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**Rick Biagi Selected as a 2010 Illinois *Rising Star*<sup>®</sup>**

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Neal & McDevitt, LLC congratulates partner Richard B. Biagi on his selection to [Illinois Super Lawyers Rising Stars for 2010](#), in Intellectual Property Law.

Rick's practice includes counseling clients in the areas of selection, adoption, use and protection of trademarks and domain names, the registration of copyrights and trademarks on a worldwide basis, licensing, advertising and promotions law compliance. Rick's extensive litigation experience includes proceedings involving intellectual property and advertising disputes before U.S. Federal Courts, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, the World Intellectual Property Organization and the National Advertising Division of the Council of Better Business Bureaus.

Rick earned his Bachelor's degree from the University of Illinois and his Juris Doctor, *magna cum laude*, from DePaul University College of Law. Rick is actively involved in several professional organizations, including the International Trademark Association and Business Marketing Association and serves on the advisory board for the DePaul University College of Law Center for Intellectual Property Law and Information Technology (CIPLIT<sup>®</sup>). In addition to his legal practice, Rick was elected in 2009 to serve as Commissioner for the Park Ridge, Illinois Recreation and Park District.

Please join us in congratulating Rick on this well-deserved accomplishment.

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