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**PHILLIPS LYTLE LLP EXPANDS ITS SCIENCE-BASED PRACTICE GROUP
Kimberly S. Penner elected to partner**

NEW YORK, NY – Phillips Lytle, one of the region's largest full-service law firms continues to grow its Science-Based Practice Group with the addition of Kimberly S. Penner as partner and Eva Canaan as an associate to the firm's New York City office.

Ms. Penner was most recently a partner at McCarter & English, LLP. Having a scientific background, Ms. Penner has devoted much of her career to handling complex medical, scientific and statistical issues. At Phillips Lytle she practices in complex litigation with a focus on pharmaceutical product liability cases. A member of the New York State Bar, Ms. Penner earned a J.D. from the University of North Carolina School of Law and both an M.A. and B.A. from Johns Hopkins University.

Ms. Canaan also joins Phillips Lytle from McCarter & English, LLP where she was an associate. She focuses her practice on pharmaceutical litigation. Ms. Canaan earned her J.D. from Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law and her B.A., *summa cum laude*, from New York University.

Both join a team of lawyers in Phillips Lytle's Science-Based Practice, which include a Ph.D. psychologist, a Ph.D. chemist, Ph.D. physiologist and a registered pharmacist. In addition, the team includes scientists, pharmacists, and nurse paralegals, who provide support in addressing the complex scientific issues raised in litigation.

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