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Baker Donelson Attorneys Named Among Lawdragon's Leading Lawyers in America

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W. Scott Welch, a shareholder in the Jackson, Mississippi office of Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz, PC, has once again been named to the Lawdragon 500 Leading Lawyers in America guide. This is the fourth consecutive year Mr. Welch has been named to the Lawdragon 500.

Ten Baker Donelson attorneys were named to the Lawdragon 3000 Leading Lawyers in America, the 3,000 U.S. attorneys who were finalists for the Lawdragon 500 listing: Leo Bearman, Roy C. Cheatwood, Richard G. Cowart, Bruce C. Doeg, Barry W. Ford, Donna D. Fraiche, Walker W. "Bill" Jones III, Linda A. Klein, Jerry Stauffer and W. Scott Welch.

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