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***PROVIDENCE BUSINESS NEWS NAMES DANA HORTON AS
“40 UNDER FORTY” RECIPIENT***

PROVIDENCE, RI (August 10, 2010) – Robinson & Cole is pleased to announce that Dana M. Horton has been recognized by the *Providence Business News* as one of the “40 Under Forty” award recipients. This honor is bestowed annually upon 40 business professionals under the age of 40 who have achieved distinction as leaders in their respective fields. Winners “have been chosen based on career success and community involvement. All are young professionals who have made a commitment to making a difference on a local, national, or international scale.” Ms. Horton is a senior associate in the Products Liability and Subrogation Group. She has been with the firm for four years and is licensed to practice in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and Connecticut.

“Dana’s experience and skill set were a critical part of our firm’s ability to expand into Providence,” says Daniel F. Sullivan, a partner at Robinson & Cole, head of the firm’s Litigation Section, and resident of the firm’s Providence office. “She had a broad array of experience in various substantive areas of the law, had worked to expand contacts in the Rhode Island bar and courts, and had worked for some of our most significant institutional clients on significant matters.”

Ms. Horton’s practice includes a broad range of commercial litigation from insurance, large loss subrogation, and liability coverage to bankruptcy and receivership. In addition, she handled three pro bono cases for individual clients in the last year. She chaired the New London County Bar Association’s Law Day 2009 and has written “Tips for a Successful Subrogation Practice,” published in 2009 on the Tort Trial and Insurance Practice Web site, and “Reinterpreting the ADA: Finding a Right to Treatment in the Least Restrictive Environment,” published in the *New England Journal on Criminal and Civil Confinement*. Ms. Horton has many professional affiliations, including the National Association of Subrogation Professionals, the Defense Research Institute, and the American Bankruptcy Institute.

This award program, presented by the *Providence Business Journal* and sponsored by Cox Business, Plan USA, the University of Rhode Island, and AM 790, captures the entrepreneurial spirit and vitality of Rhode Island’s business community. Recipients of this award are nominated by their peers and evaluated on their professional accomplishments and expertise as well as on their community and charitable involvement.

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