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ALUMNI PUBLICITY

WCP Alums, **Doug Melamed**, **Dan Marcus**, and **Randy Moss** now occupy three of the most senior positions at the Department of Justice. Doug is Acting Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division; Dan is Acting Associate Attorney General; and Randy is Assistant Attorney General in the Office of the Legal Counsel.

WCP Alum **Peggy Delinois** was spotlighted in a *National Law Journal Corporate Brief* article, "Lending Money Where It's Needed" (October 9, 2000). Peggy is General Counsel and Deposit Manager at City First Bank, a community development bank opened in November 1998.

PRESS PIECES & OTHER PUBLICITY

WCP was mentioned in both *The American Lawyer* and *Corporate Counsel* in connection with serving as outside counsel for Time Warner in AOL's acquisition of that company ("Inside Track -- Top Ten U.S. Deals -- First Six Months of 2000," *Corporate Counsel*, October issue, p. 22; "Mid-Term M&A Report," *The American Lawyer*, September issue, p. 26). *The American Lawyer* also mentioned WCP in connection with our representation of Network Solutions ("Who Represents the Hot Growth 100," September issue, p. 119).

David Johnson was quoted in a *Washington Business Journal* article on the launch of LawCommerce.com, a new B2B site ("LawCommerce.com Aims at Firms' Buying Power," September 15, 2000, p. 52).

Boyden Gray and **Steve Hut** were mentioned in *Legal Times'* "Inadmissible" column as being authors of an *amicus curiae* brief filed with the Supreme Court by former President Bush in defense of the Americans With Disabilities Act (September 18, 2000, p. 4).

Dan Phythyon was quoted in a *Legal Times* article on highly sought-

after, exciting federal jobs ("Federal Dream Jobs," September 18, 2000, p. 34).

Roger Yoerges was quoted in two articles in connection with the Washington Baltimore Regional Coalition 2012 Olympic litigation ("Opening Ceremonies for Olympics Lawsuit," *The Washington Post*, September 18, 2000, p. B2; and "Bringing the Olympics to Washington," *Washington Business Forward* - an online publication - October 11, 2000).

Bill Perlstein was quoted in two articles on law firms adopting an "everyday casual" dress policy ("No-Suit Summer is now Everyday Business Casual," *National Law Journal*, September 25, 2000, p. A10; and "Casual Dress Remains in Fashion for the Fall," *New York Law Journal*, September 19, 2000, p. 5).

Two lengthy quotes from a brief **Eric Mogilnicki** and **Laura Heymann** co-authored for the Center to Prevent Handgun Violence appeared in a *New York Times* article, "Word for Word: The Second Amendment Debate" ("The Week in Review," September 24, 2000).

Bruce Berman was quoted in a *Mobile Register* article about the latest ruling in the Michael Pardue case ("Pardue Escaped Incarceration Three Times," September 23, 2000, online).

Robert Bell was interviewed on September 25, 2000, on NPR's "All Things Considered," about Joel Klein's departure from the Department of Justice (DOJ).

Boyden Gray appeared on Fox News' "Cavuto Business Report," on September 20, 2000, to discuss Joel Klein's departure from the DOJ and the legacy he leaves behind. **Boyden** also did a live interview on "Bloomberg News Today," on September 26, 2000, in regard to the Supreme Court's decision on Microsoft.

Laura Ahearn was quoted in an article in *The Capital's* "Ann Arundel

Report” entitled, “CBF Asks Judge to Release State Records” (September 28, 2000, P. B1).

Bill Kolasky, Robert Bell, Janet Ridge, Marty Ramirez, John Ratliff, Andrew Lorentz, Andrea De Matteis, and Flavia Distefano were mentioned in a *Global Competition Review* article about the Unilever/Bestfoods acquisition (August/September, p. 8). **Andreas Weitbrecht** also was mentioned in this issue in connection with the Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer merger (August/September, p. 3).

Steve Hut, John Payton, Eric Mogilnicki, Jolie Zimmerman, David Molot, and Kevin Bailey were mentioned in a *Gun Industry* article as representing D.C. in the *District of Columbia v. Berretta U.S.A. Corp.* case (“Gun Makers Say D.C. Suit Still Lacks Grounds for Negligence Claim,” September issue, p. 14).

Boyden Gray was mentioned in a *Legal Times* article in connection with eLawForum, a new B2B site marketing professional legal services (“Bidding on the Future,” October 2, 2000, p. 23). **Boyden** also was mentioned in the “Inadmissible” column, regarding D.C. lawyers who support the Bush campaign (“Stumping for Bush,” October 2, 2000, p. 3).

Bill Kolasky was quoted in a *Legal Times* article on the Microsoft appeal (“Microsoft: Clean Slate of Appeal,” October 2, 2000, p. 1).

SPEECHES, PANELS & PRESENTATIONS

Brent Gurney participated in a discussion on the practice of interviewing in the law and journalism fields, held September 18, 2000, at the National Press Club.

Boyden Gray participated in the Hart 2000 World Conference on Vehicle, Energy, and Environmental Policy: Focus on Diesel, held in Washington, D.C., September 19-21, 2000. He led a panel on “The Future Under a George W. Bush Presidency,” and also introduced Prime Minister Brian Muhroney at the conference’s

“Clean Air Celebration” dinner on September 21, 2000.

Satish Kini spoke at a conference on “Mutual Fund Sales and Operations,” held by the Institute for International Research, in Washington, D.C., September 26, 2000. His topic was the new privacy regulations established by the SEC.

John Ratliff, Dieter Lange, Bill Kolasky, Roberto Dañino, and Gerry Cater hosted a dinner in Amsterdam on September 20, 2000, in connection with the IBA Conference. Attendees included competition lawyers from EC Member States.

BOOKS, ARTICLES & OTHER WRITINGS

David Johnson wrote an article which appeared in *The San Francisco Chronicle*, entitled “Online Solutions Needed for Online Problems” (September 17, 2000).

Jim Wrathall co-wrote (with Jane Kaufman Winn) an article for the “Bankruptcy Law” section of the *National Law Journal’s Corporate Brief*, entitled “Internet Customer Databases” (September 18, 2000, p. B8).

Duncan Sutherland published an article entitled, “Turning Around an Outdated System,” for the September 25, 2000, issue of *Legal Times* (p. 46).

WCP’s Investment Company and Investment Advisers Act Practice Group published two newsletters on September 28, 2000: “SEC Adopts Amendments to Form ADV and Electronic Filing Requirements for Investment Advisers,” and “IRS Issues Guidance on Capitalization of B Share Commissions.”

On September 29, 2000, **WCP’s ECommerce Group** published a newsletter entitled “Investing in an ECommerce Start-Up.”

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