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PLDW Attorney Thomas R. Gonnella Releases Advisory on Rhode Island’s Mechanic’s Lien Law and the “200 Day Time Limit”

Providence, RI – August 19, 2014 – Pannone Lopes Devereaux & West LLC ([PLDW](#)) attorney Thomas R. Gonnella released an advisory on Rhode Island’s Mechanic’s Lien Law that describes when the 200 day time limit kicks in for contractors to record liens. The advisory, entitled [Lien Rights in Rhode Island: When 200 Days Isn’t Really 200 Days](#), advises contractors about the possible pitfalls associated with tracking the law’s strict 200-day timeframe for the filing of a mechanic’s lien.

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