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THE FIRM This newly formed litigation boutique has already developed a strong presence throughout the marketplace. Its reputation precedes it – its stable of founding partners were previously with Bartlit Beck Herman Palenchar & Scott and Fulbright & Jaworski. Notable clients include Merck, Bayer, AstraZeneca and Medtronic.

Sources Say: “*Focused, practical and cohesive – an excellent combination.*”

KEY INDIVIDUALS Tarek Ismail is praised for his well-rounded skill set. Clients agree that he is

“*both a talented trial lawyer and a great strategist.*” He is lead trial counsel for Bayer in its nationwide litigation for Magnevist and he also helped to design and implement its settlement program. Clients appreciate **Joe Tomaselli** for his responsiveness, intelligence and litigation skills. He advises Merck on claims excluded from participation in the Vioxx settlement program in the USA, and has counseled AstraZeneca on expert witness matters in the Seroquel litigation.

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THE FIRM Goldman Ismail opened in April 2009 and is already making an impact on the market. It was founded by lawyers with previous experience at firms such as Bartlett Beck, Fulbright & Jaworski and Jenner & Block. The group has expertise in a range of complex commercial litigation matters such as mass tort, product liability, class actions, securities and professional liability disputes.

Sources Say: “*A relatively small shop with some superb lawyers.*”

KEY INDIVIDUALS Tarek Ismail has an excellent reputation among peers as a “*terrific young trial lawyer – he’s extremely well prepared and unflappable.*”