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CHAMBERS USA RANKS 53 CROWELL & MORING ATTORNEYS AND 20 LEADING PRACTICE AREAS AMONG BEST IN U.S.

Washington, D.C. – May 19, 2015: Crowell & Moring LLP is pleased to announce that it has secured 64 attorney rankings for 53 individual attorneys in the *2015 Chambers USA: America's Leading Lawyers for Business* guide. The prestigious rankings are driven by independent interviews of clients and members of the legal community at peer firms.

Highlights also include the ranking of 20 Crowell & Moring practice areas in categories spanning the litigation, regulatory, and transactional capabilities of the firm across six U.S. offices.

In the **Nationwide category** for best practices and attorneys, *Chambers USA* listed the following rankings:

Advertising: Litigation

- Partner Christopher A. Cole (Band 2)

Antitrust

- Partner Wm. Randolph Smith (Band 3)

Climate Change (Band 3)

- Partner Chet M. Thompson (Band 3)

Energy: Electricity (Regulatory & Litigation) (Band 4)

- Partner Larry F. Eisenstat (Band 1)
- Partner Richard Lehfeldt (Band 4)

Energy: Oil & Gas (Regulatory & Litigation)

- Partner Jennifer N. Waters (Band 5)

Environment (Band 3)

Government: Government Contracts (Band 1)

- Partner Angela B. Styles (Band 3)
- Partner Daniel R. Forman (Band 4)
- Partner David Bodenheimer (Band 3)
- Partner Peter Eyre (Band 4)
- Partner Terry Albertson (Band 1)
- Partner Thomas P. Humphrey (Band 2)

Government: Government Contracts: Bid Protests

- Partner Thomas P. Humphrey (Spotlight Table)

Government: Government Contracts: Costs Disputes

- Partner Terry Albertson (Spotlight Table)

Healthcare: Regulatory & Litigation (Band 4)

- Partner Arthur N. Lerner (Band 2)
- Partner John T. Brennan Jr. (Band 1)

Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Insurer (Band 3)

- Partner Clifford B. Hendler (Band 3)
- Partner Paul W. Kalish (Band 2)
- Partner Mark Plevin (Band 3)

International Trade (Band 4)

International Trade: Customs

- Partner John B. Brew (Band 2)

International Trade: Export Controls & Economic Sanctions

- Partner Jeffrey L. Snyder (Band 2)

Litigation: E-Discovery

- Partner Jeane A. Thomas (Band 2)

Tax: Controversy

- Partner Harold J. Heltzer (Band 4)

Transportation: Aviation: Regulatory (Band 1)

- Partner Gerald F. Murphy (Band 2)
- Associate Steven Seiden (Associates to Watch)

Transportation: Aviation: Finance

- Eileen Gleimer (Band 3)

In the **Alaska category** for best practices and attorneys, Chambers USA listed the following rankings:

Environment, Natural Resources & Regulatory Industries (Band 2)

- Counsel Jonathan Katchen (Band Up & Coming)
- Partner Kyle Parker (Band 2)

In the **California category** for best practices and attorneys, Chambers USA listed the following rankings:

Antitrust

- Partner Daniel A. Sasse (Up & Coming)

Bankruptcy/Restructuring

- Partner Mark Plevin (Band 2)

Healthcare

- Partner Kevin Kroeker (Band 4)
- Partner William A. Helvestine (Band 1)

Insurance: Insurer

- Partner Mark D. Plevin (Band 3)

Litigation: General Commercial (Band 5)

- Partner Douglas W. Sullivan (Band 5)
- Partner Gregory D. Call (Band 4)
- Senior Counsel Michael A. Kahn (Band 5)

Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations (Band 2)

- Partner Janet Levine (Band 1)
- Partner Jeffrey H. Rutherford (Band 3)

In the **District of Columbia category** for best practices and attorneys, Chambers USA listed the following rankings:

Antitrust (Band 4)

- Partner Kent A. Gardiner (Band 4)
- Partner Wm. Randolph Smith (Band 2)

Bankruptcy/Restructuring (Band 3)

- Partner Monique D. Almy (Band 4)

Corporate/M&A & Private Equity (Band 3)

- Partner James R. Stuart III (Band 3)
- Partner Mitchell L. Rabinowitz (Band 2)

- Partner Samuel E. Feigin (Band 4)

Environment (Band 2)

- Partner Chet M. Thompson (Band 3)
- Senior Counsel David E. Menotti (Senior Statesmen)
- Partner Kirsten L. Nathanson (Band 5)
- Partner Richard E. Schwartz (Band 3)

Healthcare (Band 2)

- Partner Arthur N. Lerner (Band 1)
- Partner John T. Brennan Jr (Band 1)

Insurance: Insurer (Band 1)

- Partner Clifford B. Hendler (Band 2)
- Partner Deirdre G. Johnson (Recognised Practitioner)
- Partner Paul W. Kalish (Band 2)
- Partner William C. O'Neill (Band 4)

Intellectual Property: Litigation (Band 3)

- Partner Jeffrey D. Sanok (Band 4)
- Partner Mark Supko (Band 3)

Litigation: General Commercial (Band 4)

- Partner Kathleen Taylor Sooy (Band 2)

Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations (Band 3)

- Partner Philip T. Inglima (Band 2)
- Partner Thomas A. Hanusik (Band 4)
- Partner Richard Beizer (Band 5)

Tax

- Partner Harold J. Heltzer (Band 3)

In the **New York category** for best practices and attorneys, Chambers USA listed the following rankings:

Antitrust

- Counsel Olivier N. Antoine (Band 5)

Environment: Mainly Transactional

- Partner Jeffrey A. Smith (Band 1)

Insurance: Dispute Resolution: Insurer

- Partner Harry P. Cohen (Band 3)

Litigation: White-Collar Crime & Government Investigations

- Partner Daniel L. Zelenko (Band 4)

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