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Clausen Miller P.C. Names Three Attorneys to Partner and Two New Shareholders

February 2015 – Clausen Miller P.C. recently elected Chicago attorneys Elise D. Allen, Daniel R. Bryer and New York attorney Thomas D. Jacobson to Partner.

Elise Allen focuses her practice in the area of liability insurance coverage. She primarily concentrates on environmental and asbestos litigation. Elise received her B.A. in Speech Communication with a concentration in Public Relations from Miami University and a J.D. from The John Marshall Law School.

Daniel Bryer concentrates his practice primarily in the areas of professional liability, employment law, casualty / liability defense, products liability and business / commercial litigation. Daniel received his B.A. in Political Science from Indiana University Bloomington and earned his law degree from The John Marshall Law School, where he graduated *magna cum laude*.

Thomas Jacobson focuses his practice in the areas of first-party property, liability insurance coverage and subrogation. Thomas received his B.A. from Hartwick College and his J.D. from the Valparaiso University School of Law. While attending law school, he was elected to the Moot Court Honor Society where he participated in several interscholastic Moot Court competitions across the nation.

Additionally, Clausen Miller P.C. recently elected Partners Ian R. Feldman and Joseph W. Szalyga as equity Shareholders.

Ian R. Feldman has extensive litigation and trial experience defending contractors, design professionals, property managers, retail businesses, manufacturers, landowners, lawyers, accountants and brokers in all areas of professional, products, premises and construction liability matters. He is a member of the Orange County Bar Association, the Southern California Defense Counsel Association and the Los Angeles County Bar Association.

Joseph Szalyga concentrates his practice in the areas of general and professional liability defense. Joseph is routinely called upon to defend property owners, contractors, developers and other commercial clients in catastrophic bodily injury and wrongful death cases. He also has vast experience in leading liability investigations in high profile property damage cases, including large fires, explosions, structural collapses and matters involving damage to adjacent structures during demolition, excavation, underpinning and construction.

About Clausen Miller P.C.:

At Clausen Miller P.C., you will find a group of diverse and experienced attorneys who are business-minded, strategic counselors, as well as aggressive litigators. Our clients' needs, both in the boardroom and in the courtroom, are our priority. Since 1936, Clausen Miller P.C. has valued

hard work, efficiency, and integrity, firmly believing that partnering with our clients is the best way to help secure their success.

Headquartered in Chicago, the Firm maintains U.S. offices in New York, New Jersey, and Southern California. Clausen Miller LLP is located in London, England, in the heart of the global insurance market. Clausen Miller P.C. is also the founding member of Clausen Miller International, a cooperation of leading independent law firms with affiliates in Paris, Rome, Brussels, Dusseldorf and Berlin that practice in all aspects of insurance and reinsurance law.

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