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Lisa M. Wayne Elected Vice President of Nation's top criminal defense organization

Washington, DC, (Aug. 4, 2008) — Lisa Monet Wayne of Denver, Colo., was sworn in as Second Vice President of the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (NACDL) at the Association's 50th Annual Meeting in Milwaukee, WI, Aug. 2. This is Wayne's third officer position on NACDL's Executive Committee, having previously served as the Association's Treasurer (2007) and Secretary (2006).

Lisa Wayne is an attorney in private practice in both state and federal courts around the country. She handles serious felonies and complex civil litigation including numerous high profile cases. Previously, Wayne was a Colorado State Public Defender for 13 years where she served as office head, training director, and senior trial attorney. She lectures nationally with NACDL, National Criminal Defense College, National Institute of Trial Advocates, American Bar Association, and other legal organizations. Wayne is currently an adjunct law professor at the University of Colorado where she teaches trial advocacy, and she serves on faculty at the Trial Practice Institute at Harvard Law School, The National Criminal Defense College, and Cardoza Law School. She is a legal analyst regarding high profile cases around the country and continues to be an advocate in all venues of the media addressing important issues confronting the criminally accused. In 2005, Wayne was honored with the Robert J. Heeney Award, NACDL's most prestigious recognition.

The Washington, D.C.-based National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers is the preeminent organization in the United States advancing the mission of the nation's criminal defense lawyers to ensure justice and due process for persons accused of crime or wrongdoing. A professional bar association founded in 1958, NACDL's 13,000 direct members — and 90 state, local and international affiliate organizations with memberships totaling more than 40,000 members — include private criminal defense lawyers, public defenders, active-duty and reserve military defense counsel, law professors and judges committed to preserving fairness within America's criminal justice system.

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