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STERNE, KESSLER, GOLDSTEIN & FOX RANKED AMONG TOP 10 BEST U.S. LAW FIRMS FOR RACIAL MINORITY ATTORNEYS BY *LAW360*

WASHINGTON, DC – [Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C.](#) announced today that *Law360* has ranked the firm among the top 10 law firms in the United States for inclusion of racial minorities among its attorneys, including equity partners.

The inaugural “2015 *Law360* Minority Report” ranks Sterne Kessler among the top firms in three distinct categories:

- 6th among U.S. law firms for all minority attorneys;
- 7th among U.S. firms for minority equity partners; and
- 4th among U.S. firms for Asian-American attorneys.

In these categories, the report shows that Sterne Kessler exceeds “the overall average among U.S. law firms.”

“We are extremely proud of our ranking in this report,” said Sterne Kessler Managing Partner, [Michael B. Ray](#). “Sterne Kessler is committed to a culture of inclusion — among our attorneys as well as our entire staff — and fostering mutual respect and understanding. Through numerous initiatives, our firm aims to provide a workplace that is reflective of our global client base and the diverse cultural mix of the greater Washington, D.C., area in which we live and work.”

Information about Sterne Kessler’s diversity initiatives, may be found on our website [here](#).

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Law360 provides the following methodology: *Law360* surveyed 289 U.S. firms, or vereins with a U.S. component, about their overall and minority head count numbers as of Dec. 31, 2014. Only U.S.-based attorneys were included in the survey. Of the firms surveyed, 266 provided equity partner head count data by race.

[Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C.](#) is one of the largest U.S. law firms focused solely on the protection, transfer and enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights. Founded in 1978 and based in Washington, DC, the firm has more than 170 patent attorneys, agents and technical specialists, including more than 60 Ph.Ds. and 60 other advanced degrees. We represent a broad range of clients including emerging and established companies, venture capital firms, universities and select individuals.

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