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## **Press Pieces & Other Publicity**

Ambassador Charlene
Barshefsky was quoted in a
Congress Daily article concerning
trade and economic ties with the
Middle East ("Barshefsky Says Bush
Policy Is Neglecting Middle East,"
February 7, 2003).

**Brandon Becker** was quoted in a *Securities Industry News* article regarding a Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board filing ("MSRB Draws Fire: But SEC Defends Group's Filing for Trade-Halt Power," February 10, 2003).

Matt Chambers was mentioned in an *Investment Advisor Week* article regarding a letter submitted on behalf of Biotechnology Industry Organization ("Industry Comments on R&D Proposal," February 3, 2003, page 4).

Lloyd Cutler was mentioned in a U.S. Newswire article regarding The Concord Coalition ("Concord Coalition Leaders Pose Question: 'Are We Cutting Taxes or Just Raising Them on Our Kids?'," February 2, 2003). Lloyd also was mentioned in several articles regarding an oversight board that is being set up to monitor a Pentagon anti-terrorist technology experiment, including articles in the Wall Street Journal ("Oversight Boards to Monitor Pentagon Anti-Terrorism Project," February 7, 2003), the Boston Globe ("To Ease Defense Plan Criticism, Pentagon Names Panels to Monitor Eavesdropping," February 8, 2003), the San Diego Union-Tribune ("Two Oversight Boards to Monitor Pentagon Technology Project," February 8, 2003), the Washington Times ("Two Panels to Monitor Pentagon Spy Project," February 8, 2003), and the New York Times ("Pentagon Forms Two Panels to Allay Fears on Spying," February 8, 2003).

Denise Esposito, Brent Gurney, Amy Kreiger, and Howard Shapiro were noted in a National Law Journal article highlighting the firm's representation of IGEN International Inc. v. Roche Diagnostics GmbH ("Largest 100 Verdicts of 2002," February 3, 2003, page C2).

Leon Greenfield, Franca Harris Gutierrez, Ron Meltzer, and Karen Mincavage's election to partner was noted in a *Legal Times* article ("Newest Partners at DC, Northern Virginia, and Suburban Maryland Offices," February 3, 2003, page 39).

Satish Kini was quoted in several articles regarding the U.S. Patriot Act. Articles appeared in the *Financial Times* ("Fears Over U.S. Plans to Extend Anti-Terror Rules to Hedge Funds," February 11, 2003) and the *National Post* ("Treasury Targets Hedge Funds: Anti-Terror Measure: Managers Balk as Proposal Threatens Client Confidentiality," February 11, 2003).

Yoon-Young Lee was quoted in an *Investment News* article concerning proposed regulations to stamp out conflicts of interest among financial advisors ("Analyst Conflict Regs May Hit Advisors, Too: FPA, Some Securities Lawyers Sounding Alarm," January 27, 2003).

Ed DuMont was quoted in an American Lawyer Media article regarding new lodging rules ("Lodgings Find Cold Home At High Court," February 10, 2003).

Bill McLucas was noted in a Wall Street Journal article regarding an upcoming report by a Special Investigative Committee of the WorldCom Board ("WorldCom Inquiry's Brevity May Limit Its Effectiveness," January 29, 2003).

Bill also was quoted in a Financial News article regarding the way that the EC formulates financial services ("Lamfalussy Proposes Law Forum for US and Europe," February 2, 2003).

David Medine was quoted in an American Banker article regarding the proposed implementation of Federal Trade Commission's new rules governing the data protection practices of many nonbanks ("Old Nonbank Edge Blunted As Regulators Reach Farther," February 7, 2003).

## WILMER, CUTLER & PICKERING

**Steve Sachs** was mentioned in a *Baltimore Sun* article regarding his representation of the state ethics commission in the case against lobbyist Gerard E. Evans ("Outside Counsel Ok'd in Case Against Lobbyist; Ethics Panel Wants to Hire Ex-Attorney General Sachs," January 30, 2003).

**Knute Salhus'** arrival at **WCP** was noted in the *National Law Journal* ("Lateral Hires," January 27, 2003, page 16).

Chuck Stark was recently quoted in several articles regarding the impact of European antitrust laws on Microsoft. Articles appeared in the *Washington Post* ("In Europe, Microsoft Faces a Harder Sell; Antitrust Law Tougher Than the U.S.," February 8, 2003) and *Newsbytes News Network* ("In Europe, Microsoft Faces a Harder Sell," February 8, 2003).

**Seth Waxman** was mentioned in several articles regarding a New Jersey case restricting media access to jurors after trial. Articles appeared in the New Jersey Law Journal ("U.S. Supreme Court Asked to Review Juror-Access Limits," February 5, 2003), the Palm Beach Daily Business Review ("U.S. Supreme Court Asked to Review Juror-Access Limits," February 6, 2003), and the Broward Daily Business Review ("U.S. Supreme Court Asked to Review Juror-Access Limits," February 6, 2003). Seth also was mentioned in several articles regarding the nomination of Miguel Estrada to the U.S. Court of Appeals, including articles in the Orlando Sentinel ("GOP Clears Way for Hispanic Conservative as U.S. Judge; Senate Democrats Failed to Knock Miguel Estrada Off the Path to Appeals Court," January 31, 2003), Chicago Tribune ("Extreme Opposition," February 10, 2003), and the Los Angeles Times ("Senate Panel Endorses Estrada for Court of Appeals Judge," January 31, 2003).

Tom White was quoted in a Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung article regarding the Sarbanes-Oxley Act's impact on foreign companies ("London Tries to Lure Companies Away From New York" or "London will Unternehmen von New York weglocken," January 24, 2003, page 23).

Tom also was quoted in a Legal Times article concerning new rules governing attorneys who advise public companies, being proposed by the Securities and Exchange Commission

("SEC Signals Lawyers Still in Crosshairs," January 28, 2003).

**WCP** was mentioned in a *Legal Times* article regarding new partners in Washington, D.C. ("It's Not the Economy," February 3, 2003).

**WCP** was mentioned in a *Legal Times* feature regarding the Electronic Privacy Information Center, or EPIC ("Trying to Open Up the Homeland," February 3, 2003).

WCP was mentioned in a *Denver Post* article regarding an investigation it conducted at Qwest ("Qwest Probed Gifts to Execs Suppliers' Stock Raised Questions," February 7, 2003).

**WCP** was mentioned in an *AP Press Newswire* article regarding the Powers Report ("Powers Report Endures a Year Later," February 9, 2003).

Speeches, Panels, & Presentations

Ambassador Charlene Barshefsky was a participant at the Center for Strategic and International Studies panel discussion, "US Trade Policy," on February 7, 2003.

Glynn Key co-chaired an Early Stage Capital Forum at the Ronald Reagan Center on February 7. The Forum was attended by over 250 business representatives including private equity firms from the Washington area, Delaware, Philadelphia, New York, North Carolina, Colorado, and Massachusetts. Jay Watkins also was a featured speaker at the Conference that included panel discussions on current market issues and presentations by ten emerging technology companies seeking early stage funding.

Tom White hosted a seminar for the Washington Metropolitan Area Corporate Counsel Association on "Understanding the New SEC Attorney Responsibility Rules" at WCP's Tysons Corner office on February 6, 2003.

Atricles, Books & Newsletters

WCP's Securities Group issued an *Investment Company and Investment Advisers Act Development* newsletter on February 12, 2003, entitled "SEC Adpots Proxy Voting Rules."

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