

# Thomas G. Wilkinson Reviews Attorney Obligations in Presenting Client Claims

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In an article titled, "Attorneys Suspended Nine Months for Influencing Client's Story," Thomas G. Wilkinson, member in Cozen O'Connor's Commercial Litigation Department and co-chair of the Conflicts of Interest Subcommittee of the ABA Section of Litigation's Ethics and Professionalism Committee, examines a recent New York Appellate Division case in which two attorneys received nine-month suspensions after admitting to influencing their client's version of events. The case sends a strong message to other lawyers: ensure that a solid factual underpinning exists before taking on new cases, and do not manipulate the facts to create a legal basis for the case.

To read the full article, [click here](#).



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