JOHN LOMAX JOINS SNELL & WILMER'S LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT GROUP

PHOENIX (January 27, 2011) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that John F. Lomax, Jr. has joined the labor and employment group as partner in the firm's Phoenix office.

"We are very fortunate that John has decided to join our team," said Rebecca Winterscheidt, co-chair of Snell & Wilmer's labor and employment practice group. "I am confident that he will add great depth and experience to our practice group"

Lomax focuses his practice on the defense of labor and employment issues. He advises employers on wage and hour matters, restrictive covenants and discrimination issues, and represents management in federal, state and tribal courts.

In addition to handling litigation, Lomax has represented management in union organizing efforts and unfair labor practices cases and in negotiating collective bargaining agreements. He counsels companies on plant closures and layoffs. He also advises employers on executive employment agreements, affirmative action plans and wage and hour matters. He earned his B.A., *with honors*, from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and his J.D. from Emory University School of Law. He is also admitted to practice before the Navajo bar and counsels employers in Federal Indian law issues.

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