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White Named to Board of International Senior Lawyers Project (ISLP).

Cleveland, OH – November 5, 2008 – International Senior Lawyers Project (ISLP) announced that Craig Owen White has been elected to the organization's Board of Directors. Mr. White is a Partner with the Cleveland law firm of Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP.

ISLP, a 501(c)(3) organization, was incorporated in March 2000 to create a vehicle through which senior lawyers could use their skills and expertise to promote the rule of law and human rights globally.

Mr. White is a partner with the Firm, his practice focuses on publicly-traded corporations and high-growth, privately-owned concerns. An experienced transaction lawyer, Craig's practice include serving as the U.S. corporate counsel for an international sports equipment manufacturer and the primary corporate counsel and director for a national food manufacturing and packaging company. His practice experience includes a wide array of financial and strategic transactions including the formation of cross-border strategic alliances; purchase and sale of stock; assets and lines of businesses; structuring joint ventures; negotiating senior executive compensation and separation arrangements; licensing of intellectual property; and representing borrowers in commercial lending transactions.

For the past two years, Mr. White has volunteered with ISLP's Commercial Law Training Program in South Africa, spending two weeks paired with African lawyers to co-teach various topics in commercial law to local lawyers who have historically been denied the opportunity to participate or grow in this practice area. As well, Mr. White participated in March in a three-day conference in Johannesburg, South Africa whose goal was to examine the barriers confronted by black lawyers to active participation in the commercial law practice of their country.

Stephen J. Knerly, Jr. CEO and Managing Partner of the Firm stated, "We are extremely pleased that Craig will be joining the ISLP Board of Directors. I am confident that he will make lasting contributions to the furtherance of the rule of law in developing countries served by ISLP."

Mr. White earned his J.D. from the University of Virginia in 1983 and his B.A. from Williams College in 1979. He is also a Thomas J. Watson Foundation fellow. He is a frequent author and speaker on the topics of Corporate Governance and Business Law. He was born in Cleveland and currently resides in Russell Township with his wife and son.

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