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Torts and Civil Practice: Selected Cases from the Appellate Division, 3rd Department



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COURT LEAVE TO AMEND PLEADING

Cowsert v. Macy's East, Inc. (Malone, Jr., J., 6/3/10)

The plaintiff claimed her daughter's injury resulted from an unacceptably-sized gap between the steps and a side skirt on a Macy's escalator. She sought leave to amend her second amended complaint to add a claim of gross negligence and demand for punitive damages. Supreme Court (Caruso, J., Schenectady Co.) determined the amendment would not preju-

dice the defendant but denied the motion because the defendant's conduct did not reach the high standard of "reckless disregard", and the Third Department affirmed.

Duquette v. Oliva (Egan, Jr., J., 7/1/10)

Plaintiff, having sued her plastic surgeon because she was dissatisfied with the result of planned breast augmentation, moved for leave to amend the complaint (CPLR 3025(b)) to include a breach of contract

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In Memoriam: Erika Leigh Riebel-Trauring, Esq.



Erika Leigh Riebel-Trauring, Esq. suddenly and unexpectedly passed away Tuesday, July 27, 2010 at Ellis Hospital.

Erika was a devoted mother, wife, and daughter. Erika was a graduate of Shenendehowa, Cornell University - where she was class director for the alumni magazine - and Quinnipiac Law School. Erika was professionally known as Erika Riebel and practiced law with her father in Clifton Park. Erika was a member of the Saratoga County Bar Association and the New York State Bar Association, and had careers in New York City and Los Angeles prior to

attending law school. Erika was a practicing attorney in Schenectady and Saratoga County for 14 years as a child's advocate and had the honor of serving as Saratoga County Law Guardian Liaison for 10 years. Erika was the endorsed candidate by the Republican, Conservative, and Independence Parties for Saratoga County Family Court Judge. Erika was a member of the Shenendehowa Church Choral Ensemble, a former member of the Shenendehowa school board, and a soccer and softball coach for her children's teams. Erika is survived by her husband, James A. Trauring, Esq.; her children,

Max and Taylor; her parents, David and Joan Riebel; her brothers, Gregory Riebel, M.D. and Scott Riebel, M.D. and their families; aunts, uncles, cousins; her stepdaughter, Michelle Trauring; and mother-in-law, Felissa Rowan Trauring. Memorial services were held at Shenendehowa Methodist Church, 971 Rt. 146, Clifton Park, N.Y. Memorial contributions may be made to Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, P. O. Box 27106 New York, New York 10087-7106.

SURVIVING IN THE LEGAL PRACTICE



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Time is constantly ticking isn't it? Doesn't it seem to get even faster when you walk into your office? Competition for solo practitioners and law firm associates is only getting tougher each month as more lawyers lose their jobs.

So, how can you stand out? How can you differentiate yourself, be profitable, and truly enjoy being a lawyer?

As lawyers, we often see clients with issues that could have easily been prevented. We can learn from their mistakes to avoid these issues for ourselves. Though some days may seem like the world is against you, there are specific things we should always keep in mind. If opposing counsel yells at you on the phone, your paralegal gives you an attitude, or a client refuses to pay for work you've already done, always remember these 6 rules for the firm.

These 6 rules enable you to get more work done, keep you from getting a bad reputation, and allow you to be a happier lawyer.

1. Listen. How often do you truly listen? Paying close attention to your colleagues and staff can give you a wealth of knowledge. It allows you to have your finger on the dial. You can find out about issues, concerns, and developments going on in your own practice. Don't lock yourself up in your office. You can miss really important information about things going on around you. The information you miss can be incredibly helpful for your professional development, partnership potential, or change of employment.

2. Take a breath. We are known for liking to hear our own voices. Be careful not to say whatever pops into your mind, unless you want to take the risk of having to explain it later. This may happen at the worst possible time- like when you are up for a review or promotion to partnership. Think about the way you say things too.

3. Your beliefs become your reality. You are the captain of your own thoughts. The only thing in life that you have complete control over is your own thoughts. Yet, so many of us find it extremely difficult to control our thinking patterns. The easiest way to change this is to take 10 minute silence breaks each day. This can be done anywhere and at any time. Doing this frequently empowers you to be able to recognize negative thoughts for what they are, acknowledge and let them pass, and not be affected by them.

4. Patience is a virtue. Patience is one of the key elements to being an effective lawyer. After all, we work with a wide variety of cases and personalities each day. It's easy to see how we can lose it at some point. Remember, you can be patient and strong. In the practice of law more than any other profession, it's extremely important to keep your cool. Think about it. How quickly will you be at risk of losing a client or losing a case if you get affected by every little thing that people say or do to you? Don't give anyone else that much control over you.

