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Philadelphia Bar Association Elects Michael T. van der Veen to the Board of Governors

Philadelphia, PA. December 19, 2017- The law office of Michael T van der Veen is honored to announce that its Founder, Michael T. van der Veen has been elected to the Philadelphia Bar Association Board of Governors.

Mr. van der Veen has invested the last two decades representing clients in the areas of personal injury, criminal defense and commercial litigation. He is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University and achieved his Juris Doctor (J.D.) from Quinnipiac University School of Law. Mr. van der Veen continued his study of law, first at the National Criminal Defense College and then at Temple University Beasley School of Law, earning a Masters of Law with highest honors. His personal philosophy that we must give time and intellect to the overall health of our profession and community is the foundation of his firm. Also, he sees the Philadelphia Bar Association as the pulse and conscious of the legal community and the most impactful professional organization on the issues of law and society.

The Philadelphia Bar Association, founded in 1802, is the oldest and one of the most prestigious associations of lawyers in the United States. For over 200 years, members of the Philadelphia Bar Association have served as pioneers and stewards of our community and system of law. Members have included some of the nation's most prominent lawyers, judges, and community leaders. Historically, they have guided us through serious and challenging issues. Today, we are entrusted to provide equal diligence to issues facing our community including diversity inclusion, pro-bono service, and judicial evaluation. Mr. van der Veen looks forward to participating in the collective effort of the Board of Governors to navigate these issues and strengthen the membership of the Association.

Michael T. van der Veen is endorsed for this role by the Philadelphia Trial Lawyers' Association, Barrister's Association, Louis D. Brandeis Law Society, Brehon Law Society, National Bar Association – Women's Law Division, Diversity in the Profession Committee, Hispanic Bar Association, Asian Pacific American Bar Association, South Asian Bar Association, Justinian Society, and the Philadelphia Association of Defense Council (PADC) .

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