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TUCKER ELLIS WELCOMES PARTNER PETER ROME TO BUSINESS DEPARTMENT

Tucker Ellis LLP is pleased to announce that <u>Peter Rome</u> has joined the firm's Business Department as a member of its Corporate/M&A/Securities practice group. Mr. Rome's practice focuses on mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures, strategic alliances, and exit strategies; debt and equity offerings, private equity and venture capital fund transactions, and securities offerings; and executive leadership issues, including board and governance counseling, executive and incentive compensation, and corporate succession planning. He also devotes part of his practice to environmental, social and governance (ES&G) issues, where he works to create value for companies in connection with life sciences, agriculture, food and beverage, and sustainability, among others.

"Peter brings 35 years of valuable experience working with companies of all sizes through all stages of the business life cycle," said Business Department Chair <u>John Slagter</u>. "Our clients will benefit tremendously from his personal passion for helping them achieve their goals."

"We're thrilled to welcome Peter to our corporate team," said Tucker Ellis Corporate/M&A/Securities Group Chair <u>Jayne Juvan</u>. "His in-depth expertise and specialized knowledge are key attributes that will help us further shape our thriving practice group."

"Peter is another great example of what it means to be able to attract such high-quality talent to Tucker Ellis," said Managing Partner <u>Joe Morford</u>. "The exceptional experience and enthusiasm he brings to Tucker Ellis will be an invaluable addition to our Business Department, our firm, and our clients."

Mr. Rome works with businesses including emerging growth companies, entrepreneurs, family offices, business incubators and accelerators, venture capital and private equity firms, large middle-market businesses, and public companies. He received his law degree with high honors from The George Washington University Law School and his undergraduate degree *magna cum laude* from Tufts University. For the past six consecutive years, Mr. Rome has been ranked in Chambers USA in the area of Corporate/M&A – Ohio in recognition of his outstanding legal knowledge, experience, ability, effectiveness, and client service.

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