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**CHAMBERS GLOBAL RECOGNIZES HEIDI MCNEIL STAUDENMAIER AS A
LEADER IN THE FIELD OF GAMING & GAMBLING**

PHOENIX (November 5, 2012) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Heidi McNeil Staudenmaier, a partner in the Phoenix office, will be featured as a “Leader in the Field” of Gaming & Gambling (Global-wide) in the March 2013 edition of *Chambers Global*.

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Staudenmaier’s practice is focused on Indian Law, Gaming Law and Business Litigation. She is a Past President of the International Masters of Gaming Law and is a member of the International Association of Gaming Attorneys. She has been recognized by *The Best Lawyers in America*® in the areas of Commercial Litigation, Gaming Law and Native American Law (2005-2013) and was named Phoenix Gaming Lawyer of the Year in 2011. Staudenmaier was also named to *Chambers Global: America’s Leading Lawyer for Business*® list in the area of Gaming & Gambling (Global-Wide) in 2012.

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