5. Lend a hand. Try not to be territorial in defining your work from the work of others around you. If you face an opportunity to be helpful, do it. Not only will it make you feel great to be useful, it reflects that you are willing to collaborate and go the extra mile- An attorney to watch come promotion time.

6. A moment. Sometimes the stress can get the best of us. The key thing to keep in mind when we face a difficult case, client, or situation is that it is only a moment in our life. Like all other moments, it too will soon pass. Remembering this can be the key to a profitable and balanced practice.

Apply these tips to your professional and personal life as often as possible. Before you know it they will become second nature and won't require any effort from you at all.

BIOGRAPHY

Sonia Gallagher is a Certified Life Coach, business attorney, and entrepreneur.

Sonia has worked in both the judicial and private arenas of the law and established her own Law Firm. She understands the challenges facing lawyers. As an Executive Life Coach for lawyers, Sonia combines her intuitive nature, background in psychology, and her marketing and entrepreneurship experience with her passion for inspiring, empowering, and motivating lawyers to live a balanced life filled with professional fulfillment and success. She helps lawyers steer the direction of their careers and to create sustainable practices that reflect what is most important to them.

Before becoming a coach, Sonia honed her psychology and communications background while working for the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), increased her understanding of people and cultural differences and sensibilities while working at The International Court of The Hague in The Netherlands, and developed successful methods of networking, marketing, developing joint ventures & strategic alliances, and organizational systems while owning her law firm in the State of Florida.

Sonia co-edited a bench book on the application of International law on domestic rulings for the US Supreme Court while working with the National Association of Women Judges in Washington, DC. She worked as a judicial clerk for the Honorable Matthew Stevenson, Chief Appellate Judge of the 4th District Court of Appeals. Sonia has published hundreds of Immigration law articles all over the country, been interviewed radio shows as an expert, and presented Immigration Law issues on a television news program.

Sonia is an University of Miami Honors graduate and holds a Bachelors of Arts Degree in Psychology. She received a full scholarship to the University of Florida Levin College of Law and holds a Juris Doctor Degree. She also studied International Human Rights and European Business law at the Universiteit Leiden in The Netherlands and the Universite Montpellier Faculte du Droit in France.

When she is not coaching, Sonia can be found writing, creating motivational guides and business programs, playing with her dog, cat, and husband, traveling "off the beaten path", and practicing and teaching meditation. She is also an avid reader in the area of personal and business development, peak performance, spiritual growth, marketing, and human potential.

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TORTS AND CIVIL PRACTICE CONTINUED

claim. Supreme Court (Muller, J., Clinton Co.) denied the application, finding the proposed amendment completely devoid of merit. In a 3-2 ruling, the Appellate Division reversed based on what the majority saw as enough proof that the surgeon made an "express special promise" regarding specific surgical results, including the use of a smooth (not textured) implant and to increase the plaintiff's breast size to a D-cup.

PREMISES LIABILITY

Cietek v. Bountiful Bread of Stuyvesant Plaza (Spain, J.P., 6/17/10)

En route to the dining area of the defendant's restaurant, plaintiff slipped on a small puddle of water and fell. Following discovery, defendant's motion for summary judgment was granted by Supreme Court (Platkin, J., Albany Co.) and the Third Department affirmed. In opposition to the motion, plaintiff failed to show a genuine issue of fact regarding defendant's actual or constructive notice of the allegedly dangerous condition. The affidavit of plaintiff's expert referenced non-compliance with an OSHA standard, which the Appellate Division noted would apply only to the safety of employees, and not restaurant patrons.

DiBartolomeo* v. St. Peter's Hospital (Stein, J., 5/13/10)

The plaintiff's husband died 20 days after falling on a temporary curb ramp that had been built on the defendant hospital's property during a construction project. Finding a failure to carry its initial burden of proof as the movant

seeking summary judgment, Supreme Court (Teresi, J., Albany Co.) denied the hospital's motion to dismiss. The Third Department affirmed, and also rejected the argument that summary dismissal was proper because plaintiff could not prove by direct evidence that the condition of the ramp caused the decedent to fall ("proximate cause may be inferred from the facts and circumstances surrounding the event").

(*The author's firm represents plaintiff).

