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Kilpatrick Townsend Receives High Rankings in 2017 IAM Patent 1000

ATLANTA (June 8) – [Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton](#) announced today that 16 Kilpatrick Townsend Attorneys were named to the *2017 IAM Patent 1000 - The World's Leading Patent Practitioners*. The firm earned outstanding recognition in five states including: California, Colorado, Georgia, North Carolina, and Washington.

Kilpatrick Townsend received **Gold Band** designation for the firm's patent team in **Georgia**, and for litigation in **Colorado**. The firm was also **Highly Recommended** in patent prosecution and transactions in Colorado which is the highest level of recognition. Kilpatrick Townsend was also singled out for patent prosecution in **California** and **Washington**, and the firm's patent team in **North Carolina** was also recognized.

The *IAM Patent 1000* guide was compiled following an extensive research process. Over five months, IAM conducted thousands of detailed interviews with numerous private practice lawyers and in-house counsel to gather market intelligence on the leading players in the field. Individuals qualified for a listing in the *IAM Patent 1000* when they received sufficient positive feedback from peers and clients with knowledge of their practice and the market within which they operate. For more information on *IAM Patent 1000*, please click [here](#).

Kilpatrick Townsend attorneys named as top patent practitioners include:

- Jesse Bennett
- Eugene Bernard
- Charles Calkins
- James Ewing
- Thomas Franklin
- Steven Gardner
- Darin Gibby
- Wab Kadaba
- Tina McKeon
- Steve Moore
- Dean Russell
- Andrew Serafini
- William Shaffer
- David Sipiora
- Mitchell Stockwell
- Roger Wylie

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