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**PHILLIPS LYTLE LLP PARTNERS RAYMOND H. BARR AND DAVID H. KERNAN
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BUFFALO, N.Y. – Raymond H. Barr and David H. Kernan, partners with the law firm of Phillips Lytle LLP, one of the region's largest full service law firms, recently spoke at the New York Employee Benefits Conference Buffalo Pension Lovers meeting. They highlighted the latest employee benefit plan developments affecting employers and plan sponsors.

At Phillips Lytle, Mr. Barr focuses in the areas of qualified retirement plans, welfare benefit plans and other employee benefits (ERISA) as well as taxation, professional organizations and estate planning. Listed in [The Best Lawyers in America®](#), he is a member of the New York State and Erie County Bar Associations and is a director and vice president of the New York Employee Benefits Conference. Mr. Barr earned his J.D. from University at Buffalo Law School – The State University of New York and his B.S. from University at Buffalo.

Mr. Kernan concentrates in federal and state taxation, income and estate tax planning for individuals, tax audits and litigation and employee benefit plans. A member of the New York and Erie County Bar Associations he earned his J.D. from Georgetown University Law Center and his A.B. from Middlebury College. Mr. Kernan is listed in [The Best Lawyers in America®](#), and currently serves on the board of directors for the New York State Employee Benefits Conference.

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