HOMEOWNER'S COVERAGE: CRIMINAL/INTENTIONAL ACT EXCLUSION

Massa v. Nationwide (Garry, J., 6/24/10)

The plaintiff has homeowner's insurance coverage from the defendant Nationwide which came into play when the plaintiff's son was sued in a personal injury claim arising out of an incident at a fraternity house. The younger Massa threw or pushed a 55-gallon oil drum out a second floor window which struck and injured another student. Nationwide disclaimed coverage based on the policy's exclusions for criminal and intentional acts, and in the declaratory judgment action that followed, Supreme Court (Aulisi, J., Schenectady Co.) determined neither exclusion applied and ruled the defendant was obligated to defend and indemnify its insureds. The Third Department affirmed in part, but found that full discovery was needed in the DJ action before it could be said that Nationwide has a duty to indemnify.

NEGLIGENT PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLE

Hopkins v. Ambrose (Mercure, J.P., 6/3/10)

The injured plaintiff was a pedestrian; the accident happened in the roadway (Route 7) at about 1:00 a.m., outside a bar in Colesville, Broome County. Plaintiff had walked out onto the highway to speak to the occupants of the defendant Petkash's pickup truck, which exited the parking lot by backing out onto the highway and stopped on the center yellow line. Another defendant, coming from the opposite direction, struck the plaintiff with his vehicle when Hopkins stepped out from behind the Petkash vehicle. Supreme Court (Dowd, J., Chenango Co.) granted summary judgment to Petkash but the Third Department reversed, noting that liability can arise from negligent parking of a vehicle if there is proof that such parking obstructs the view of other drivers and contributes to the happening of the accident.

LABOR LAW §§240, 241(6)

Grove v. Cornell University (Spain, J.P., 7/1/10)

Splitting 3-2, the Third Department affirmed the order of Supreme Court (Mulvey, J., Chemung Co.) which dismissed the plaintiff's Labor Law § 240 claim. Plaintiff was a glazier who was installing windows and working from inside a metal basket attached to a telescoping boom lift. Plaintiff blamed his fall and injuries on a non-functioning gate on the basket that did not close as designed but defendants argued the fall was really caused by plaintiff's failure to secure his lanyard to the basket. The majority concluded the defendant was not obligated by statute to "furnish an additional, redundant safety device" (a properly-closing door on the basket) and dismissed the claim because plaintiff was "the sole proximate cause of his injuries".

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TORTS AND CIVIL PRACTICE, CONT.

Truppi v. Busciglio (Rose, J., 6/17/10)

Defendant here wanted the plaintiff's § 240 cause of action dismissed based on the statutory exemption for owners of 1 and 2-family homes who contract for but do not direct or control the work. Supreme Court (Cahill, J., Ulster Co.) denied the motion based on conflicting evidence in the record and the Third Department affirmed. In such cases, the Court notes that the proper analysis is what the homeowner's intentions are at the time of the injury and "not their hopes for the future".

Wheeler v. Citizens Telecommunications Co. (Malone, Jr., J., 6/17/10)

Supreme Court (Dowd, J., Chenango Co.) dismissed the §

240 claim against the defendant Time Warner NY Cable as it could not be considered an "owner" of the utility pole from which the plaintiff was working when he fell. Time Warner did have a TV cable attached to the pole but neither the cable nor the ground anchor with which it was secured was, by plaintiff's admission, likely responsible for his injuries (the pole failed apparently because of dry rot). The Third Department affirmed the dismissal.

Len v. State of New York (Spain, J., 6/17/10)

Plaintiff's decedent, who fell to his death from a movable dam on the Erie Canal, was employed by defendant New York State Canal Corporation. Labor Law §§ 240 and 241 claims, among others, were

included in the suit that also named the State of New York and New York State Thruway Authority as defendants. Defendants won dismissal of the case in the Court of Claims (Hard, J.) based on the exclusivity provisions of Worker's Compensation Law § 11, arising out of the parent-subsidiary relationship of the Authority and Corporation (Public Authorities Law § 382(1)). The Third Department affirmed the dismissal, concluding "that the Corporation is but an arm of the Authority, justifying a finding that the Corporation is the Authority's alter ego".

Rought v. Price Chopper (Lahtinen, J., 5/27/10)

The plaintiff electrician's work required the use of heavy commercial wire which was

moved into place by using a forklift as a power source to pull a rope over two pulleys and through a conduit mounted on the walls of the room where the construction was taking place. During pulling and positioning of the wire, the rope broke, causing the full wire bundle to recoil and strike the plaintiff after which he fell and was hurt. Supreme Court (Ledina, J., Sullivan Co.) dismissed plaintiff's § 240 claim but the § 241(6) claim survived. The Third Department affirmed, but only by 3-2, with the dissenters arguing that because the placement of the heavy wire did not fit the definition of "material hoisting", the Rule 23 provisions cited by plaintiff to support his § 241(6) claim were not applicable.

