

## Patrick W. McKee named to *Super Lawyers*



MINNEAPOLIS - Feb. 16, 2010: [Patrick W. McKee](#) has been named by *Georgia Super Lawyers* magazine as one of the top attorneys in the state for 2010. Each year, no more than 5 percent of the lawyers in the state receive this honor.

The selections for this esteemed list are made by the research team at *Super Lawyers*, which is a service of the Thomson Reuters, Legal division based in Eagan, Minn. Each year, the research team at *Super Lawyers* undertakes a rigorous multi-phase selection process that includes a statewide survey of lawyers, independent evaluation of candidates by the attorney-led research staff, a peer review of candidates by practice area and a good-standing and disciplinary check.

"Factors considered by the *Super Lawyers* research editors include the number of cases handled by an attorney and representative clients," says Barb Lammers McGivern, VP and General Manager, Super Lawyers. "Patrick McKee received high marks during this [research evaluation](#)."

McKee has practiced law for more than 30 years and devotes a significant portion of his practice to the representation of educators and educational institutions, including the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools-which he has represented as General Counsel for 20 years. He also represents business entities in commercial litigation and employment matters as well as individuals in estate planning.

He has served as Assistant Counsel to the University System of Georgia as well as Senior Assistant Attorney General of Georgia, representing the University System of Georgia and the State Board of Education.

Additionally, Mr. McKee is Founder and Past Chairman of the School and College Law Section of the State Bar of Georgia. He is also active in the community, having served as counsel to the Flint River Council of the Boy Scouts of America, the Newnan-Coweta Historical Society and the Central Baptist Church of Newnan.

Patrick McKee can serve as a resource for reporters on issues of higher education law and accreditation.

The law firm of McKee & Mitchell is based in Newnan, Ga.

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