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**LEGAL ISSUES UPDATE**

An interesting issue of law presented itself in my office recently. A prospective client called and indicated to me that he was hurt at work when he was caused to slip and fall on steps and he wanted to know if he could sue for his injuries.

When you are hurt while at work, your medical bills and lost wages are covered by workers compensation insurance. It is important to file that claim as soon as possible so that you can receive the proper health care for your injury as soon as possible. If your injury was caused by the negligence of someone other than your employer you may also be able to bring a law suit to collect money for your injuries. It is very important to get both medical and legal advice as soon as possible after your accident. You should call an attorney as soon as possible after your accident to make sure that your legal rights are being protected and to be referred to the proper type of doctors to treat you for your injuries.

Of course, the specific facts of each case will affect the liability of the parties involved. Therefore, in each instance you should always call my office for a legal opinion so the specific facts can be considered.

I will continue to provide you with updates on legal issues which may affect you or someone you know. If you move please be sure to inform my office of your new address so that you can continue receiving our **LEGAL ISSUES UPDATE**. The success of my law practice depends upon keeping my clients satisfied and informed of their legal rights. If you would like a specific legal issue addressed in a future **LEGAL ISSUES UPDATE** please forward your written questions to me and I will attempt to address that issue.

Of course, please remember that if I can ever be of assistance to either you, or someone you know who has suffered injuries from any type of accident or medical malpractice please feel free to call me. I greatly appreciate the opportunity to help you and yours with your personal injury claims. Your referrals are very important to me and will be handled with personal attention. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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