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## CHAMBERS USA 2018 RECOGNIZES JOHNSTON ALLISON HORD ATTORNEYS AND PRACTICE AREAS

Johnston Allison Hord announces six attorneys and three of its practice groups have been ranked in Chambers USA 2018, the premier guide to the legal profession that develops rankings using in-depth interviews and objective research.

Johnston Allison Hord's Corporate/M&A, Labor & Employment, and Real Estate practice groups were recognized, while six of the firm's individual attorneys received recognition in their respective practice areas in North Carolina.

Additionally, Johnston Allison Hord is an affiliate of Meritas, a legal network that received "Elite – Global-Wide" ranking. Meritas provides full-service assistance to clients across practice groups around the world.

Chambers USA 2018 ranked Johnston Allison Hord's practice groups in the following categories for North Carolina:

Corporate/M&A (Band 4)  
Labor & Employment (Recognized Practitioner)  
Real Estate (Band 3)

The following were named leading attorneys in North Carolina for their practice areas:

### **Corporate/M&A**

Stephen Gennett (Recognized Practitioner)  
J. Nicholas Kendall (Up and Coming)  
John Morrice (Band 3)

### **Labor & Employment**

Patrick Kelly (Band 3)

### **Litigation: General Commercial**

Greg Ahlum (Band 4)

### **Real Estate**

Brian Schoeck (Recognized Practitioner)

## About Chambers and Partners

Chambers and Partners has been ranking the best lawyers since 1990 and now covers 185 jurisdictions. The organization's editorial and research team assesses the world's business lawyers, ranking both lawyers and law firms based on the research of more than 170 full-time researchers and editors. Based in London, they conduct in-depth telephone interviews with lawyers and clients around the world.

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