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LISS & MARION DOUBLES CASH FOR CLIENT

John was injured in a car crash. John testified that he had a green light and the other driver ran a red light. The other motorist testified that he also had the green light and blamed John for the collision. There were no witnesses.

Liss & Marion subpoenaed the defendant driver's cell phone records and proved that he had been using his cell phone when the crash occurred. By proving the defendant's recklessness while driving distracted, Liss & Marion successfully argued that John was entitled to recover punitive damages in addition to compensation for injuries. It enabled John to recover more money than he otherwise would have obtained for his injuries alone.

Distracted driving is a dangerous epidemic on our highways. Any activity that takes a driver's attention off the road for more than two seconds doubles the risk of a crash. Some distractions are far more risky. For example, studies indicate that texting while driving raises the driver's crash risk by 23 times. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), each day in the U.S., more than 1,150 people are seriously injured in crashes involving a distracted driver. The CDC estimates that in 2014 alone, at least 3,179 people were killed and more than 431,000 were injured as the result of distracted drivers.

In order to avoid tragedy, please turn off or silence your cell phones while driving. Try storing them away in your car. There is very rarely any text message or phone call that is so important that it cannot wait a few minutes for you to pull off the road or reach your destination before responding.

Recently, Ricky Liss participated in high school assemblies and educated students about these driving risks. Feel free to speak with the attorneys at Liss & Marion if you, your community group and/or local school would like us to present or sponsor a program to increase awareness and prevent distracted driving. For further information, visit www.distraction.gov.