

PRESS RELEASE

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AMB. DAVID GROSS ALSO NAMED 'LAWYER OF THE YEAR' FOR COMMUNICATIONS LAW

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Washington, DC – Wiley, a preeminent DC law firm, is pleased to announce that 54 of the firm's attorneys were selected by *The Best Lawyers in America* $^{\oplus}$ – including 20 "Ones to Watch" – for its 2023 list of the top legal talent in Washington, DC.

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In addition to these accolades, Wiley partner Amb. David A. Gross was awarded "Lawyer of the Year." Only one lawyer in each practice area and designated metropolitan area is honored as a "Lawyer of the Year."

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