UNIFIED COURT SYSTEM IMPORTANT REMINDER

As you know, the NYS Unified Court System now has on their website DIY Forms, the guided step-by-step programs. Please note that the NYS DIY Forms are only for Court users who don't have a lawyer and, legal services and pro bono attorneys and staff helping clients who cannot afford lawyers. Commercial use is prohibited and no one may charge for using these programs. Remember when you begin the programs, you are asked to accept these terms. Please be aware that if these terms are violated, you will be contacted by the NYS Unified Court System.

SUBMISSIONS!!!

HON. JEFFREY D. WAIT, ACTING COUNTY COURT JUDGE

Saratoga Springs City Court Judge Jeffrey D. Wait has been appointed Acting County Court Judge in the Fourth Judicial District. In connection with this appointment, Judge Wait has also been designated Supervising Judge of the Town and Village Justice Courts in the Counties of Fulton, Montgomery, Saratoga and Schenectady. As Supervising Judge, Judge Wait will serve a wide variety of functions, from advising local justices and clerks on operational issues, to helping resolve issues that arise between the courts and government agencies that work in or with the courts. He will also serve as a conduit for information between the local courts and the Office of Court Administration (OCA), and coordinate the support and resources provided by OCA.

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We welcome the submission of articles or other items of interest to the bar and also encourage your comments on the SCBA, recent articles, columns or other letters.

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FIVE CARTER CONBOY ATTORNEYS ADMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SECOND CIRCUIT

June 1, 2010

ALBANY, NY—Carter, Conboy, Case, Blackmore, Maloney & Laird, P.C. announced that associates James E. Lonano, Panagiota K. Javaras, Stephen M. Groudine, Tichina L. Johnson and Alaina K. Laferriere were among the attorneys who were admitted to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit on May 19, 2010. The attorneys were admitted by the President of the Federal Court Bar Association for the Northern District of New York, Bartle Gorman, at an admissions ceremony held at the James T. Foley United States Courthouse in Albany, New York.



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CARTER CONBOY SUPPORTS NORTH- EAST PARENT AND CHILD SOCIETY

July 9, 2010

ALBANY, NY—In celebration of its 90th year, Carter Conboy has announced a gift of 90 items per quarter to four Capital Region nonprofits. For the second quarter of 2010, the law firm made a donation of 90 duffel bags to Northeast Parent & Child Society. The duffel bags will be available to children and youth in Northeast's foster care, residential care, and family preservation services.

"Whether they're moving in with loving foster parents or returning home to their own families, our children find great comfort in the duffel bags donated by our friends at Carter Conboy. They take a little piece of home with them wherever they go" states Sari O'Connor, Chief Development Officer at Northeast.

Carter Conboy's Chief Operating Officer, Michael J. Murphy commented, "This is a thank you to Northeast Parent & Child Society for

protecting children, preserving families, and strengthening the communities we serve."

Founded in 1920, Carter Conboy, located at 20 Corporate Woods in Albany, NY, serves clients in upstate New York and western Massachusetts. For additional information about the firm, visit www.carterconboy.com.

ADAM H. COOPER OF CARTER CONBOY SELECTED TO LEADERSHIP TECH VAL- LEY

July 9, 2010

ALBANY, NY—Carter Conboy announced that Senior Associate, Adam H. Cooper, was selected to be a member of Leadership Tech Valley's Class of 2011.

Leadership Tech Valley, a shared initiative of the Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber of Schenectady County, is a dynamic, interactive program that develops leadership potential of participants and builds a solid foundation of informed, action-oriented and productive employees and citizens.

"Leadership Tech Valley provides skill development and community immersion experiences that enable participants to grow personally and professionally as they explore issues and opportunities in the Capital Region. We are extremely proud that Adam was selected to participate" states Carter Conboy's Chief Operating Officer, Michael J. Murphy.

Now in its 90th year, Carter Conboy, located at 20 Corporate Woods in Albany, NY, serves clients in upstate New York and western Massachusetts. For additional information about the firm, visit www.carterconboy.com.



