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*Best Lawyers* also recognized Brattleboro attorney Timothy E. Copeland, employment law – management, labor law – management, and litigation – labor and employment.

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Evan J. O'Brien in Burlington is included on the "Ones to Watch" list for commercial litigation.

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