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## Three Hertz Schram PC attorneys among the 'Best'

Howard Hertz, Walter Piszczatowski and Patricia Stamler of the Bloomfield Hills-based law firm Hertz Schram PC were selected for inclusion in the 15th edition of The Best Lawyers in America® 2009. The three partners were recognized as being among the best attorneys in their respective practice areas.

Hertz is a founding partner and one of Michigan's pre-eminent entertainment attorneys. Since 1976, he has represented numerous artists and entities in the entertainment field, including authors, screenwriters, recording artists, radio personalities, producers, production companies, record labels, agents, artist managers, music publishers, songwriters and athletes. Hertz graduated from Wayne State University with distinction and received his law degree from Wayne State University.

Piszczatowski is a highly experienced and well-known litigator, specializing in white collar criminal defense and forfeiture law in both state and federal court. He has a particular expertise in representing high profile individuals, including members

of the entertainment and sports industries in both criminal and civil matters. He is a graduate of Wayne State University Law School.

Stamler is a well-known civil rights attorney who specializes in employment matters, whistleblower claims, police and governmental misconduct, sexual abuse cases and special education. She is also involved in Hertz Schram's Commercial Litigation and Securities Practice Groups. Stamler is an alumnus of Michigan State University and Wayne State University Law School.

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Walter Piszczatowski