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McKAY FIRM ATTORNEY ONE IN 11 SELECTED FOR 2012 SC BAR LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

COLUMBIA, S.C. – McKay, Cauthen, Settana, & Stublely, P.A. is pleased to announce that Erin Farrell Farthing, an associate in the firm, has been selected by the South Carolina Bar Association as one of the 11 attorneys that will take part in the 2012 South Carolina Bar Association Leadership Academy.

Mrs. Farthing is a graduate of the University of South Carolina School of Law and practices in the areas of trucking and transportation law, general insurance defense, governmental defense, and civil rights and section 1983 defense. She is a member of the Childrens' Law Committee and the Young Lawyers Division of the South Carolina Bar Association.

Daniel R. Settana, Jr., McKay Firm Partner and litigation attorney stated, "*Erin stands out among her peers as a professional with a genuine passion for the practice of law. As an important member of our litigation team, we are excited that she has been given this opportunity to grow as a leader in the community and in the legal profession.*"

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