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Nicole S. Howard Joins Farrell Fritz as Associate

Farrell Fritz, P.C. is pleased to announce that Nicole S. Howard has joined the firm as an associate in the corporate and real estate departments.

Most recently, Ms. Howard worked as a Student Legal Specialist in the NYC Law Office of Corporation Counsel (New York, NY). From June 2003 to May 2006, she was a Premium Auditor at American International Group (New York, NY), where she audited premiums of workers compensation, general liability and auto liability policies.

Ms. Howard earned her Juris Doctor degree in May 2007 from Fordham University School of Law. While at Fordham, she participated in a Community Development Clinic, for which she drafted by-laws, reviewed lease agreements and negotiated contractual agreements for a worker-owner restaurant. Ms. Howard was also a CAP Advocate for domestic violence clients, helping them obtain protective orders and assisting with court appearances. She served as an Unemployment Advocate (UAC) for clients at unemployment insurance hearings, assisting them in preparing and presenting arguments to a judge to obtain unemployment benefits. While in law school, Ms. Howard also participated in an International Securities and Immigration Law program in Beijing, China.

Ms. Howard received her B.S. in Economics, *magna cum laude*, from Hampton University (Hampton, VA).

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