

# WON SUMMARY JUDGMENT DISMISSING CATASTROPHIC INJURY CLAIMS AGAINST LONGTIME MANUFACTURING CLIENT

PJ Hines, Mike Maxwell and Christa Dines won summary judgment dismissing all of the plaintiff's claims against a longtime manufacturing client of Hodgson Russ. The case involved a forklift collision at the manufacturing plant, which caused catastrophic injuries to a worker. Plaintiff sued the plant on a theory that the design and layout of the facility caused or contributed to the accident. Our team used a comprehensive analysis of illuminance differentials to defeat the theory that "blinding light" from an open door prevented the plaintiff from seeing the forklift coming.

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