

Naulty, Scaricamazza & Mc Devitt, LLC was successful in obtaining a judgment of no cause for an action in a jury trial involving a casino in Atlantic City. The matter involved a plaintiff who claimed that a door had fallen on him causing permanent back injuries. We were successful in convincing the jury that the accident did not happen in the manner described by the plaintiff and that the door had, in fact, never struck the plaintiff. The case was litigated by Francis T. McDevitt, our Managing Partner in the New Jersey Office.

Our firm completed a jury trial in Burlington County involving allegations of significant personal injury, including brain injury, to a woman who was in her early 40's at the time of trial. The case involved an automobile accident in which the defendant was a police officer who was on duty and responding to another auto accident, with his lights and sirens on, while going through an intersection against a red light. Plaintiff asserted that the officer did not follow procedures in responding to the other accident by using lights and sirens and by traveling through the intersection on a red light. Plaintiff asserted that the other accident was a minor accident and did not warrant the action taken by the officer. The jury found that the plaintiff was 60% responsible for the cause of the accident, resulting in a judgment of no cause for action. The case presented a complicated damages issue which was never reached as plaintiff was permanently disabled and had been involved in a prior auto accident. Medical experts expressed differing opinions about whether her permanent disability was related to the first or second accident. Francis T. McDevitt, the Managing Partner of our New Jersey Office handled this matter.