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Services: Expert Witness Services Specializing in Slips, Trips, and Falls., Case Evaluation Including: Walkways, Ramps, Curbs, Parking Lots, Sidewalks, Floor Matting, and Footwear.

Profile: Internationally recognized as a leading expert specializing in slip, trip and fall accidents. Founder and President of the National Floor Safety Institute (NFSI).

Professional Experience: Over 20 years of experience researching the causes and developing solutions to prevent slips, trips and falls. Has served as an expert witness in over 400 slip, trip and fall cases.

Professional Affiliations:

- Founder and President of the National Floor Safety Institute (NFSI) www.nfsi.org
- Member, National Safety Council and Former Member of the Board of Delegates
- Secretary of the ANSI B101 Committee on "Safety Requirements for Slip, Trip and Fall Prevention"
- Member of six ASTM committees including: D-21 Committee on Floor Finishes, C-21 Committee on Ceramic Tile, F-13 Committee on Safety and Traction for Footwear, F-6 Committee on Resilient Floor Coverings, F-58 Committee on Forensic Science, and F15 Committee on Consumer Products
- Member of the International Code Council (ICC)
- Member of the American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE)
- Member of the American Association of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)
- Member of the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE)

Publications:

- "*Falls Aren't Funny*" (2010, Rowman & Littlefield)
- "*Slip and Fall Prevention Made Easy*", (1999 Government Institutes, Inc.)
- A.M. Best's Safety Directory 1997-Present, "OSHA Self-Inspection Checklist: Walking & Working Surfaces"
- Past Columnist, Professional Retail Store Maintenance Magazine (PRSM)
- Contributing Author of numerous trade periodicals including Chain Store Age, Occupational Health and Safety, ISSA Today, Texas Lawyer and various industry newsletters
- Featured in numerous newspaper and magazine articles including: *The New York Times* and *The Wall Street Journal*
- Interviewed for numerous radio and television broadcasts including: "Good Morning America, ABC News Inside Edition, and PBS".

Cases: Represents both Plaintiff's and Defendant's. An updated list of past cases is available upon request.