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## 307 Lawyers Recognized in 9th Edition of The Best Lawyers in Puerto Rico®

AUGUSTA, Ga., 26 August 2021 — Best Lawyers®, the oldest and most respected guide to the legal profession, is pleased to announce the release of the 9<sup>th</sup> edition of *The Best Lawyers in Puerto Rico*®.

The 2022 edition of *The Best Lawyers in Puerto Rico*® recognizes the professional excellence of 307 lawyers in 42 practice areas, including 25 "Lawyer of the Year" awards. "Lawyer of the Year" honors are awarded to only one lawyer per practice area in each region with extremely high overall feedback from their peers, making it an exceptional distinguishment.

"We are pleased to continue presenting the most reliable, unbiased legal awards for the top legal professionals in Puerto Rico through our esteemed and unique peer review process," says Best Lawyers CEO Phil Greer.

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In addition to historic individual lawyer recognitions and "Lawyer of the Year" awards, seven firms received a "Law Firm of the Year" award in ten practice areas. "Law Firm of the Year" awards recognize a single top firm for its work in a specific legal practice area nationwide. Awards are determined based on a handful of factors including lawyer feedback, the number of lawyers included in Best Lawyers for that firm and practice area, the number of office locations a firm has, historical analysis of the firm's "Lawyer of the Year" awards, materials submitted by firms and the firm's overall scope and areas of expertise.

For research purposes, smaller and more rural cities located within a reasonable distance to larger cities are combined into single geographical regions called "metro areas" to help collect as much feedback and data as possible. Puerto Rico, as defined by Best Lawyers, is composed of two metro areas with San Juan having the largest number of listed lawyers.

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