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Martina Tyreus Joins Fish & Richardson’s Delaware Office

Wilmington, DE, April 27, 2010 -- Fish & Richardson today announced that Martina Tyreus has joined the firm as an associate in its Intellectual Property Litigation Group in Wilmington, DE. Ms. Tyreus, a former law clerk for the Honorable Sue L. Robinson of the U.S. District Court for the District of Delaware, joins a group which includes 10 former judicial clerks who bring substantial experience to Fish’s Delaware office.

“Our former federal judicial clerks from the Delaware District Court and the Third and Federal Circuit Courts of Appeals bring a maturity and judicial perspective that enable them to contribute at a very high level as soon as they arrive,” said William Marsden, Managing Principal of Fish & Richardson’s Delaware office. “Our deep bench also includes former clerks from the Delaware Supreme Court and the Delaware Court of Chancery. In total, their individual and collective expertise is a tremendous resource to the firm and, more importantly, to our clients. Martina adds further depth to an already strong team and we are very pleased that she is joining our firm.”

Before joining Fish, Ms. Tyreus was a patent litigation associate at Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice for four years. Prior to that, she served as a law clerk for then Chief Judge Sue L. Robinson. Ms. Tyreus is admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of Delaware, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, the U.S. District Court for the District of Delaware, and is registered to practice before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Ms. Tyreus received her J.D. from Washington University School of Law in 2005, where she was Executive Notes Editor of the *Washington University Law Quarterly*. She received her B. ChE. in chemical engineering from the University of Delaware in 2002.

Fish & Richardson is a leading global law firm with 400 attorneys and technology specialists practicing intellectual property strategy and counseling, intellectual property litigation, and business litigation. Fish does cutting-edge legal work for innovative clients who value their intellectual property. The firm was recently named top patent prosecution firm (*Managing Intellectual Property*, February 2010), was honored as an IP Firm of the Year (*Law360*, January 2010), and named a finalist for top IP litigation department of the year (*American Lawyer*, January 2010). Fish handles more patent litigation than any other law firm (*IP Law & Business*, September 2009), is the number one IP firm for America's biggest companies (*Corporate Counsel*, September 2009), and was named the number one firm in the world for PCT filings (*Managing Intellectual Property*, October 2009). The firm also handled two of the top ten most important IP cases of 2009 (*Managing Intellectual Property*, January 2010). For more information, visit <http://www.fr.com>.

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