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RANK	CASE NAME	AMOUNT	TYPE OF ACTION	TYPE	COURT NAME	PLAINTIFF ATTORNEYS	DEFENSE ATTORNEYS	DATE
10	<i>Jones v. Intech Construction</i>	\$16,300,000	Personal Injury	settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Robert J. Mongeluzzi and Andrew R. Duffy, Saltz Mongeluzzi Barrett & Bendesky.	Joseph R. Fowler, Fowler Hirtzel McNulty & Spaulding; William E. Schaefer, Hendrzak & Lloyd; Walter Swayze III and Richard A. Godshall, Segal McCambridge	5/28/2014
11	<i>Smith v. Astellas Pharma</i>	\$7,300,000	Qui Tam	settlement	U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania	Stephen A. Sheller, Sheller P.C.; Claudine Q. Homolash, CQH Firm; Joseph Trautwein.	Thomas Gallagher, Pepper Hamilton.	4/16/2014
12	<i>DiSalvio v. Cream-O-Land Dairy</i>	\$6,500,000	Personal Injury	settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Michael O. Pansini and Steven M. Mezrow, Pansini & Mezrow	John J. Snyder and Tara Gill Nalencz, Rawle & Henderson	6/10/2014
13	<i>Adams v. Poly-San Corp.</i>	\$5,000,000	Products Liability: Design Defect	Settlement	Sullivan County Court of Common Pleas	Robert J. Mongeluzzi (lead), Philadelphia, PA of Saltz Mongeluzzi Barrett & Bendesky PC; Andrew R. Duffy, Philadelphia, PA of Saltz Mongeluzzi Barrett & Bendesky PC; Jeffrey P. Goodman, Philadelphia, PA of Saltz Mongeluzzi Barrett & Bendesky PC	Joseph F. Van Horn Jr., Philadelphia, PA of Fallon Van Horn, LLC; Benjamin A. Nicolosi Jr., Moosic, PA of Marshall Dennehey Warner Coleman & Goggin, P.C.; John M. Solt, Hazleton, PA of Slusser Law Firm; Michael A. Giannetta, Plains, PA of Snyder & Associates	1/31/2014
14	<i>Schall v. Windermere Court Apartments</i>	\$4,750,000	Class Action	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Thomas More Marrone and Ronald L. Greenblatt, Greenblatt, Pierce, Engle, Funt & Flores, Philadelphia.	Andrew S. Kessler and William H. Catto, Litchfield Cavo, Philadelphia	12/16/2014
15	<i>Estate of Zarzecki v. Walnut Park Plaza LLC</i>	\$4,450,000	Worker/Workplace Negligence	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Thomas J. Duffy Jr., Philadelphia, PA of Duffy + Partners; Kenneth F. Fulginiti, Philadelphia, PA of Duffy + Partners	Louis A. BovD, Philadelphia, PA of Bodell, Bove, Grace & Van Horn, P.C.; Marie Sarkees Barbich, Philadelphia, PA of Christie, Pabarue and Young; Francis J. Deasey, Philadelphia, PA of Deasey, Mahoney, Valentini & North, Ltd.; Gary R. Gremminger, Philadelphia, PA of German, Gallagher & Murtagh, P.C.; Michael J. Dunn, Cherry Hill, NJ of Law Offices of Michael J. Dunn, LLC; Leonard A. Busby, Philadelphia, PA of Montgomery McCracken Walker & Rhoads LLP; John G. Papianou, Philadelphia, PA of Montgomery McCracken Walker & Rhoads LLP	7/17/2014
16	<i>Hill v. BCC Liberty</i>	\$4,300,000	Motor Vehicle: Negligence	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	David Woloshin and Dina S. Ronsayro, Astor Weiss Kaplan & Mandel, Philadelphia.	Kristen Worley, Delany McBride, Philadelphia; E. Laurence Kates, Mintzer Sarowitz Zeris Ledva & Meyers, Philadelphia.	11/10/2014
17	<i>Estate of Patton v. CSA Ltd.</i>	\$4,000,000	Motor Vehicle: Head-On	Settlement	U.S. District Court, Middle District of Pennsylvania	William F. Anzalone, Wilkes-Barre, PA of Anzalone Law Offices; Jamie J. Anzalone, Wilkes-Barre, PA of Anzalone Law Offices	Joseph N. Bongiovanni IV, Philadelphia, PA of Marks, O'Neill, O'Brien, Doherty & Kelly, P.C.; John J. Snyder, Philadelphia, PA of Rawle & Henderson LLP	5/20/2014
18	<i>Pinkerton v. Verizon</i>	\$3,000,000	Motor Vehicle: Multiple Vehicle	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Joseph L. Messa Jr., Philadelphia, PA of Messa & Associates, P.C.; Thomas N. Sweeney, Philadelphia, PA of Messa & Associates, P.C.	Ernest J. Bernabei III, Philadelphia, PA of Harvey, Pennington Ltd.; John M. D'Amelio, Philadelphia, PA of Harvey, Pennington Ltd.	7/21/2014
