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VERDICTS & SETTLEMENTS.....

Woman lost security clearance at job due to brain injury

\$1,900,000 Settlement

As plaintiff was stepping off an elevator into the marble foyer of her office building, she slipped on a recently mopped wet floor. There were no wet floor or other caution signs placed at that time. As a result of her

slip, plaintiff fell onto her left shoulder and head. She suffered a traumatic brain injury, which left her unable to work at her top-secret security clearance IT job.

The fall was captured on security video, which was a key piece of evidence in the case.

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Type of action: Personal injury - slip & fall

Injuries alleged: TBI and chronic neck pain

Court: Alexandria Circuit Court

Mediator: Johanna Fitzpatrick

Date resolved: April 10, 2015

Special damages: Medicals totaling \$68,000, future medical care expenses and life care needs, lost wages and loss of earning capacity

Demand: \$5,000,000

Offer: \$250,000

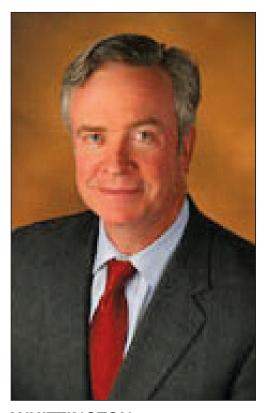
Verdict or settlement: Settlement

Amount: \$1,900,000

Attorney for plaintiff: John D. Whittington, Manassas

Plaintiff's experts: Ruben Cintron, neurologist; David Hebda, psychologist; Trudy Koslow, vocational rehab and life care planning; Colin Linsley, economist

Defendant's experts: Jonathan Amy, neurologist (record review only); Thomas Ryan, psychologist; Gray Broughton, vocational rehab; lan Wattenmaker, orthopedics



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