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CHARTWELL LAW OPENS NEW YORK OFFICE

July 15, 2009, Valley Forge PA: The Chartwell Law Offices, LLP, one of the fastest growing law firms in Pennsylvania, announced today the opening of its Manhattan office.

Chartwell opened its first office in Valley Forge PA in 2002 with four lawyers. It now has offices in Valley Forge, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Scranton, Pittsburgh, Wilmington & New York.

Danielle Sullivan Kaminski, formerly of Clausen Miller's New York office, has joined Chartwell as a Partner in the New York office, located at 39 Broadway, just south of Wall Street. Ms. Kaminski concentrates her practice in the areas of first-party property, damaged cargo, major casualty, complex subrogation, transportation, and construction law. Ms. Kaminski also provides coverage opinions and defends matters involving comprehensive general liability, errors & omissions, builders' risk, marine, aviation and motor carrier/trucker policies.



Ms. Kaminski is a graduate of Binghamton University and Fordham University School of Law. While at Fordham, Ms. Kaminski was an editor of the Fordham Urban Law Journal and Fordham Moot Court Board. Ms. Kaminski also interned with the Honorable Joseph M. McLaughlin, Circuit Judge, Second Circuit Court of Appeals.

Joining Danielle is Matthew Gonzalez, formerly with the NYC firm Bruckmann & Victory. Mr. Gonzalez concentrates his practice on complex commercial litigation, subrogation, insurance defense, and first-party property insurance coverage, for both domestic and international companies. Mr. Gonzalez was a law clerk for the Honorable Justice Politan in New Jersey Federal Court, and is a graduate of the University of Delaware and Fordham University School of Law, where he was a member of the International Law Journal.

"The New York office will enhance our ability to serve our insurance, property and subrogation clients" said Chris Troy, Chair of the firm's Insurance and Subrogation section. "The new office will also handle the casualty and commercial litigation needs of our clients, and serve as our link to key insurance markets abroad", added Chartwell CEO Cliff Goldstein. "It is thrilling to open our New York office so soon after the opening of our Delaware office. While some firms have been forced to retrench, Chartwell will continue to seek outstanding lawyers to enhance its practice area and geographic reach", Goldstein said.

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