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DEFENSE VERDICTS FOR 2009

1	\$6 million	PREMISE LIABILITY <i>Solicbury v. Hy-Wee Inc.</i>	BUCHANAN COUNTY Judge Larry Harman	WINNING ATTORNEYS Terry Evans, Haley Peerson	OPPOSING COUNSEL Timothy H. Bolter, T.H. Bosler
2	\$4.8 million	WONFUL DEATH <i>Falch v. Union Electric Co. d/b/a Ameren UE</i>	ST. FRANCIS COUNTY Judge Kenneth Pratte	WINNING ATTORNEYS Michael Hunter	OPPOSING COUNSEL Tom Burcham II, Gary Matheny
3	\$3.5 million	PRODUCT LIABILITY <i>Lagan v. The Duggs Co.</i>	BUCHANAN COUNTY Judge Patrick Robb	WINNING ATTORNEYS Jeffrey Brinker, Stephen Fields	OPPOSING COUNSEL Paul Redfern, Michael Walks
4	\$3.1 million	PRODUCT LIABILITY <i>Mullendore v. General Motors Corp.</i>	BOONE COUNTY Judge Gary Overhandler	WINNING ATTORNEYS Rodney E. Loozee, Steven Ward	OPPOSING COUNSEL Robert M.N. Palmer, Maurice B. Graham, Mark E. Brinaman
5	\$2.6 million	MEDICAL MALPRACTICE <i>Beyer v. Steven Lissenhardt</i>	BOONE COUNTY Judge Jodie Asel	WINNING ATTORNEYS Scott Pool, Geoffrey Jones	OPPOSING COUNSEL Steve White, Robert Buckley, Keith Brunstrom
6	\$2 (tie) million	PRODUCT LIABILITY <i>Richter v. Stenlose Inc.</i>	ST. LOUIS CITY Judge Bryan Hettenbach	WINNING ATTORNEYS Kevin Schnatbusch	OPPOSING COUNSEL Paul Slocumb
6	\$2 (tie) million	MEDICAL MALPRACTICE <i>City of Independence, Mo. v. C.F. White Family Partnership</i>	JACKSON COUNTY Judge Marco Rollan	WINNING ATTORNEYS Robert Denlow, Paul Henry	OPPOSING COUNSEL Gailin Dietiker
8	\$1.8 million	MEDICAL MALPRACTICE <i>Boljack v. Wolf, M.D.</i>	JASPER COUNTY Judge David Dally	WINNING ATTORNEYS Randy Cowherd, Catherine Roade	OPPOSING COUNSEL Roger A. Johnson, Scott J. Vorhees, Poddicoz M. Eryn
9	\$1.5 million	EMINENT DOMAIN <i>City of Bossan, Mo. v. Dogwood Inn LLC</i>	TANEY COUNTY Judge Mark Orr	WINNING ATTORNEYS Robert Denlow, Paul Henry	OPPOSING COUNSEL Matt Trokey
10	\$1.4 million	CONTRACTS <i>Wells v. Farmers Alliance Mutual Ins. Co.</i>	U.S. DISTRICT COURT, EDMO Judge E. Richard Webber	WINNING ATTORNEYS Robert Cokerham, Jamie Thompson	OPPOSING COUNSEL Arthur G. Muegler Jr.
11	\$1.25 million	WRONGFUL DEATH <i>Brookfield v. Metro</i>	ST. LOUIS CITY Judge Steven Ohtner	WINNING ATTORNEYS John Rahoy, Edward Zeidler II	OPPOSING COUNSEL Jeffrey J. Lowe, Jacob Flint
12	\$1.05 million	PERSONAL INJURY <i>Bullard v. Bentley Hudson</i>	BOONE COUNTY Judge Monti Belot	WINNING ATTORNEYS Corey Kraushaar, Richard Mizell, Elizabeth Weber, Glen Erhardt	OPPOSING COUNSEL Vincent A. Banks III

13	\$1 (tie) million	PREMISE LIABILITY <i>Ash v. Krone Construction, Inc.</i>	FRANKLIN COUNTY Judge Stanley Dale Williams	WINNING ATTORNEYS Steven Kuenzel, Robert Davis	OPPOSING COUNSEL Robert Goldson
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13	\$1 (tie) million	MEDICAL MALPRACTICE <i>Chambers v. Clarke, M.D.</i>	GREENE COUNTY Judge Calvin Holden	WINNING ATTORNEYS Randy Cowherd	OPPOSING COUNSEL David W. Arnsley, Deborah K. Dodge
15	\$950,000	LEGAL MALPRACTICE <i>Hesslein v. Sandberg Phoenix & von Gerstner</i>	ST. LOUIS COUNTY Judge Carolyn Whittington	WINNING ATTORNEYS Geard Noce, Justin Ansoaud	OPPOSING COUNSEL Todd H. Hendrickson
16	\$900,000	DRAM SHOP LIABILITY <i>Jesseler Himer v. Daybreakers Inc. b/l/a Third Down Bar</i>	RALLS COUNTY Judge Robert Clayton II	WINNING ATTORNEYS Joseph Swift, Carolyn Geoghegan	OPPOSING COUNSEL Christian L. Faiella
17	\$850,000	PREMISE LIABILITY <i>Turner v. Yehon Amc, LLC d/b/a Comfort Inn and Sedalia</i>	PETTIS COUNTY Judge Robert Koffman	WINNING ATTORNEYS Ben Schmitt, Benjamin Fudler	OPPOSING COUNSEL Daniel T. DeFoe
18	\$783,035	SLANDER OF TITLE <i>First National Bank and St. Louis v. Ricco Inc. d/b/a Citrus Springs</i>	ST. LOUIS COUNTY Judge Galileen Dolan	WINNING ATTORNEYS Paul Rechenberg, Elizabeth Rechenberg	OPPOSING COUNSEL John Hongs
19	\$750,000	MEDICAL MALPRACTICE <i>Bowelski v. Hoffe, M.D.</i>	JACKSON COUNTY Judge Robert Schlieber	WINNING ATTORNEYS P. John Brady, Galin Aiter, B.K. Christopher, Brad Dowd, Paul Cowing	OPPOSING COUNSEL John H., Horton, Kathryn Spencer Perkins, Robert Wells
20	\$715,000	MEDICAL MALPRACTICE <i>Wills v. Lester E. Cox Medical Centers, Emergency Physicians of Springfield Inc.</i>	GREENE COUNTY Judge J. Dan Corbin	WINNING ATTORNEYS Keri Hyde, Michael Patton, Scott Bellin	OPPOSING COUNSEL David W. Ransin