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## **NEWS**

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Dawes Cooke Listed as Number One Attorney in South Carolina for third Year in a Row Nine Barnwell Whaley Attorneys Chosen for 2016 South Carolina Super Lawyers List

CHARLESTON, SC – Barnwell Whaley member attorney M. Dawes Cooke, Jr., has been selected as the number one attorney in South Carolina for the third year in a row by South Carolina Super Lawyers. In total, nine Barnwell Whaley attorneys have been named to the 2016 South Carolina Super Lawyers list, each for their work in the Charleston, South Carolina area.

In addition to his accolade as the number one attorney in the state, Dawes Cooke is listed as a *Top Rated Business Litigation Attorney*. Registered patent attorney Billy Killough returns to the *South Carolina Super Lawyers* list this year as a *Top Rated Intellectual Property Attorney*, along with member attorney Randell C. Stoney, Jr., who is recognized as a *Top Rated Civil Litigation Attorney* and member attorney David Cox as a *Top Rated Personal Injury-Products Attorney*.

Named as 2016 South Carolina Super Lawyers Rising Stars are Barnwell Whaley attorneys Bradley Banias, who is listed as a Top Rated Immigration Attorney; Jeffrey Bogdan listed as a Top Rated Business Litigation Attorney; Jeremy Bowers, listed as a Top Rated Professional Liability Attorney; Summers Clarke, listed as a Top Rated Civil Litigation Attorney and Barbara Wagner, listed as a Top Rated Personal Injury-Products Attorney.

## **Barnwell Whaley Super Lawyers**



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Bill Killough



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