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SNELL & WILMER'S SALT LAKE CITY OFFICE WELCOMES FOUR NEW ATTORNEYS

SALT LAKE CITY (August 7, 2017) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that attorneys <u>James R. Farmer</u>, AJ Pepper, Paul Roberts and Richard C. Robinson have joined the Salt Lake City office.

Farmer focuses his practice in intellectual property law including drafting and prosecuting patent applications for clients in the aerospace industry. He has almost 20 years of experience representing clients in complex intellectual property and commercial disputes before federal and state courts, arbitration panels and the International Trade Commission, drafting opinions and license agreements and conducting due diligence investigations and analyses for corporate mergers and acquisitions. Farmer received M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in mechanical and aerospace engineering from Princeton University and M.S. and B.S. degrees in mechanical engineering from the University of Vermont. He held post-doctoral fellowships at Princeton and Brigham Young University, specializing in engineering physics, fluid mechanics and applied mathematics. He received his J.D. from The University of Utah S.J. Quinney College of Law.



James Farmer

Pepper is a commercial real estate attorney focusing on mixed-use, transit-oriented, office, retail, condominium, hotel and resort projects, as well as multifamily residences, subdivisions and master planned communities. He has worked with financial institutions, real estate investment trusts and asset management firms, and local, regional and national developers, investors and land owners on complex real estate developments, acquisitions and dispositions and financings throughout the United States. He received his B.S. in geography: urban, rural and environmental planning from Brigham Young University and his J.D. cum laude from Boston University School of Law.



AJ Pepper

Roberts' practice is centered in commercial finance. Prior to joining Snell & Wilmer, Roberts practiced commercial, real property and employment law. Roberts' received his B.S. magna cum laude from Brigham Young University, Marriott School of Management and his J.D. magna cum laude from Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School.



Paul Roberts

Robinson focuses his practice in commercial finance and assists lenders on various real estate-secured and portfolio lending transactions. Prior to joining Snell & Wilmer, Robinson worked as in-house counsel for a publically traded software company in Salt Lake City. Robinson received his B.A. cum laude from The University of Utah and his J.D. cum laude from Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School.



Richard Robinson

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