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BROWN RUDNICK ELECTS FIVE ATTORNEYS TO THE FIRM PARTNERSHIP

Diverse group of newly elevated partners in the U.S. and U.K. practice in corporate, bankruptcy & corporate restructuring, real estate, finance and litigation

Boston, MA, February 9, 2009 – Brown Rudnick, a premier international law firm, today announced that it has elected five attorneys to the partnership: **Sunni P. Beville, Michael J. Camilleri, Christopher J. Carolan, Robert L. Murray** and **Neill Shrimpton**. Among the new partners is one British lawyer practicing in Brown Rudnick's London office, as well as attorneys from the Boston, New York, and Hartford offices.

Brown Rudnick's CEO Joseph F. Ryan commented, "Each of our new partners has distinguished him or herself as a skilled lawyer, dedicated client service provider, and good corporate citizen. Their elevation to the Firm's Partnership is in recognition of the value they bring to our Firm, our clients and the community. We are fortunate to have each of them as partners."

Sunni P. Beville concentrates her practice on the representation of official and ad hoc committees of creditors and equity holders in chapter 11 bankruptcy cases and out-of-court restructuring matters. This practice includes all aspects of the bankruptcy process, including contested plan confirmation hearings, contested relief from stay and cash collateral hearings, and fraudulent conveyance and preference litigation. Ms. Beville also assists institutions in the distressed debt and claims trading industry by facilitating the claims resolution and allowance process for claim holders in chapter 11 cases and advises institutions with respect to status and treatment of claims against debtors in chapter 11 cases. She also advises distressed companies and their equity holders with respect to restructuring debt and equity both in the Chapter 11 context and out-of-court restructuring opportunities.

Michael J. Camilleri represents Fortune 500 corporations, developers, retailers, not-for-profit organizations, universities, hospitals, restaurants, and other clients in all aspects of commercial real estate development. Mr. Camilleri's practice includes the areas of leasing, acquisitions, dispositions, zoning and land use, development, financing, military housing privatization projects and affordable housing. He has worked with clients to obtain zoning and land use approvals before municipal agencies throughout the State of Connecticut, and has worked with various state and federal agencies on behalf of his clients.



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Christopher J. Carolan has extensive experience representing institutional lenders and borrowers in a variety of domestic and international syndicated and unsyndicated debt financings across a variety of industries, including retail finance, commodities finance, project finance, corporate & acquisition finance, real estate, and film finance. Mr. Carolan also has experience restructuring distressed debt and counseling clients on a variety of workout related issues. His practice involves advising secured lenders on intercreditor arrangements and collateral security issues involving inventory, accounts receivable, and real estate.

Robert L. Murray, Jr. represents both public and private clients in all stages of development. He assists clients in a variety of matters, including business formation, venture capital financings, mergers and acquisitions, securities law compliance and other commercial and financial transactions. Mr. Murray also works with holders of debt of distressed companies to facilitate out-of-court restructuring opportunities.

Neill Shrimpton practices in all areas of commercial litigation and arbitration. He has represented clients in disputes in all divisions of the High Court, the Court of Appeal and the Privy Council, and pursuant to the rules of many arbitration institutions. Mr. Shrimpton has a wide range of experience acting for individuals and organizations, such as investors, hedge funds, manufacturing companies, public utility companies, construction companies and companies listed on the FTSE 100.

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