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Westborough attorney appointed chair of Massachusetts Bar Association's Health Law Section

Westborough attorney George M. Thompson Jr. has been appointed by Massachusetts Bar Association President Valerie A. Yarashus as chair of the association's Business Law Section, for the 2009-10 year. His appointment began Sept. 1.

The MBA's Health Law Section is designed to improve the professional competence of attorneys dealing with health care issues through seminars and publications. It strives to bring together all members interested in the practice and delivery of health care.

Thompson practices at Sager & Schaffer LLP in Westborough. A Westborough resident, he is a member and former chairman of the Westborough Board of Selectmen and served on the Westborough School Committee from 2000 to 2006. Thompson is an adjunct professor of insurance law at Southern New England School of Law in Dartmouth and is currently on the Advisory Board of Health Law Advocates.

The MBA's 17 sections and Young Lawyers Division provide lawyers with up-to-date information on specific areas of law, monitor law-related legislation, sponsor professional education programs and provide information on the law for the general public.

Incorporated in 1911, the Massachusetts Bar Association is a non-profit organization that serves the legal profession and the public by promoting the administration of justice, legal education, professional excellence and respect for the law. The MBA represents a diverse group of attorneys, judges and legal professionals across the commonwealth.