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## **C. Rauch Wise installed on Board of Directors of nation's top criminal defense organization**

Washington D.C. — C. Rauch Wise of Greenwood, S.C., was sworn in as a member of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers at its annual meeting in San Francisco July 31.

Previously, Wise served on NACDL's First-Timers and Bylaws committees, as well as on the Board of Directors as an Affiliate representative in 2000-2002. He currently serves on the Board of Directors of the ACLU of South Carolina and of his local public defender association. Wise is also a founding member of the South Carolina Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers.

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