

# BigLaw Partner Files \$20M Suit Claiming Rape By Bartender

*The ABA Journal* reports that a partner at a large international law firm in Houston has filed a \$20 million suit claiming a bartender at Brennan's of Houston spiked her drink with a drug and later raped her at her home.

The woman and her law firm are not identified in the lawsuit, according to the *Journal's* **Debra Cassens Weiss**. The suit names the bartender, Sean Kerrigan, and a restaurant manager who accompanied Kerrigan to the plaintiff's home.

Kerrigan was criminally charged in July with raping the plaintiff and another woman in a later assault, but he died in November.

The plaintiff is in treatment for post-traumatic stress disorder, according to the lawsuit.

**Read the *ABA Journal* article.**