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**ARIZONA SENATOR JEFF FLAKE SELECTS SNELL & WILMER ATTORNEY
ERIC SPENCER TO SERVE ON MILITARY ACADEMY SCREENING COMMITTEE**

PHOENIX (July 17, 2013) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Eric Spencer, an associate with the firm, has been selected to serve on Senator Jeff Flake’s Military Academy Screening Committee.

The Committee is tasked with conducting the personal interviews that are part of each hopeful high school student’s nomination process to be appointed to one of the United States Military Service Academies. One of Flake’s responsibilities each year as a senator includes the selection of young men and women from Arizona high schools for appointment to four service academies, including the United States Air Force Academy, United States Merchant Marine Academy, United States Military Academy and United States Naval Academy. Spencer will advise Senator Flake’s office with respect to these important nominations.

Spencer, a former Captain in the Arizona Army National Guard, and an Infantry Platoon Leader in the United States Army who was awarded a Bronze Star for his service in Operation Iraqi Freedom, concentrates his practice in commercial litigation with an emphasis in construction litigation and political law.

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