

**PRESS PIECES &
 OTHER PUBLICITY**

ROBERT BELL was featured on *Euromoney's* Web site, *LawMoney.com* ("Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering Hires New Antitrust Partner," September 21, 1999).

RUSS BRUEMMER and **MICHAEL HELFER** were both pictured in the September 1999 *Euromoney* Legal Group's *Banking Lawyers*, as part of the organization's Expert Guides series.

SUSAN CRAWFORD was pictured in the *Legal Times* ("Who's Who: Law Firms Stake a Claim - The Rush to Carve Up Northern Virginia's Internet Business Is at Full Speed," October 4, 1999, p. 42), in connection with the firm's work in e-commerce licensing and distribution agreements. **DAVID JOHNSON**, **BRANDON BECKER**, and **WCP** also were mentioned, in connection with the firm's EGroup.

LLOYD CUTLER was mentioned in *Electronic Media* ("The Insider," September 20, 1999, p. 4); *The Washington Post* ("How Much Room in the Fat Pipe? Internet Providers' Fortunes Are Riding on Fight for 'Broadband' Access to Homes," September 19, 1999, p. H1); and *Newsbytes News Network* ("Battles Over Broadband Being Waged Across U.S.," September 19, 1999), in connection with his representation of the openNET Coalition (which is made up of over 700 Internet service providers and, among other matters, promotes the

rights of consumers to obtain affordable, high-speed access to the Internet from the provider of their choice). According to one article, at issue is "the future of the Internet," with battles raging over "broadband" connections — which allow the convergence of telephone, Internet and even video delivery.

LLOYD CUTLER was quoted in *The Washington Times* ("Panelists Clash on White House Counsels' Duties," September 27, 1999, p. A3), in an article focusing on a recent Duke Law School forum entitled "The Constitution Under Clinton." The main purpose of the forum was to discuss whether the office of White House legal counsel was needed or whether the president should only rely on the attorney general's office for advice. Lloyd also was mentioned in *The News & Observer* ("Gathering of Aging Legal Eagles," September 29, 1999, p. A3), in connection with the same conference.

LLOYD CUTLER was pictured in *The Washington Times* ("Twenty Years of Talking Earns Rehm Respect," September 24, 1999, p. C7), in connection with his attendance at a tribute dinner held for Diane Rehm at the Corcoran Gallery.

LLOYD CUTLER was mentioned in *The Washington Post* ("Filling Federal Bench Slots Taking Longer Than Ever: Report Blames White House, Senate, Both Parties," September 23, 1999, p. A27) and the *National Journal* ("LEGAL AFFAIRS: Why It's Getting Harder To Appoint Judges," October 2, 1999), in connection with his co-chairmanship of Citizens for Independent Courts, a bipartisan

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group which recently issued a report calling upon both Senators and the President to expedite the process of federal bench nominations and Senate action.

PAUL DWYER and **JENNIFER DROGULA** were mentioned in the *Grameen Connections* newsletter ("Message from the Vice Chair," Fall 1999, p. 2), in connection with their role in serving as Grameen's legal advisors during negotiations concerning a mobilization of \$10.6 million capital needed for a rapid expansion of Grameen Telecom in rural Bangladesh. **WCP** also was recognized ("Grameen Foundation USA Thanks Its Generous Supporters," Fall 1999, p. 9) for its support as a benefactor of the Foundation.

BOYDEN GRAY was mentioned in *The Washington Times* ("Much to Reflect," September 24, 1999, p. A9), in connection with his upcoming appearance as a speaker at the Federalist Society's 1999 National Lawyers Convention, which will focus on law and culture. The conference is scheduled for November 11-13, 1999, at the Mayflower Hotel in Washington, D.C. Others scheduled to join Boyden, include Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas, Judge Robert Bork, and Senator Fred Thompson.

DAVID JOHNSON was pictured and quoted in the *Legal Times* ("NSI Deal: All-Nighter Gets Results), in an article about the recent agreement reached between WCP client NSI, the Department of Commerce, and the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN).

JOHN PAYTON and **WCP** were mentioned in *The National Law Journal* ("Set-Aside Case Divides Atlanta," September 27, 1999, p. A1), in connection with the firm's representation of the City of Atlanta in defending the city's affirmative action program.

JOHN PAYTON was mentioned in an article distributed by *U-Wire* ("U. Michigan: U. Michigan Lawsuit Forum Draws 200," September 30, 1999), in connection with his participation in a panel discussion about "the current status of two lawsuits challenging the University's use of race in admissions."

LAURA HEYMANN was pictured in the *Legal Times* ("Wilmer Defends Gun-Control Law for Long-time Pro Bono Client Center to Prevent Handgun Violence," October 4, 1999, p. 11), in connection with an *amicus* brief **WCP** filed for the Center to Prevent Handgun Violence. **ERIC MOGILNICKI** and summer associate, **WILL NIFONG**, also were mentioned.

WCP was featured in the *Legal Times* ("Who's Getting the IPO Work?" October 4, 1999, p. 10), in connection with the firm's IPO representation of Aether Systems and Luminant Worldwide.

Lexis Publishing printed a full-page photograph of summer associate, **MATT DREXLER**, in their latest advertising brochure. **WCP** is mentioned.

The Law Firms Division of the 1999 United Way Campaign has just published a brochure that prominently lists **WCP** as the overall leader in contributions and in leadership gifts.

