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Dalton Receives Endorsement from North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers

RALEIGH- State Senator Walter Dalton, Democratic Candidate for Lieutenant Governor, received the backing of the North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers this week. The North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers is a nonprofit, nonpartisan association dedicated to protecting people's rights through professional and community legal education, championing individual rights, and protecting the safety of North Carolina's families in the workplace, in the home, and in the environment.

"It is a great honor to receive the backing of the North Carolina Academy of Trial Lawyers," Dalton said. "As a long time member of the organization, I understand the Academy's goals and mission of protecting our rights through our justice system. I have worked with the NCATL and towards these goals as a state senator and look forward to a continued relationship as Lieutenant Governor."

The Academy, which has nearly 4,000 members in North Carolina, provides vital services to its members such as legislative briefings and a legal journal. NCATL also has a legislative agenda with the goal of protecting "the civil justice system and the rights of those accused of crimes." Its community outreach includes educating the public about the importance preserving the current justice system in North Carolina.

"Walter Dalton has been a great friend of the Academy and we are proud to support him in his campaign for Lieutenant Governor," Academy CEO Richard M. Taylor, Jr. said. "Walter has shown leadership on the issues important to us both as a state senator and an attorney. He has the knowledge, experience, and leadership to make North Carolina a great place for all of our citizens."

Dalton, who currently co-chairs the appropriations committee in the senate, is an attorney at the firm of Dalton and Miller in Rutherfordton. He is currently serving his sixth term in the state state. For more information about Dalton or his campaign, please visit www.WalterDalton.org.

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