

Albany Attorney to Make National Impact Before Congress

Tully Rinckey PLLC Founding partner, Mathew B. Tully will appear before the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations of the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs. He has been invited by the Subcommittee to provide comment on the Veterans' Affairs Office of General Counsel.

Tully has a great deal of knowledge in dealing with the Department of Veterans' Affairs and its Office of General Counsel. Tully is a Major in the New York National Guard and is a Service-Disabled Veteran of the Iraq War. He also established his law firm, Tully Rinckey PLLC, in 2003, serving the legal needs of government employees in labor matters. Tully will testify on the ineffectual legal strategies currently conducted by the Veterans' Affairs Office of General Counsel that often prolong Veterans' Affairs employees' labor and employment claims. He will testify that this leads to increased legal costs for individual clients and greater stress on the legal system as a whole.

Mr. Tully expressed his gratitude in being invited to testify, "It is a great honor to be invited and to offer testimony to the Subcommittee on a subject that is very close to me, both personally and professionally." Tully has been asked to provide testimony previously. In October of 2007, he testified in front of the United States Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs regarding his criticism of and recommendations for changes to USERRA. He provided his expertise on the Act again to the Committee in February of 2008. This time, Tully will appear before the Subcommittee on Wednesday, June 30th.

The success of Tully's representation of military members and Federal Employees has allowed the firm to expand its Albany and Washington D.C. offices to accommodate added staff. The Albany expansion has allowed the firm to add 16 new attorneys and support staff. The firm will also add another 5,000 feet bringing the total size to 16,300 square feet covering two floors. The Washington D.C. offices, with primarily federal employment and military law, has recently added six new attorneys and doubled its office space at 1800 K Street, now occupying three separate offices in the building.

If you would like more information or would like to speak with Mr. Tully about the testimony, please call Shawn Smeltzer at 518-218-7100.

"Great Customer Service" – C.R.

"Great customer service, thoroughly explained all aspects of my case. Thank you." - C.R.

“Cannot Thank You Enough” – R.S. and C.S.

"I cannot thank you enough for all that you did for us." - R.S. and C.S.

“Great Service” – E.S.

I want to thank you all for the great service rendered [to] myself and family. - E.S. on Client Relations Attorney Derrick Hogan

Legal Disclaimer

The results of all client matters depend on a variety of factors unique to each matter. past successes do not predict or guarantee future successes.

“High Regard” – R.E.M.

“Your firm held my best interests with high regard... I thank you for your efforts.” - R.E.M.

“Prompt and Efficient” – K.B.

“Prompt and efficient in processing claim, all correspondence handled in prompt and efficient manner.” – K.B.

“Impressed” – W.W.

“As a retired heavy user of attorneys, I'm impressed with your concerns and your efforts to stay in touch with your clients. Its damned good management aligned with top notch expertise.” – W.W.

“Excellent Service” – J.R.

“Excellent service, very professional, and understanding and considerate of clients needs. Attorney was very approachable and there was a very good comfort level.” – J.R.

“Professional & Informative” – J.H.

“Professional & informative... I was pleased with the handling of the case. I was treated as a person, and kept abreast of all aspects of the case. Thank you all.” – J.H.

“Thanks So Much” – J.D.

“Without your Firm, I would not have known of my claim. Thanks so much!” – J.D.

“Gets Results” – F.P.

“Most certainly – The firm gets results!” – F.P.

“Quite Satisfied” – R.W.

“I am quite satisfied with the services your office has provided.” – R.W.

“Exceptional Legal Services” – A.S.

“Your firm, Tully Rinckey, has provided and continues to provide me with prompt, keen, exceptional legal services. After the initial consult, I felt relieved that I had the representation from Tully Rinckey... I have found a new found hope with Tully Rinckey...” – A.S.

“Absolute Best” – R.H.

“My attorney was the absolute best I could ever have hoped for. A pure professional in every sense of the word. She was very mindful of my financial expenditure and still was able to represent me very well in my court case.” – R.H.

“Outstanding Service” – A.R.

“Outstanding service, true professional.” – A.R.

“Top Notch” – V.W.

“My attorney was top notch. Very pleasant and helpful.” – V.W.

“Ideal Choice” – D.H.

“My attorney knew exactly the approach to take and was the ideal choice. She was extremely responsive. She was clear, balanced, and open to our views and feelings. She made it clear she was there for us and ready to answer questions.” – D.H.

“Very Satisfield” – D.D.

“I was very satisfied with the services provided which were completed in a very timely and professional manner.” – D.D.

“Excellent” – B.M.

“Your Firm provides excellent & free service to federal workers and NG/USAR members.” – B.M.