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**HESLIN ROTHENBERG FARLEY & MESITI P.C.
ANNOUNCES THAT THE AMERICAN INN OF COURT HAS BEEN AWARDED
DESIGNATION OF A PLATINUM INN OF EXCELLENCE**



Albany, NY: Heslin Rothenberg Farley & Mesiti P.C., is pleased to announce that the American Inn of Court has been awarded the prestigious designation of a Platinum Inn of Excellence by the National American Inns of Court in Washington, D.C.

Shareholder Susan Farley, as Secretary-Chair of the Intellectual Property & Innovation American Inn of Court, and United States District Court Judge Mae D'Agostino will be attending the award ceremony at the United States Supreme Court in November, 2016 to accept this award on behalf of the Inn.

The Intellectual Property & Innovation American Inn of Court consists of Judges, attorneys and law students from the Upstate New York area of Rochester, Syracuse and Albany, who specialize in intellectual property law and practice.

The American Inns of Court is an association of lawyers, judges, and other legal professionals from all levels and backgrounds who share a passion for professional excellence. Through regular meetings, members are able to build and strengthen professional relationships; discuss fundamental concerns about professionalism and pressing legal issues of the day; share

experiences and advice; exhort the utmost passion and dedication for the law; provide mentoring opportunities; and advance the highest levels of integrity, ethics, and civility. Inns have gained a national and international reputation as an organization that bridges the gap between formal law school education and legal practice by offering career-long continuing education.

About Heslin Rothenberg Farley & Mesiti P.C.: Heslin Rothenberg Farley & Mesiti P.C. has been protecting their client's intellectual property since 1970. With offices in Albany and Rochester, it is the largest intellectual property law firm in upstate New York dedicated exclusively to representing clients in the protection and commercialization of intellectual property, both domestic and foreign, including patents, trademarks, copyrights and trade secrets. The firm has gained national recognition in the area of Intellectual Property Law and was listed among the "Top Patent Firms" and "Top Trademark Firms" in *Intellectual Property Law Today*. In September of 2016 seven of the firm's attorneys including Ms. Farley were named as Upstate New York's "Super Lawyers" by the publishers of Thomson Reuters, in the area of intellectual property law and litigation, with Ms. Farley being ranked in the top 25 women lawyers in Upstate New York across all disciplines in 2011, and is rated AV Preeminent® by the Martindale-Hubbell Peer Review service.

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