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# Press Release

## **Six Beck, Redden & Secrest, L.L.P. Attorneys Named "Texas Super Lawyers"**

### Texas Monthly's Annual Poll Honors Firm

**Houston, Texas, October 9, 2006:** Beck, Redden & Secrest, L.L.P., a Houston-based litigation boutique specializing in complex and commercial tort litigation, announced today that six of its attorneys have been named "Texas Super Lawyers" by Texas Monthly magazine in its October issue. Only five percent of all Texas lawyers are so honored.

Each year, the magazine sends ballots to the approximately 55,000 active lawyers in Texas who have been in practice five years or more. Lawyers are asked to nominate the best attorneys they have personally observed in action. The nominees are grouped into more than 60 practice areas and candidates are then divided according to firm size and geographic location. Top candidates from each group are selected as Super Lawyers.

In addition to being recognized in their respective practice areas, name partners David J. Beck and Joe Redden, Jr. were also named to the Top 100 Houston Region list for receiving the highest point totals in the Super Lawyers balloting. Mr. Beck was also named to the top ten Super Lawyers in Texas as well as being the recipient of the most points of any lawyer in the State of Texas.

Congratulations to the following Beck, Redden & Secrest, L.L.P. 2006 Super Lawyers:

David J. Beck (Business Litigation)

Joe W. Redden, Jr. (Business Litigation)

W. Curt Webb (Civil Litigation Defense)

Eric J.R. Nichols (General Litigation)

Alistair B. Dawson (Business Litigation)

David M. Gunn (Appellate)

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Beck, Redden & Secrest, L.L.P. was established in January 1992 by David Beck, Joe Redden, and Ron Secrest. The Firm has grown from the three initial partners to eleven, and now comprises over 30 lawyers with extraordinary collective experience trying cases and arguing appeals involving, among others, the energy, communications, investment, banking, insurance, drug and health care, chemical, and high technology industries. The firm also handles a wide range of disputes, including oil and gas, product liability, antitrust, securities, environmental, insurance coverage, legal and accounting malpractice, and patent and other intellectual property cases, as well as multi-party and multi-district litigation. More information can be found on the Firm's web site at [www.brsfirm.com](http://www.brsfirm.com).