Another summary win for Sloane and Walsh!

February 8, 2021 - Sloane and Walsh, LLP (www.sloanewalsh.com), a leading national law firm with a focus on litigation and insurance law, is very pleased to announce that Judah Rome (*far left*) and John Donovan successfully obtained summary judgment for an insurance company in a Declaratory Judgment action pending in State Court in Rhode Island.

The underlying litigation arose out of a motor vehicle accident which involved a fatality and multiple serious injuries. One of the injured passengers made allegations of negligent operation and negligent service or supply of alcohol against the insured family. The insurer acknowledged coverage under a motor vehicle policy but rejected coverage under a homeowners policy.

Sloane and Walsh commenced a declaratory judgment action and argued that there was no coverage under a homeowners insurance policy because the clear and unequivocal language of a "motor vehicle" exclusion barred coverage. The Rhode Island Superior Court recently allowed the insurer's Motion for Summary Judgment with respect to the coverage issue and entered a finding in favor of the insurer on all claims and issues. The Court concluded that the "motor vehicle exclusion" was clear and unambiguous. The Court held that there was no coverage under the homeowners insurance policy for any claims asserted against the insureds.

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