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Lile & Hayes, PLLC ranked among Best Law Firms for litigation, trusts and estates

NAPLES, Fla. (Nov. 16, 2016) – The Naples-based law firm of Lile & Hayes, PLLC, and its predecessor, Laird A. Lile, P.A., received first-tier rankings for litigation, trusts and estates for the seventh consecutive year from U.S. News-Best Lawyers, a peer-review legal publication.

The first-tier ranking was determined through the firm’s overall evaluation, derived from a combination of client feedback, surveys and Best Lawyers peer review.

Now serving his sixth term as an elected member of the Board of Governors for The Florida Bar, Lile serves on the Supreme Court’s Judicial Management Council and its Florida Courts Technology Commission. He also is the immediate past chair of the Second District Court of Appeal Nominating Commission.

Lile is past chair of The Florida Bar’s 10,800-member Real Property, Probate & Trust Law Section. An elected member of the Board of Regents, past state chair and a Fellow in the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel, Lile was inducted into Florida Trend’s Legal Elite Hall of Fame in 2010. He recently was named a Top 100 Florida Super Lawyer for the sixth consecutive year.

Hayes is a member of the Executive Council for the RPPTL Section and also serves as vice chair of the Probate Law and Procedure Committee. He is the co-chair of The Florida Bar Probate Rules Committee. A past chair of the Trusts & Estates section of the Collier County Bar Association, Hayes serves on the board of directors of the CCBA. He was named by Florida Trend as a Top Up & Comer and selected as a Top 40 Under 40 Trusts and Estates Attorneys in Florida by the American Society of Legal Advocates. A graduate of the University of Florida Levin College of Law, Hayes previously served as a principal in the Naples office of Cummings & Lockwood.

Lile & Hayes offers legal counsel on estate- and trust-related matters, including estate planning, estate and trust administration, probate-related litigation and tax matters. The firm’s office is located at 3033 Riviera Drive, Suite 104, in Naples. For more information, call 239-649-7778 or visit www.Lile-Hayes.com.

The 2016-2017 Best Law Firms ranking will be featured in this month’s issue of U.S. News and World Report’s Money issue; the national and metropolitan first-tier rankings also will be featured in the “Best Law Firm” stand-alone publication.

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