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SNELL & WILMER PARTNER JOSHUA SCHNEIDERMAN ANNOUNCED WINNER OF EMERGING LEADERS AWARD BY M&A ADVISORS

LOS ANGELES (April 15, 2016) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that partner <u>Joshua Schneiderman</u> has been announced as a winner of the 7th Annual Emerging Leaders Award by <u>The M&A Advisor</u>. The 2016 Award winners were chosen from a pool of prominent nominees for their notable accomplishments in business and in service to the community.

Mr. Schneiderman is a partner in Snell & Wilmer's Los Angeles office and is a member of the corporate and securities group. He advises clients on a wide range of transactional matters, including mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures and public and private offerings of debt and equity securities. In addition, Mr. Schneiderman advises clients on matters relating to franchising, including the establishment of new franchise systems and the expansion of existing franchise systems nationally and internationally. He also advises public and private companies on corporate governance matters, and serves as outside general counsel to many of his clients. Additionally, Mr. Schneiderman is the immediate past Chair of the Los Angeles County Bar Association's Business & Corporations Law Section.



Joshua Schneiderman

"The Annual M&A Advisor Emerging Leaders Awards was born as the 40 Under 40 Awards in the United States in 2010 to recognize and celebrate the achievements of young M&A, Financing and Turnaround professionals who had reached a significant level of success and made a notable contribution to their industry and community. With the expansion of the Emerging Leaders program to the United Kingdom, and Europe earlier this year, the 2016 US award winners join a truly global network of young leaders," said David Fergusson, President and Co-CEO of The M&A Advisor. Fergusson also stated that, "it is our belief that the Emerging Leader Award winners will continue to have a significant effect on the advancement of our industry. Through the support of business, philanthropic, academic and personal development experts, we are establishing a connected 'leadership community' with the mandate to empower these successful young professionals to improve the life experiences of others through their career."

About Snell & Wilmer

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