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Hahn Loeser Attorneys Recognized as Florida Legal Elite

July 14, 2010 — Southwest Florida — Jeanne L. Seewald and Theodore L. Tripp, Jr. of Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP have been recognized in *Florida Trend's* list of 2010 Florida Legal Elite. *Florida Trend* asked lawyers in Florida to name attorneys they hold in the highest regard or would recommend to others. The 2010 list of Florida Legal Elite represents only 1.8% of the approximately 64,000 active Florida Bar members.

Jeanne L. Seewald

Ms. Seewald is partner-in-charge of Hahn Loeser's Southwest Florida offices and co-chair of the firm's Corporate Transactions Group. She is experienced in the areas of general business and corporate transactions, mergers and acquisitions, and intellectual property. She is board certified by The Florida Bar as a specialist in Intellectual Property Law and recently was appointed as a member of The Florida Bar Intellectual Property Law Certification Committee. Ms. Seewald was named to the 2010 edition of *The Best Lawyers in America*[®] and to the 2010 list of *Florida Super Lawyers*. Ms. Seewald serves on the board of directors of the Greater Naples Chamber of Commerce, and as treasurer of the board of directors of the Collier County Bar Association. She earned her J.D., with honors, from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock School of Law in 1992, an MBA from the University of Central Arkansas in 1984, and her B.A. from Hendrix College in 1980.

Theodore L. Tripp, Jr.

Theodore L. Tripp, Jr. has been board certified by The Florida Bar as a specialist in Civil Trial Law for 24 years, and as a specialist in Commercial Litigation for the past 13 years. Mr. Tripp was recently elected as a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation and named to the 2010 edition of *The Best Lawyers in America*[®] in the categories of Bet-the-Company and Commercial Litigation. He was also named to the 2010 list of *Florida Super Lawyers*. Mr. Tripp is certified by the Florida Supreme Court as a Circuit Court Civil Mediator and is a Mediator in the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. He also was recently appointed as a member of the Grievance Committee for the Fort Myers Division of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. He earned both his J.D., *magna cum laude*, in 1976 and his B.S. in 1972 from Florida State University.

This year marks the 90th anniversary of Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP. Established in 1920, Hahn Loeser is a full-service law firm of more than 125 attorneys with offices in Cleveland, Columbus, and Akron, Ohio; Naples and Fort Myers, Florida; and Indianapolis, Indiana. More information on the firm, and our 90th anniversary, can be found at www.hahnlaw.com.

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