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Freeborn & Peters LLP Launches Transportation Team
Industry-focused team to help clients address complex legal and business challenges

CHICAGO, IL – October 11, 2012 – Freeborn & Peters LLP is proud to announce the formation of its Transportation Team. The industry-focused group will address the legal needs of companies across the transportation sector, particularly those in the trucking, railroad, logistics and intermodal segments.

“Freeborn & Peters has a long history of representing transportation clients with five of our attorneys having previously served as in-house counsel for transportation companies,” said Cindy Bergmann, leader of the Transportation Team and a partner at the firm. “Forming the Transportation Team enables us to harness that deep industry knowledge to help our clients navigate the complex business and regulatory challenges of the 21st century.”

The attorneys in the firm’s Transportation Team focus on helping transportation companies overcome the challenges they face while enabling greater productivity, development and growth. The team’s members combine many years of collected experience from across multiple industry segments and across different legal disciplines including regulation, litigation, corporate law and governmental affairs.

The Transportation Team Includes:

[Cynthia A. Bergmann](#), leader of the Transportation Team and a Partner in the Business Law and Real Estate and Land Use Groups

[Robert M. Baratta, Jr.](#), a Partner in the Environmental Law and Insurance Coverage Groups

[Gerald P. Callaghan](#), a Partner in the Real Estate and Land Use Group

[Mitchell A. Carrel](#), a Partner in the Real Estate and Land Use Group

[Devon J. Eggert](#), an Associate in the Bankruptcy, Reorganization and Creditors' Rights Group

[Mark R. Goodman](#), a Partner in the Business Law Group

[Edward J. Hannon](#), a Partner in the Business Law Group

[Jeff Mattson](#), a Partner in the Business Law Group

[Michael A. Moynihan](#), a Partner in the Real Estate and Land Use Group

[Kathryn C. Thomas](#), a Partner in the Litigation Group

[Michael F. Tomasek](#), a Partner in the Employee Benefits and Executive Compensation Group

[Richard J. Traub](#), a Partner in the Real Estate and Land Use Group

[John E. Stevens](#), a Partner in the Government and Regulatory Law Group

Additional information detailing the team’s longstanding successes is available on the firm’s new website at: <http://transportation.freebornpeters.com/>. Some highlights include:

- Assisted a leading North American railway company in an important acquisition in the Chicago area
- Helped a major transportation company deliver a coordinated and comprehensive employee benefits and executive compensation (EBEC) strategy to its employees
- Provided services in connection with the development and construction of a multi-user intermodal terminal facility
- Served as counsel in the sale by a leading U.S.-based intermodal leasing and logistics company and one of the world's largest private equity firms of their interest in a German joint venture in the airline intermodal industry to an international airline

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