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2007

The Client's Guide

FOLEY HOAG LLP

is ranked in Chambers USA 2007 as follows:

MASSACHUSETTS

BANKRUPTCY/RESTRUCTURING

Bankruptcy/Restructuring

Leading Firms

Band 3

Foley Hoag LLP *Boston*

Leading Individuals

Band 1

Schwartz Andrew *Foley Hoag LLP*

Foley Hoag LLP

The Firm: Noted as “an impressive and active regional bankruptcy practice,” the group is able to offer a degree of versatility, representing a broad spectrum of clients in a wide range of cases, with sources keen to emphasize the firm’s strong debtor representation. The firm also represents equityholders, and defendants in avoidance actions. With a team grounded in litigation, it offers clients a different focus to competitors, having particular expertise in traditional transactional matters as well as an emphasis on trial skills.

The Lawyers: Andrew Schwartz has garnered a considerable reputation, primarily due to his expertise in bankruptcy litigation. His approach is charac-

terized as “very aggressive on behalf of his clients.” Peers commented on his tremendous activity, with Schwartz “regularly representing an important constituent in a case.”

Clients/Work Highlights: Recent key highlights for the firm include playing an integral role in the successful conclusion of the Plymouth Rubber case, representing the firm’s CEO and successfully brokering a deal with Chrysalis Capital Partners. The firm was also involved representing the creditors’ committee in the Chapter 11 case of RJ Development. The company emerged from bankruptcy in October 2006 and the group is now involved representing the liquidity committee.