

## NEWS

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### **Brian D. Bixby Appointed Chair of the Taxation Law Section Council of the MA Bar Association**

**Boston, MA** – Burns & Levinson LLP, a Boston-based leading law firm with offices in Massachusetts and Rhode Island, announces that **Brian D. Bixby** has been appointed by the **Massachusetts Bar Association (MBA)** as **Chair of the Taxation Law Section Council** for the 2007 – 2008 Bar Year. It is through the work of Section Councils that the MBA manages the substantive issues and proposals that affect the practice of law across the Commonwealth.

Mr. Bixby co-chairs the Firm's Private Clients Group, chairs the Probate & Trust Litigation Group, and is a member of the Divorce & Family Law and Trusts & Estates Groups. He concentrates his practice on all aspects of estate planning; fiduciary administration; probate court litigation, family law, and representation of trustees, executors, and beneficiaries. Mr. Bixby has been involved with the Inn of Court for many years, where he previously served on the Board of Directors. Brian Bixby received a J.D. from Northeastern University School of Law in 1977 and an A.B. from Brown University in 1974. He currently resides in Cohasset, MA.

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