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**Robinson & Cole Attorney Linda L. Morkan Named as
One of the Top 250 Women Litigators in the United States**

HARTFORD, CT (July 26, 2012) – Appellate attorney [Linda L. Morkan](#) has been named to *Benchmark Litigation's* inaugural edition of *Top 250 Women in Litigation*. This peer review guide, published by Euromoney's Legal Media Group, honors women litigators from all 50 states and the District of Columbia for their achievements in the field. Attorney Morkan was one of only three women selected from the state of Connecticut.

Attorney Morkan has maintained a litigation practice dedicated to appellate advocacy for almost 25 years. Since joining Robinson & Cole, Ms. Morkan has been involved in more than 175 appeals before the Connecticut Supreme and Appellate Courts; the Rhode Island Supreme Court; the Supreme Judicial and Appeals Courts of Massachusetts; the New York Court of Appeals; the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First, Second, Fifth, Sixth, and D.C. Circuits; and the U.S. Supreme Court.

Attorney Morkan is also a Fellow of the American Academy of Appellate Lawyers, an honor open only to those who have practiced as an appellate advocate for at least 15 years and possess a reputation of recognized distinction. Academy membership is limited to 500 members in the United States and is by invitation only. Attorney Morkan received her J.D., with honors, from the University of Connecticut School of Law.

Benchmark Litigation's rankings and editorials are the result of extensive interviews with private practice lawyers and in-house counsel. Supplementary firm information is also submitted in the form of a questionnaire. The guide's "local litigation stars" reflect lawyers recommended by peers and clients as having consistent reputations as trial attorneys. *Benchmark Litigation's* independent research is conducted annually between February and June. A description of its methodology can be found at www.benchmarklitigation.com.

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