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## 14 Attorneys from Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP Receive Recognition from Best Lawyers 2013

Philadelphia, PA (September 4, 2012) –Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP is proud to announce that 70 percent of its partners were recently selected by their peers for inclusion in the 2013 edition of *The Best Lawyers in America®* ("Best Lawyers" – [Copyright 2012 by Woodward/White, Inc., of Aiken, S.C].)\* Corporate Counsel magazine has called Best Lawyers® "the most respected referral list of attorneys in practice" and has become universally regarded as the definitive guide to legal excellence.

There were 14 MGKF attorneys recognized in the areas of Arbitration and Mediation, Environmental Law and Environmental Litigation. Here is the list of categories and attorneys:

<u>Arbitration and Mediation</u>: Joseph M. Manko

Environmental Law: Rodd W. Bender, Bart E. Cassidy, Robert D. Fox, Marc E. Gold, Brenda Hustis Gotanda, Jill Hyman Kaplan, Bruce S. Katcher, Joseph M. Manko, Carol F. McCabe, Michael M. Meloy, Jonathan E. Rinde, and Jonathan H. Spergel.

Environmental Litigation: John F. Gullace and Neil S. Witkes

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MGKF concentrates its practice in environmental, energy, and land use law and litigation. It represents clients ranging from Fortune 100 corporations to small, privately held enterprises, both in the Mid-Atlantic region and on a national basis. MGKF was honored to be the top-rated law firm in the Top Workplaces 2012 and 2011 surveys by the Philadelphia Inquirer, Daily News and Philly.com. Offices are located at 401 City Avenue, Suite 500, Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania. 535 Route 38, Suite 145A, Cherry Hill, New Jersey, and now at 25 West Third Street, Suite 303, Williamsport, Pennsylvania. For additional information, visit <a href="www.mgkflaw.com">www.mgkflaw.com</a> or call 484-430-5700, 856-317-1299, or 570-567-7325.

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