victims of negligence, he has obtained some of the highest jury verdicts in New York. Earlier this year, Pegalis was selected for his 13th time on the highly regarded list, <u>Best Lawyers in America©</u> for 2019. Also in 2016, Pegalis was honored on the State level with a Lifetime Achievement Award by the New York State Trial Lawyers Association. He currently serves as the leader of Pegalis & Erickson, LLC and as an adjunct professor at New York Law School. He is an advocate of the American Board of Trial Advocacy, a member of the American Association for Justice, and the National Board of Trial Advocacy. He earned his undergraduate degree from Queens College of the City of New York, and both a Juris Doctor and Bachelor of Law degree from New York Law School, where he is also a Trustee.

Firms included in the "Best Law Firms" list as is Pegalis and Erickson, LLC are recognized for professional excellence with persistently impressive ratings from clients and peers, and breadth of legal expertise. There are no fees associated with receiving a ranking. Receiving the **TIER ONE** designation reflects the high level of respect a firm has earned in their industry in the same communities and practice areas.

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