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## Keller Rackauckas LLP adds former McDermott Will & Emery partner and two new associates

IRVINE, CA, APRIL 24, 2014 --- Keller Rackauckas LLP, a nationally recognized trial law firm, is pleased to announce that Steven J. Aaronoff has joined the firm as Of Counsel. The firm has also hired two new associates, Lisa M. Foutch and Lilian M. Loh.

Steven Aaronoff has 25 years of complex litigation experience in fields encompassing securities, intellectual property, real estate, finance, entertainment and class actions. He has handled a variety of huge, complex trials for both defendants and plaintiffs, all over the nation. Aaronoff was a partner at McDermott Will & Emery in Irvine, and Christensen Miller Fink Jacobs Glaser Weil & Shapiro in Los Angeles. Before that he was an associate at Strook Strook & Lavan. He also worked at O'Donnell & Associates as a key member of a trial team that won a \$350 million verdict in 2009.

Aaronff earned his undergraduate degree, *cum laude*, from Harvard University and his J.D. from Northwestern University. He is a member of the Orange County Bar Association, Los Angeles County Bar Association, Federal Bar Association, Beverly Hills Bar Association, Century City Bar Association and American Bar Association.



Lisa M. Foutch was hired as a litigation associate, focusing on complex business trials. She earned her J.D. from University of Southern California Gould School of Law. In law school, Foutch was a member of and summer intern for the International Human Rights Clinic, a founder of the Iraqi Refugee Assistance Project, and volunteered for the LACBA Domestic Violence Project. As an undergraduate at UC Irvine majoring in criminology and psychology, she was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, the Psi Chi International Honor Society in Psychology and the Golden Key International Honour Society.

Lilian M. Loh was also hired as a litigation associate, concentrating on complex business trials. At Cornell Law School, Loh was President of the Cornell Law Students Association, Chair of the Student Leadership Council and a top finisher in moot court competitions. As an editorial associate for the Cornell Legal Information Institute, she researched and wrote Supreme Court case summaries published online in The LII Supreme Court Bulletin and in print in The Federal Lawyer. As an undergraduate at University of California, San Diego, Loh received Provost's Honors while completing her degree in three years. She was admitted to the Psi Chi International Honor Society in Psychology.

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We're bet-the-company trial lawyers with a record second to none, and local, statewide and national recognition of our success. Keller Rackauckas attorneys have won over \$680 million in judgments in just the last five years, and successfully defended many other clients. The name partners of Keller Rackauckas LLP have tried over 250 jury trials between them, with an unparalleled record of success. We handle cases involving class actions, intellectual property, breach of contract, trade secrets, bad faith, white collar criminal defense, real estate, business torts and the entire gamut of commercial litigation. Keller Rackauckas LLP is rated Tier One by U.S. News and World Report, an honor generally reserved for much larger law firms.