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SNELL & WILMER ATTORNEY GARTH STEVENS JOINS BOARD OF NEWLY FOUNDED MAPLE BUSINESS COUNCIL

ORANGE COUNTY (June 29, 2015) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that partner Garth Stevens has joined the newly formed board of directors of <u>MAPLE Business Council</u>, an organization that recently launched to focus promoting trade and cross-border investment between Southern California and Canada.

Based in Orange County, MAPLE will connect senior executives from across the region interested in exploring cross-border business opportunities. Through its membership, allied partners and sponsors, MAPLE provides access to subject matter experts, service providers and information resources. According to a recent <u>press release</u> issued by MAPLE, "Canadian social networks have been well-established in the region but what we have lacked is a business community focal point for cross-border business and investment networking."

At Snell & Wilmer, Garth's practice is concentrated in general corporate, transactional and securities law focusing on mergers and acquisitions, corporate governance, complex joint ventures, venture capital, securities regulatory compliance, licensing transactions, and commercial agreements. His experience includes representation of clients in a variety of industries including high technology products and services, education services, software, business process outsourcing, biotechnology and genome sciences, industrial products, food products, real estate development, and waste management services. He is also chair of the firm's Corporate and Securities practice group.



Garth Stevens, Snell & Wilmer

Garth graduated from the Schulich School of Law, Dalhousie University in Halifax, Canada in 1995 and practiced corporate law with McMillan LLP

(then Lang Michener LLP) in Vancouver, Canada before joining Snell & Wilmer in 2000. Based on his unique background, Garth's practice includes providing advice to U.S. clients on Canadian corporate and business law matters and advice to Canadian clients on U.S. corporate, business and securities law matters.

About Snell & Wilmer

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