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**CHAMBERS GLOBAL RANKS THREE CROWELL & MORING ATTORNEYS AND FOUR PRACTICE AREAS AS AMONG BEST IN CLASS**

**Washington, D.C. – December 20, 2007:** Crowell & Moring LLP is pleased to announce that three of its attorneys have been named to the 2008 Chambers Global: The World's Leading Lawyers guide. The prestigious rankings are driven by independent interviews of clients and members of the legal community at outside law firms.

This year the firm has three attorneys ranked, including Robert M. MacLean, Kristof Roox , and Jeffrey L. Snyder (with special mentions of Dana C. Contratto and Brian K. Peck) and had four practice areas ranked.

In the category for best practices and attorneys, Chambers Global listed the following rankings:

**Belgium**

- Intellectual Property (Rank 3)  
    Kristof Roox (Rank 2)
- International Trade/WTO (Rank 4)  
    Robert M. MacLean (Rank 3)

**United States of America**

- Energy: Electricity (Firm Rank 4)  
    Dana C. Contratto was mentioned in the Chambers editorial write-up for the USA Energy: Electricity section.
- International Trade/WTO (Firm Rank 4)  
    Brian K. Peck was mentioned in the Chambers editorial write-up for the USA International Trade/WTO section.
- International Trade: Export Controls & Economic Sanctions  
    Jeffrey L Snyder (Rank 1)

View all the rankings online at:

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