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## SNELL & WILMER ATTORNEY SUSAN GRUENEBERG PRESENTS AT INTERNATIONAL FRANCHISE CONFERENCE

**LOS ANGELES (May 30, 2012)** – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Susan Grueneberg, franchise partner in the firm's Los Angeles office, presented on a panel at the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual International Bar Association/International Franchise Association Joint Conference on May 23<sup>rd</sup> in Washington D.C.

This year's IBA/IFA Annual Conference, "Expansion Alternatives in International Franchising," featured legal counsel who shared invaluable information regarding the latest developments in international franchise law such as legal and regulatory issues franchisors are facing around the world. Susan Grueneberg spoke on alternatives to master franchising which addressed area development agreements, area representatives and joint ventures.

<u>Susan Grueneberg</u> focuses on advising clients on franchise and distribution law, including regulatory compliance. Her practice emphasizes both domestic and international franchises and licensing, as well as area development arrangements and sub-franchises. She is certified as a Franchise & Distribution Law Specialist by the California Board of Legal Specialization. Grueneberg has been recognized by *Southern California Super Lawyers*® in the franchise/dealership area and *Best Lawyers in America*® in the franchise law area for the past six years. She was recently named the Los Angeles Franchise Law Lawyer of 2012 by *The Best Lawyers in America*®.

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