

FEATURED VERDICT

Motor Vehicle

Vehicular accident caused fatal whiplash, lawsuit alleged

Verdict \$13,500,000

Actual \$10,018,343

Estate of DiCiervo v. Brooklyn Bottling Corp

Queens County Supreme Court

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