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FEATURED JOBS

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Job Summary:

The Patent Paralegal will provide both docketing and administrative support for U.S. and foreign patent & trademark matters for an in-house Intellectual Property legal group. Support communications among inventors, in-house counsel, and U.S. and foreign outside counsel regarding the identification, filing, prosecution and issuance of patents worldwide. Track patent portfolio activity in a patent database including generating regular and ad hoc reports for annuity reviews, litigation, budget reviews, billing and identifying

inventor awards. Manage the patent database including working directly with the database supplier. Provide needed information and support to internal engineers supporting the patent process. May prepare and file international patent applications (PCT) including instructing foreign associates to file national applications.

Specific Responsibilities:

- Track patent portfolio activity in a patent database.
- Generate reports for annuity reviews, litigation budget reviews.

Required Qualifications:

- A certificate or degree in secretarial/legal /administrative is preferred.
- Minimum of 2 years of prior patent docketing experience is preferred.
- Knowledge of MDC or CPA application helpful.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite.
- Must have accurate typing, grammatical and filing skills, as well as able to multi-task, be detail oriented, have strong organizational skills
- Able follow complex directions, and be proactive.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Demonstrated ability to work well within a global matrixed team or environment.

Desired Qualifications:

- Paralegal certification preferred.
- Knowledge of MDC or CPA application helpful.

MISCELLANEOUS JOBS

HELP WANTED: PARALEGAL/LEGAL ASSISTANT, Saratoga Springs – Responsibilities include answering phones, typing and filing. Prior Administrative Law, Workers' Compensation, Social Security Disability and Appellate Division experience preferred. Temporary (6-8 weeks), part-time and/or full-time position (s) available. Salary commensurate with experience. Fax Resume 583-9481

LEGAL SECRETARY: Immediate opening for an experienced legal secretary to join team of fast growing Saratoga County Law Practice. Ideal candidate will have 5+ years litigation experience in both State and Federal Courts and be familiar with Microsoft-word, Wordperfect, Outlook and Tabs. Salary is commensurate with experience and benefits available.

LEGAL SECRETARY/PARALEGAL POSITION

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Office Space for Rent:

The law office of Martin W. Pozefsky, 25 Walton Street in downtown Saratoga Springs, has space available for rent on a per diem or longer term basis. Rental includes desk, use of conference room, copier, high speed internet, phone, fax, etc. For more information contact Mr. Pozefsky at 587-9400.

500-700 square feet, on-site parking included; walking distance to Broadway; first floor with handicap access; central air; wood floors; utilities included; available 7/1/2010. Contact Phil Tribble 465-7581 ext 116 or ptribble@herzoglaw.com or Debbie Verni 465-7581 ext 122, email dverni@herzoglaw.com

SCBA PORTRAITS

The deadline for having your picture taken for the portrait is September 1st. Please contact Tom Stock at 584-9784.

On the Move...

Effective May 29, 2010: The new address for Gerald A. Thompson, Jr., PLLC will be 440 Route 146, Clifton Park, New York 12065.

His new phone number will be 383-1500 and his fax will be 383-3838.

Purchase/Merger Opportunity:

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Calendar of Events
2010-2011
(Tentative)

September 15, 2010	Executive Board Meeting, 8:05 a.m. Third Floor, City Hall
September 23, 2010	Golf Outing – location TBD
September 23, 2010	Cocktail Party – Place TBD 6:00 p.m.
October 21, 2010	Executive Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m. The Wishing Well
October 21, 2010	Bar Dinner at The Wishing Well 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 7:00 p.m. Dinner
October 28, 2009	Halloween Party – Young Lawyer’s Committee @ TBD
November 18 2010	Executive Board Meeting, 8:05 a.m. Third Floor, City Hall
December 16, 2010	Holiday Gathering @ Longfellow’s
January 13, 2011	Executive Board Meeting, 8:05 a.m. Third Floor, City Hall
February 10, 2011	Wine Tasting @ TBD
March 2, 2011	Executive Board Meeting, 8:05 a.m. Third Floor, City Hall
March ____, 2011	Bar Dinner @ TBD 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 7:00 p.m. Dinner
April ____, 2011	Executive Board Meeting @ TBD

April ____, 2011

**Bar Dinner @ TBD
6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 7:00 p.m. Dinner**

May 2, 2011

**Law Day Luncheon, Canfield Casino
12:00 p.m.**

May 18, 2011

**Executive Board Meeting, 8:05 a.m.
Third Floor, City Hall**

June 9, 2011

**Executive Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m.
The Wishing Well**

June 9, 2011

**Installation of Officers at The Wishing Well
6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 7:00 p.m. Dinner**

June ____, 2011

Young Lawyer's BBQ @ TBD

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***dates for bar dinners are subject to change**