

# **SDV Hires Stacy Manobianca and Jeanne Crandall**

Stacy Manobianca and Jeanne Crandall have joined Saxe Doernberger & Vita, P.C. as of counsel attorneys in the Northeast and Southeast offices, respectively.

In a release, the firm said Stacy is experienced in litigation, including depositions and motion practice as well as settlement negotiations, mediations and arbitrations, trials and appellate practice. In addition to representing builders and condominium associations in multi-faceted construction defect litigation, she has also represented manufacturers of automobiles and consumer products in complex product liability and personal injury suits involving catastrophic injuries, including traumatic brain and severe burn injuries, and wrongful death. Most recently, Manobianca worked for a major insurer as a senior complex analyst analyzing coverage, liability and damages in professional liability healthcare claims.

The firm said Crandall has experience as lead trial and appellate counsel in highly complex commercial, insurance defense, securities and antitrust litigation in federal and state courts in multiple jurisdictions. She was the first female partner at a well known Dallas firm, and her career includes 20 years at a firm she founded. There, she successfully resolved hundreds of litigation matters as outside counsel for the Resolution Trust Corporation (RTC) and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). Most recently, she was national counsel for a major insurer in professional liability cases against real estate appraisers.