

## Warshaw Burstein Partner Eric Wrubel to Address Court Personnel about Landmark Family Law Case

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Warshaw Burstein, LLP partner Eric Wrubel will speak at a family law conference on May 21 about the landmark family case he litigated, *Brooke S.B. v. Elizabeth A.C.C.* 

Wrubel, chair of the firm's Family and Matrimonial Group, will speak at *The Attorney for the Child Conference – NYC* at New York Law School. His talk will be at a breakout session – "The Evolution of Parenthood: Brooke S.B. and Beyond."

The event is being presented by the Office of Court Administration in collaboration with the Appellate Division, First, Second, Third and Fourth Departments.

Wrubel was lead appellate counsel for the Attorney for the Child in the seminal case at New York's highest court, the Court of Appeals. Wrubel convinced the Court to overrule two of its prior decisions which limited the definition of a "parent" in New York to an individual related to a child biologically or through adoption.

He successfully argued to the New York Court of Appeals that the definition of "parent" in New York be expanded so that non-biological, non-adoptive individuals who are parents would have a pathway to securing their custodial rights.

For more information about the Brooke S.B. case, go to: https://bit.ly/2k9gPsK

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