WCP was mentioned in the *Legal Times* ("Women Empowered Against Violence Builds a Network," October 4, 1999, p. 11) for its support of the non-profit organization, Women Empowered Against Violence.

LAURA AHEARN was pictured in *SpinSheet* ("Voices Carry," August 1999, p. 8) after she successfully skippered 9 female sailors aboard a Jonmeri 40 to complete the Marblehead to Halifax Race. The team emerged third in class and 16th in the 62-boat PHRF fleet.

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BOOKS, ARTICLES & OTHER WRITINGS

MIKE KATOS co-authored an article for *Legal Management* ("Administrators' Future. The Legal Administrator's Role: What the Future Has in Store for Us," September/October 1999, p. 32), focusing on current trends in the legal profession and how they will influence opportunities for legal administrators; and the role administrators will play in law firms in the future.

The **E-COMMERCE GROUP** issued a newsletter highlighting the key features of ICANN's (Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers) recently published domain name dispute resolution policy. (*E-Commerce News*, "Domain Name Disputes," September 30, 1999.)

The **SECURITIES PRACTICE GROUP** issued a newsletter discussing the SEC's August 12, 1999 Staff Accounting Bulletin ("SAB") concerning the concept of materiality as applied in the preparation of financial statements and the performance of audits. (*Securities Law Developments*, "A Broader View of Materiality: The SEC's Recent Staff Accounting Bulletin," October 1, 1999.)

SPEECHES, PANELS & PRESENTATIONS

PAUL MITCHARD recently spoke on the subject of "amendment, waiver and estoppel in relation to letters of credit" at an IBA Conference on September 28, 1999, in Barcelona.

BRANDON BECKER participated in a roundtable on "Financial Vulnerabilities" at the Council on Foreign Relations on September 29, 1999, in New York City.

BRANDON BECKER participated in a panel discus-

sion on "Recent Developments and Current Issues in Regulation of Trading Markets and International Dealers" at the PLI conference on "International Securities Markets — 1999," on September 30, 1999. In conjunction with this panel discussion, **SOO YIM** and **CHERIE MACAULEY** submitted an outline regarding "The Rise of Electronic Trading."

BRANDON BECKER presented an outline, prepared by **SOO YIM**, entitled "Portfolio Trading: Current Issues," at the 3rd Annual Institute on Investment Management Regulation, sponsored by Glasser LegalWorks and Fordham University School of Law, on October 12, 1999, in New York City.

As part of the A.T. Kearney Executive Roundtable Series, **BRANDON BECKER** spoke on "The Coming Revolution in Cross-Border Equity Trading: The Stock Exchange as a Global Private Enterprise," at the Council on Foreign Relations, on October 13, 1999, in New York City.

PAT CAROME was a featured speaker at the 1999 Libel Conference, sponsored by the Newspaper Association of America, the National Association of Broadcasters, and the Libel Defense Resource Center, held September 22-24, 1999, in Arlington, Virginia. Pat co-chaired the portion of the program devoted to "cyberlaw" issues.

SHEILA CHESTON participated on a panel on the commercialization of space, as part of the annual conference of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA), on September 30, 1999, in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

BOYDEN GRAY participated as a panelist in a forum discussion entitled "The Era of Regulation Through Litigation" at a Citizens for a Sound Economy (CSE) meeting on "issues that will shape the 2000 presidential election." The dis-

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cussion was held on October 8, 1999, in Boca Raton, Florida.

On September 23, 1999, **TERRI HYDE** participated in a panel discussion on consolidated return intercompany transaction rules at the ALI-ABA seminar on "Consolidated Tax Return Regulations" held at the Wyndham, in Washington, D.C. The outline, which Terri co-authored with Andrew Dubroff of Ernst & Young, on "The Use of Partnerships and LLCs on Structuring Consolidated Groups," was included in the conference materials.

JEREMY RUBENSTEIN spoke on "Compensation Issues" at the National Regulatory Service (NRS) Dual Registrant Conference, on September 30, 1999, in San Francisco.

STEVE SACHS spoke at the Maryland Office of Administrative Hearings "Decennial Celebration: Past, Present and Future" on September 17, 1999.

TOM WHITE gave a presentation on "Dealing with Analysts and the Press," at the Executive Enterprises SEC Accounting Institute on September 30, 1999, in Boston.

SOO YIM made a presentation on "Selling Securities Online" at the 4th Annual Online & Internet Commerce Law Institute, held September 27-28, 1999, in New York City.

SOO YIM spoke on a panel regarding electronic commerce and online trading issues at the 1999 Financial Markets Association (FMA) Treasury and Capital Markets Legal and Legislative Issues Conference, held September 23-24, 1999, in Washington, D.C. **CHERIE MACAULEY** assisted in preparing the outline for the presentation.

HONORS & AWARDS

On October 13, 1999, **ANDREW HERMAN** and **MICHAEL LEFFEL** were presented with the Logan Circle Community Association's Nuisance Buster Award at a banquet held at the Washington Plaza Hotel. Andrew and Michael were honored for their "outstanding contributions" in connection with the firm's *pro bono* success for the Logan Circle community - a success which served to motivate the owners of a neighborhood apartment building (that "for years has been a magnet for trouble") to take actions to improve security.

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