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David - Former Client

For the Record

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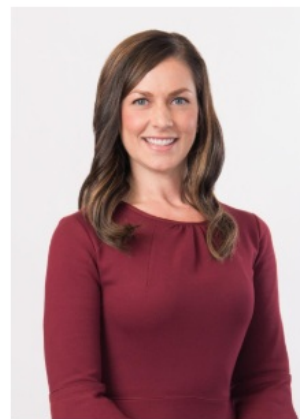
Save the Date for the 14th Annual MABATx Foundation Scholarship Luncheon

THREE LEADERS, ONE FIRM



For the first time in Abraham Watkins' history, the firm has three partners serving simultaneously as presidents in the legal community. Randy Sorrels is the President of the State Bar of Texas, Benny Agosto, Jr. is the President of the Houston Bar Association, and Brant Stogner is the President of the South Texas College of Law Houston Alumni Association. For over 68 years, leadership has been a part of the firm's culture, and this year, these three partners have set new a benchmark in the firm's history of leadership. [Learn More](#)

TWO TOP TEXAS VERDICTS OBTAINED BY ABRAHAM WATKINS



Congratulations to firm attorneys Benny Agosto, Jr., Mo Aziz, and Michelle Ciolek for obtaining two verdicts ranked among the Top Texas Verdicts and Settlements of 2018.

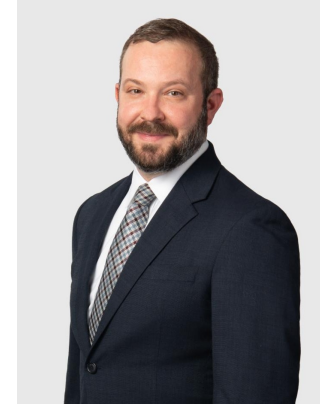
Mr. Agosto obtained a \$11,582,615 wrongful death verdict in favor of the family of Vilma Marengo, who sustained a fatal injury in an 18-wheeler collision in April of 2014. [Learn More](#)

Mr. Aziz and Ms. Ciolek obtained a \$6,050,000 products liability verdict on behalf of their client, Tina Lopez, who sustained an amputation injury during a rollover event in February of 2013. [Learn More](#)

KARL LONG JOINS FIRM AS ASSOCIATE

Abraham Watkins is proud to announce that Karl Long has joined the firm as an Associate. Mr. Long's current practice focuses on a wide range of personal injury matters, including product liability,

passenger bus accidents, premises liability, construction accidents, and workplace injuries. Many of his cases involve catastrophic injuries and wrongful death resulting from automobile accidents and tire defects, which is a skillset he honed while representing tire manufacturers and retailers at a defense litigation firm prior to joining Abraham Watkins.



Mr. Long is a graduate of the University of the South in Sewanee, Tennessee, where he received his Bachelor of Arts in History and was admitted to the Order of the Gown, an academic honor society. Following college and before attending law school, he joined the Peace Corps and served in Guatemala. During law school at South Texas College of Law Houston, he clerked for a respected defense firm and was admitted to the Order of Lytae. [Learn More](#)

ABRAHAM WATKINS FILES LAWSUITS FOLLOWING EXXON MOBIL EXPLOSION



Firm Partners Benny Agosto, Jr. and Mo Aziz represent several workers who were severely injured in the explosion at Exxon Mobil Corporation's Olefins Plant in Baytown, Texas on July 31, 2019. While the cause of the explosion is still under investigation, the explosion caused substantial amounts of propane and propylene to ignite, starting a fire that took nearly 24 hours to extinguish. Mr. Agosto and Mr. Aziz secured a Temporary Restraining Order on Friday. The TRO will preserve the condition of the plant so it can be inspected and tested which will allow our firm to determine the cause of the fire. [Learn More](#)

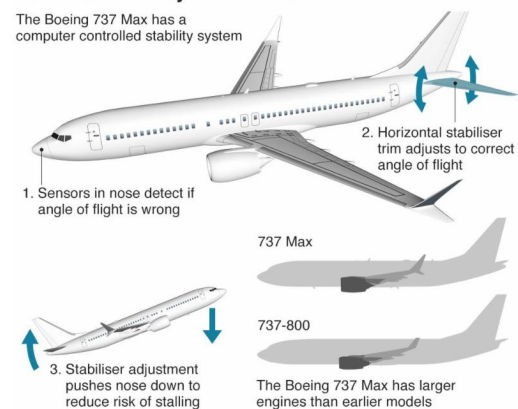
FIRM PARTNER FILES SUIT ON BEHALF OF THE FAMILIES OF FLIGHT ET302 CRASH VICTIMS

Firm Partner Benny Agosto, Jr. is currently representing the families of three passengers that perished in the crash of Ethiopian Airlines Flight 302. Recently, a lawsuit was filed through local counsel in the Northern District of Illinois in federal court against The Boeing Company.

The perilous flight crashed shortly after taking off on March 10, 2019, near the capital of Ethiopia, Addis Ababa, killing all passengers and crew aboard the aircraft. On Thursday, April 4, 2019 Ethiopia's Ministry of Transportation released their preliminary report regarding the crash of flight ET302. The flight data recorder indicated a fault with Boeing's software. [Learn More](#)

How the MCAS system works

The Boeing 737 Max has a computer controlled stability system



Source: Boeing, The Air Current

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 14TH ANNUAL MABATX FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP LUNCHEON



Benefiting students at each of the Houston law schools

Wednesday, August 21, 2019

C. Baldwin, Curio Collection by Hilton

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Registration

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Lunch and Awards Presentation

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