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SINCE 1951, ABRAHAM, WATKINS, NICHOLS, SORRELS, Agosto & Friend has successfully represented clients across the nation who have been involved in catastrophic injuries, wrongful death and business disputes. The firm's success is fueled by thorough investigation, detailed preparation, advanced technology and trial expertise.

Two lawyers named to *Texas Rising Stars*, Daniel Horowitz and Muhammad Aziz, have made significant contributions to the firm's well-established reputation and success. Horowitz is the statewide chair of the TTLA Advocates Board and is board-certified in personal injury trial law by the Texas Board of Legal Specialization. Aziz received national attention playing a lead role in the recent settlement of the Hurricane Rita evacuation bus-fire disaster, in which 23 elderly citizens perished.

Partners Nick Nichols, Randy Sorrels and Benny Agosto have continued the Abraham, Watkins' tradition of innovation in the courtroom as trial lawyers, as well as leaders in the community. Nichols received the 2008 Rice Distinguished Alumni Award from Rice University. Sorrels was awarded the 2009 Distinguished

Alumnus Award from Houston Baptist University. Agosto received the 2009 Houston Bar Association President's Award. The firm was also recently awarded the Inaugural Harris County Bench Bar Pro Bono Award for small firms as recognition for the free legal service it provided to underprivileged citizens in Harris County. Nichols, Sorrels and Agosto were also named to 2009 *Super Lawyers*[®] and are routinely recognized by various legal organizations for their commitment to the legal profession.

Working with lawyers and clients throughout the nation, Abraham, Watkins moves forward into its 59th year representing and providing legal services of the highest quality to all of its clients. The firm offers free legal consultation on new matters, and handles most cases on a contingency-fee basis.



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