



TO HELP YOU FIND SOME OF THE BEST ATTORNEYS IN MONMOUTH COUNTY, across more than 28 specialties, *Monmouth Health & Life* contracted DataJoe Research of Boulder, Colorado to facilitate an online peer-vote process and create a Top Monmouth County Lawyer list. Attorneys throughout the county were asked to select peers whom they deem are the best within their practice area and whom they would seek out for particular legal needs.

DataJoe checked and confirmed that each published top vote getter had, at the time of review, a current, active license status with the State of New Jersey regulatory board. If they were not able to find evidence of a lawyer's current, active registration, he or she was excluded from the list. In addition, any lawyer who has been disciplined for an infraction by the State of New Jersey regulatory board was excluded from the list. Finally, DataJoe presented the tallied result to *Monmouth Health & Life* for its final review.

We recognize that there are many good attorneys who are not shown in this representative list. This is only a sampling of the huge array of talented professionals within Monmouth County.

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MARKS & KLEIN founding partners and top lawyers, Gerald A. Marks and Justin M. Klein, have built an unparalleled team, recognized as one of America's leading law firms in franchise law. The full-service law firm provides support in corporate matters, lease reviews and contract negotiations, in addition to dispute resolution services, providing conscientious, thorough and effective legal counseling for all clients on every matter. On the cutting edge of the legal world, the firm remains proud and true to its Monmouth County roots.

The firm's attorneys have experience in a broad range of specialized business law services with a strong emphasis representing clients in the franchise industry including both franchisees and franchisors at the local, national and international level. With unwavering professionalism and client care, the firm has merited a stellar reputation for its advisory services to both franchisors and franchisees in transactional matters, litigation, mergers and acquisition, growth strategies and with operational adeptness. Noted for successfully handling some of the most prominent matters in this niche market, Marks & Klein counsels clients in every aspect of the franchise relationship whether they are seeking to buy a franchise, develop a network of franchise locations or the expansion of an existing business through franchising.

