THE AMERICAN LAW INSTITUTE ELECTS 79 NEW MEMBERS

(Philadelphia) — The Council of The American Law Institute (ALI) announced today the names of 79 newly elected members, raising its total membership to 4,152.

“The distinguished and forward-thinking founders of The American Law Institute knew well that law reform required the best of the Bar, the Bench, and the legal Academy. We are very proud to welcome this distinguished group into membership in the Institute,” said ALI President Roberta Cooper Ramo. “The process of being selected into the ALI is rigorous. Membership is a significant honor, as well as a promise to contribute to the health of the legal system in the U.S. and, increasingly, that of legal systems around the world. With the formidable challenges facing our world, these additions to our ranks will enhance our ability to take on the major legal problems of the times and develop solutions.”

Newly elected members by state are:

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William S. Brewbaker III, Tuscaloosa – Professor, University of Alabama School of Law

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Christopher D. Ruiz Cameron, Los Angeles – Professor, Southwestern University School of Law
Alexander M. Capron, Los Angeles – Professor, University of Southern California School of Law
Linda E. Carter, Sacramento – Professor, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law
Miriam Cherry, Sacramento – Associate Professor, University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law
Barbara Cox, San Diego – Professor, California Western School of Law
Mariano-Florentino Cuellar, Stanford – Professor, Stanford Law School
Lee Smalley Edmon, Los Angeles – Judge, Superior Court of Los Angeles
Elizabeth Garrett, Los Angeles – Professor, University of Southern California School of Law
Daniel M. Klerner, Los Angeles – Professor, University of Southern California School of Law
Mark I. Labaton, Los Angeles – Partner, Kreindler & Kreindler, LLP
Robert K. Rasmussen, Los Angeles – Dean, University of Southern California
Margaret M. Russell, Santa Clara – Professor, Santa Clara University School of Law
Mark L. Tuft, San Francisco – Partner, Cooper, White & Cooper LLP
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Michael J. Wishnie, New Haven – Professor, Yale Law School

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John D. Taurman – Partner, Vinson & Elkins LLP
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Brian S. Wolfman – Director, Public Citizen Litigation

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Theresa J. Pulley Radwan, Gulfport – Professor, Stetson University School of Law
G. Thomas Smith, Pensacola – Founder & President, Smith, Sauer & DeMaria

Georgia
Dorothy A. Brown, Atlanta – Professor, Emory University School of Law
Robert L. Rothman, Atlanta – Partner, Arnall Golden Gregory LLP
Thomas W. Thrash, Atlanta – Judge, U.S. District Court

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Christopher R. Drahozal, Lawrence – Professor, University of Kansas School of Law

Massachusetts
Jack W. Pirozzolo, Brookline – U.S. Attorney, U.S. Dept. of Justice, District of Massachusetts

Michigan
Suelynn Scarnecechia, Ann Arbor – Vice President & General Counsel, University of Michigan
Christina B. Whitman, Ann Arbor – Professor, University of Michigan Law School

Minnesota
Oren Gross, Minneapolis – Professor, University of Minnesota Law School

Missouri
Charles A. Redd, St. Louis – Partner, Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP

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Keith A. Rowley, Las Vegas – Professor, University of Nevada, Las Vegas School of Law
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Bruce N. Kuhlik, Whitehouse Station – Executive Vice President & General Counsel, Merck & Co., Inc.
Jack M. Sabatino, Trenton – Judge, Superior Court of New Jersey, Appellate Division

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Daniel J. Capra, New York – Professor, Fordham Law School
Bridget J. Crawford, New York – Professor, Pace Law School
Robert Evans III, New York – Partner, Shearman & Sterling LLP
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Theodore O. Rogers, Jr., New York – Partner, Sullivan & Cromwell LLP
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Paul K. Sun, Jr., Raleigh – Partner, Ellis & Winters
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Oklahoma
Mary Margaret Penrose, Norman – Professor, University of Oklahoma College of Law

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Steven W. Bender, Eugene – Professor, University of Oregon School of Law

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Samuel R. Simon, Philadelphia – Chair, Litigation Department, Jacobs Law Group
Laurel Terry, Carlisle – Professor, Penn State University, Dickinson School of Law
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Ronald Turner, Houston – Professor, University of Houston Law Center

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West Virginia
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Austria
Spyridon V. Bazinas, Vienna – Senior Legal Officer, International Trade Law, UNCITRAL Secretariat

Canada
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Adrian Zuckerman, Oxford – Professor of Civil Procedure, University of Oxford Faculty of Law

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Daphne Barak-Erez, Tel Aviv – Professor, Tel Aviv University Faculty of Law

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