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Press Pieces & Other Publicity

Ambassador Charlene Barshefsky was quoted in a *Washington Post* article regarding the Chinese government's management of the SARS crisis in China ("In Crisis, China Turns to a Familiar Face; Woman Who Calmed Panic After Tiananmen Square Crackdown to Lead SARS Efforts," May 6, 2003, page A17).

Brandon Becker was quoted in a *Wall Street Journal* article regarding Wall Street's system of self-regulation ("Does Wall Street Need More Oversight?" May 7, 2003).

Lloyd Cutler was noted in a Chicago *Tribune* article regarding his participation in a bipartisan Department of Energy task force that identified the Russian nuclear stockpile as the most urgent national security threat to the United States ("Calming Russia's Nuclear Insecurity," May 4, 2003). Lloyd also was mentioned in a Washington Post article regarding his 1993 op-ed commentary in favor of the Senate Rules Committee approving an amendment to the filibuster rule ("Filibusters: Whose Rule, and Whose to Change?" May 9, 2003, page A13).

Eva Heffernan was mentioned in an *IFLR Week* article regarding her move to **WCP**'s London office ("Wilmer Cutler Poaches Merrill Lynch European Counsel," May 5, 2003).

Michael Klein was quoted in a *San Francisco Chronicle* article regarding the Perini Corporation's offer to buy back 90 percent of its 1 million shares of preferred stock ("Preferred Shares' Flip Side," May 4, 2003).

Doug Melamed was mentioned in a *Legal Times* article regarding the firm's representation of Rambus in its antitrust administrative trial with the Federal Trade Commission ("FTC Opens Huge Trial of Chip Designer," May 5, 2003, page 1).

Seth Waxman and Roger Witten

were quoted in a *US Newswire* article regarding a decision by a three-judge District Court panel that upheld major portions of the Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act (BCRA) ("Democracy 21: Court Decision on Constitutionality of New Campaign Finance Law Upholds Important Portions of Law," May 2, 2003). **Seth** also was quoted in a *Roll Call* article regarding BCRA ("CFR Ruling 'Guts' Portions of Law," May 5, 2003).

WCP was mentioned in a *Denver Post* article regarding its probe that some Qwest executives might have broken the company's code of conduct by inadvertently supervising aspects of Qwest's business with the suppliers in which they had invested ("SEC Probes Ex-Qwest Execs' Deals," May 2, 2003).

WCP was mentioned in a *Daily Deal* article as being an "antitrust specialist" retained by Rambus, Inc. in its case against the Federal Trade Commission ("Tech Lawsuit," May 7, 2003).

Speeches, Panels & Presentations

WCP's Berlin office, in cooperation with Humboldt Universität zu Berlin and FZU, will host an annual International Business Trade Law Conference in Berlin on May 14, 2003.

Articles, Books & Newsletters

David Capps wrote an article for the Financial Times regarding proposals by the UK's Financial Services Authority to tackle conflicts of interest in investment research ("Research Plans Have Far-Reaching Implications," May 5-11, 2003, Issue 357, page 7).

Simon Firth wrote an article for the International Financial Law Review regarding the UK's Financial Services Authority's shelved plans to allow the sale of hedge funds to retail investors ("Has the UK Missed a Hedge Fund Bonanza?" May 2003, page 18).