19	<i>Gallagher v. Barrett & Williams Electric Inc.</i>	\$2,500,000	Slips, Trips & Falls: Slip and Fall	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Bruce H. MacKnight Jr., Media, PA of Sacchetta & Baldino; Thomas F. Sacchetta, Media, PA of Sacchetta & Baldino	Warren E. Voter, Philadelphia, PA of Sweeney & Sheehan; Glenn M. Campbell, Blue Bell, PA of William J. Ferren & Associates	7/18/2014
20	<i>Meashey v. National Railroad Passenger Corp.</i>	\$2,500,000	Railroad	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Patrick J. Finn, Philadelphia, PA of MyersLafferty Law Offices, P.C.; Steven M. Lafferty, Philadelphia, PA of MyersLafferty Law Offices, P.C.; William L. Myers Jr., Philadelphia, PA of MyersLafferty Law Offices, P.C.	Paul F.X. Gallagher, Philadelphia, PA of Gallagher & Rowan, P.C.; Raymond J. Hunter, Philadelphia, PA of Gallagher & Rowan, P.C.	11/12/2014
21	<i>Mbodj v. U-Haul</i>	\$1,250,000	Negligence, negligent infliction of emotional distress.	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Larry Bendesky, Adam J. Pantano and Robert W. Zimmerman, Saltz Mongeluzzi Barrett & Bendesky, Philadelphia	Richard B. Wickersham Jr., Post & Schell, Philadelphia.	9/18/2014
22	<i>Roemer v. Cattani's Beverages Inc.</i>	\$1,200,000	Motor Vehicle: Intersection	Mediated Settlement	Bucks County Court of Common Pleas	Manuel A. Spigler, Philadelphia, PA of Gross, Goldfarb & Spigler, LLP	Francis R. Gartner, Blue Bell, PA of William J. Ferren & Associates	7/16/2014
23	<i>Mulligan v. Holiday Inn - Ft. Washington</i>	\$1,150,000	Premises Liability: Dangerous Condition	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Marina Kats, Feasterville, PA of Kats, Jamison & Associates	Thane C.J. Trotman, Philadelphia, PA of Law Offices of J. Mark Pecci II	5/14/2014
24	<i>The Graham Co. v. Keith</i>	\$1,100,000	Contracts: Breach of Contract	Settlement	U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania	David J. Wolfsohn, Duane Morris, Philadelphia.	Anthony B. Haller, Blank Rome, Philadelphia	11/25/2014
25	<i>Acosta v. Maura Buildings Inc.</i>	\$1,000,000	Worker/Workplace Negligence: Negligent Supervision	Settlement	Lebanon County Court of Common Pleas	Miriam A. Newman, Philadelphia, PA of Haggerty, Goldberg, Schleifer & Kupersmith, P.C.; Charles J. Schleifer, Philadelphia, PA of Haggerty, Goldberg, Schleifer & Kupersmith, P.C.	Donald M. Grimes, Media, PA of Kelly, Grimes, Pietrangelo & Vakil, P.C.	4/3/2014
26	<i>Jazlovietcki v. Garda CL Atlantic Inc.</i>	\$850,000	Motor Vehicle: Broadside	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Jenimae Almquist, Philadelphia, PA of Messa & Associates, P.C.; Joseph L. Messa Jr., Philadelphia, PA of Messa & Associates, P.C.	John S. Tucci Jr., Philadelphia, PA of Marshall, Dennehey, Warner, Coleman & Goggin, P.C.	7/28/2014
27	<i>Williams v. The United States of America</i>	\$820,000	Worker/Workplace Negligence	Mediated Settlement	U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania	Thomas More Marrone, Philadelphia, PA of Greenblatt, Pierce, Engle, Funt & Flores	Annetta Foster Givhan, Philadelphia, PA of U.S. Attorney's Office	4/11/2014
28	<i>Estate of Popple v. Step-by-Step Inc.</i>	\$750,000	Nursing Homes: Negligent Supervision	Settlement	Luzerne County Court of Common Pleas	Peter Paul Olszewski Jr., Scranton, PA of Scartelli Olszewski, P.C.; Melissa A. Scartelli, Scranton, PA of Scartelli Olszewski, P.C.	Arthur W. Hankin, Philadelphia, PA of Blank Rome LLP; Lev Kalman, Philadelphia, PA of Blank Rome LLP	5/1/2014
29	<i>McKenna v. City of Philadelphia</i>	\$490,000	Intentional Torts: Assault and Battery	Settlement	Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas	Thomas J. Gibbons, Philadelphia, PA of Gibbons Legal, P.C.	Mark V. Maguire, Philadelphia, PA of City of Philadelphia Law Department	9/17/2014