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**SNELL & WILMER'S TUCSON OFFICE WELCOMES JILL CASSON OWEN**

**TUCSON (May 29, 2012)** – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Jill Casson Owen, a former partner in the Tucson office, will rejoin the firm as a counsel member of the real estate and commercial finance practice group.

Owen, whose professional resume also includes service as vice president, legal and contracting services and associate general counsel for the Tucson Airport Authority and as principal of Casson Owen Law, PLLC, received her *juris doctor* degree *summa cum laude* from the University of Arizona College of Law, where she was selected for the Order of the Coif and was Note Editor of the *Arizona Law Review*. She holds a bachelor of science degree from the University of Arizona College of Pharmacy and was employed as a pharmacist while attending law school.

An active member of the board of directors of the Greater Oro Valley Chamber of Commerce, Owen also serves on the Northwest YMCA Board of Managers, the Chi Omega Fraternity Corporation Board, and is secretary for the Tucson Adult Soccer League. Owen is a member of the State Bar of Arizona Real Property Section; the American Bar Association Business Law and Real Property, Probate and Trust sections; the Kansas Bar Association; and the Pima County Bar Association.

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