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CATHERINE MICHAEL DISCUSSES THE BASICS OF EDUCATION LAW

May 17, 2011 (CARMEL) Catherine Michael, attorney and chair of the Education Law Division at Hollingsworth & Zivitz, P.C., was recently featured in *The Indiana Lawyer* discussing her work as an education attorney. For the full text article, please visit <http://www.theindianalawyer.com/iba-the-basics-of-education-law-for-lawyers/PARAMS/article/26335>.

In the article, Catherine discusses the increasingly complex practice of education law in Indiana. She notes that a thorough and complete knowledge of the numerous federal and state requirements governing the practice area is necessary to ensure quality representation for her clients. Catherine's primary role as an education law attorney includes representing children in front of schools to ensure that the child receives the appropriate education, or that which meets the individual needs of that child. In addition, Catherine often represents parents and children who have been injured at school, including bullying.

Catherine's practice focuses representing parents throughout the state of Indiana and nationwide through local counsel. Catherine has extensive experience with special education, due process and section 504 hearings under state and federal law, civil arbitration hearings, teacher and student discipline and dismissal matters, and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and other civil rights matters. Catherine is a nationwide author and speaker, conducting numerous presentations and training programs for parents, schools, and education organizations across the nation. For additional information on Catherine Michael please visit her bio at <http://hzlegal.com/our-team/Catherine-M-Michael.php>.

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