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Family Law Group Chair Richard C. Klein Rated Philadelphia/South Jersey Top Rated Lawyers, AV Preeminent by Martindale- Hubbell

Cherry Hill, N.J., December 19, 2011 – Becker Meisel Family Law Group Chair Richard C. Klein has been selected as one of the Philadelphia/South Jersey Top Rated Lawyers, AV Preeminent by *Martindale-Hubbell*. The Martindale-Hubbell® PEER REVIEW RATINGS™ are an objective indicator of a lawyer's high ethical standards and professional ability, generated from evaluations of lawyers by other members of the bar and the judiciary in the United States and Canada. LexisNexis facilitates secure online Martindale-Hubbell® PEER REVIEW RATINGS™ surveys of lawyers across multiple jurisdictions and geographic locations, in similar areas of practice as the lawyer being rated. Reviewers are asked to assess their colleagues' general ethical standards and legal ability in a specific area of practice.

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