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## MCKAY FIRM PARTNER APPOINTED TO KEY PLANNING COMMITTEE FOR STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION ASSOCIATION

**COLUMBIA, SC** – <u>McKay, Cauthen, Settana, & Stubley, P.A</u>. (The McKay Firm), is pleased to announce that <u>Mark D. Cauthen</u>, a partner in the firm and member of the McKay Firm's Workers' Compensation Team, has been selected to serve on the 2012 Annual Educational Conference Committee for the South Carolina Workers' Compensation Educational Association.

As a 20 year veteran in the field of workers' compensation defense, Mr. Cauthen also practices in the areas of workers' compensation appeals, subrogation, construction law and civil litigation. He serves on the Board of Directors for <u>Kid's Chance of South Carolina</u>.

Committee members will work together to plan the Association's Annual Educational Conference (known as "Comp Camp") which will be held in October of this year. The conference is heavily attended by key players in both the workers' compensation and insurance industries. For more information about the South Carolina Workers' Compensation Educational Association, visit their website.

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## STATE CHAMBER SELECTS MCKAY FIRM WORKERS' COMPENSATION ATTORNEY FOR COMMITTEE POSITION

**COLUMBIA, S.C.** – McKay, Cauthen, Settana, & Stubley, P.A. attorney, <u>James E. L. "Eddie" Fickling</u>, has been selected to serve on the Safety, Health and Security Committee for the South Carolina Chamber of Commerce. He practices in the areas of <u>workers' compensation defense</u>, civil litigation, subrogation, and workers' compensation appeals.

Mr. Fickling, a graduate of The Citadel and the University of South Carolina School of Law, is a member of the the South Carolina Bar as well as the Citadel Alumni Foundation. He served as a law clerk for <u>Labor</u>, <u>Commerce</u>, and <u>Industry Committee of the South Carolina House of Representatives</u> as well as for The McKay Firm. Prior to law school, Eddie interned for the Honorable John M. Spratt, Jr. As a Citadel cadet, he was a member of The Citadel football team from 2004 – 2006.

The Safety, Health and Security Committee reviews legislation and regulations and offers input on topics like OSHA, workers' compensation, ergonomics, industrial hygiene, worksite security, risk assessments and crisis management.

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