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### **Becker Meisel Achieves *U.S. News – Best Lawyers* “Best Law Firms” Metropolitan First-Tier Firm Rankings**

*Firm Founders Included in 2014 “Best Lawyers in America”<sup>®</sup>*

**Livingston, N.J., November 1, 2013** – Becker Meisel LLC has received Metropolitan First-Tier Ranking in *U.S. News – Best Lawyers “2014 Best Law Firms,”* a highly anticipated annual analysis, in the areas of Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law and Corporate Law. In addition, firm founders, [Ben H. Becker](#) and [Stacey L. Meisel](#) were selected by their peers for inclusion in *The Best Lawyers in America*<sup>®</sup> 2014, Mr. Becker in the fields Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights / Insolvency and Reorganization Law, Commercial Litigation and Corporate Law, and Ms. Meisel in the area of Bankruptcy and Creditor Debtor Rights/Insolvency and Reorganization Law (Copyright 2013 by Woodward/White, Inc., of Aiken, S.C.).

Becker Meisel is widely recognized for the excellence of its bankruptcy, insolvency and creditors’ rights and corporate law practices. The team provides comprehensive legal advice concerning all aspects of debtor-creditor relations, including, but not limited to: asset purchase; bankruptcy litigation; Chapter 11 reorganizations; representation of creditors’ committees and creditors; representation of trustees and receivers; and workouts.

“*Best Lawyers* is the oldest, and in many circles, the most respected peer-review publication in the legal profession,” said Managing Partner Martin Borosko. “U.S. News Media Group has earned a reputation as the leading provider of service news and information that improves the quality of life of its readers. We are extremely proud of the Bankruptcy, Insolvency and Creditors’ Rights team for achieving this honor, and we are excited to be a part of the U.S. News – Best Lawyers inaugural publication.”

Members of the bankruptcy, insolvency and creditors’ rights department are often asked by peers, industry groups and the media to speak and write on developments affecting these areas of law.

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#### **About Becker Meisel**

Becker Meisel is a premier mid-market firm serving the New York, New Jersey and Philadelphia corridor. In addition to providing the complete spectrum of legal services needed by our corporate clients – from litigation, sophisticated transactional, labor and employment and bankruptcy law counseling, to intellectual property, real estate and construction law-related advice – the firm also provides the full scope of family law representation,

estate planning and administration services to individuals and families. Our size and regional footprint allow us to provide sophisticated services in a manner not only focused on results, but also on our client's return on their legal investment. For more information, call 973-422-1100, or visit [www.beckermeisel.com](http://www.beckermeisel.com).

### **About *U.S. News - Best Lawyers* "Best Law Firms"**

These inaugural rankings, which are presented in tiers both nationally and by metropolitan area or by state, showcase 8,782 different law firms ranked in one or more of 81 major practice areas. Full data is available online for the law firms that received rankings, from the largest firms in the country to hundreds of one-person and two-person law firms, providing a comprehensive view of the U.S. legal profession that is unprecedented both in the range of firms represented and in the range of qualitative and quantitative data used to develop the rankings.

The mission of Best Law Firms from the start has been to help guide referring lawyers and clients – from the country's largest companies needing corporate legal advice to individuals needing to get a divorce or write a will – issues that have a bet-the-company implication (in the case of a corporation) or a potentially life-changing result (in the case of an individual).

These reputational survey responses were combined with more than 3.1 million evaluations of individual lawyers in these firms in the most recent Best Lawyers survey of leading lawyers. Hard numbers were also used to develop the practice area rankings — data about numbers of lawyers and their previous experience, numbers of clients within different billing ranges, numbers of transactions and litigation matters at different dollar levels; pro-bono commitment, diversity, and other objective data.

Achieving a high ranking is a special distinction that signals a unique combination of excellence and breadth of expertise.