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### **Thomas Long Serves as Bond Counsel in \$15 Million Financing**

**HARRISBURG, Pa.** — *April 30, 2009* — Thomas, Long, Niesen & Kennard is pleased to announce the firm's recent closing, as bond counsel, for the Shippensburg Borough Authority's (Cumberland and Franklin Counties) \$15,000,000 water project financing. Proceeds from the issuance of the \$15,000,000 Guaranteed Water Revenue Notes, Series of 2009, will be used to provide long-term and interim financing for improvements to the Authority's water system, as well as to retire existing, outstanding debt of the Authority.

[Robert H. Long, Jr.](#), Senior Municipal Bond Attorney and leader of the firm's Public and Municipal Finance Practice Group, and [Charles E. Thomas, III](#) led the Thomas Long team in preparing and concluding the transaction, which closed on March 30, 2009.

#### ***About Thomas Long***

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