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## Seventeen Shartsis Friese Attorneys Named "Super Lawyers" for 2013

San Francisco, July 8, 2013 – Shartsis Friese LLP announced today that Seventeen attorneys, including all six of our real estate partners, have been named "Super Lawyers" for Northern California in 2013. The attorneys chosen are:

- Peter Aitelli (real estate)
- Derek Boswell (real estate)
- Brandy Christensen (real estate)
- Frank A. Cialone (litigation)
- Craig B. Etlin (real estate)
- Gary L. Fontana (litigation)
- Bob Friese (litigation)
- Jon Kennedy (real estate)
- David Kremer (real estate)
- Tony Leuin (litigation)
- Ron Malone (litigation)
- Alan Robin (real estate)
- Tracy Salisbury (litigation)
- Art Shartsis (litigation)
- Mary Jo Shartsis (litigation)
- Robert Charles Ward (litigation)
- Joel Zeldin (litigation)

In addition, the following attorneys were chosen as rising stars for 2013: Felicia Draper (litigation), Lisa Jacobs (litigation), Joe Mauch (litigation), Larisa Meisenheimer (litigation), Rick Munzinger (litigation), JJ Stein (litigation).

"Super Lawyers" names Northern California's top lawyers as chosen by their peers and through the independent research of *Law & Politics*. The list of 2013 Northern California Super Lawyers is based on surveys of more than 52,000 active lawyers across the northern part of the state. The goal was to select as Super Lawyers the top 5 percent of Northern California attorneys in more than 60 practice areas. The list of Northern California Super Lawyers is published annually in the August issues of *San Francisco Magazine* and *Northern California Super Lawyers*.

Founded in San Francisco in 1975, Shartsis Friese LLP has over 50 lawyers. The firm has extensive trial and business litigation experience, including securities enforcement defense, and a complex transactional practice focused on investment advisers, hedge funds, mergers and acquisitions, corporate finance, securities, tax, venture capital, intellectual property and real estate.