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**THE COLLEGE OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT LAWYERS
ANNOUNCES PETER BENNETT INDUCTED AS FELLOW**

Washington, D.C., November 3, 2009 – The College of Labor and Employment Lawyers is proud to announce the election of Peter Bennett, President of The Bennett Law Firm in Portland, Maine, as a newly elected Fellow. Election as a Fellow is the highest recognition by one's colleagues of sustained outstanding performance in the profession, exemplifying integrity, dedication and excellence.

The fourteenth installation of Fellows will be held November 7, 2009 in Washington, D.C. With the current installation, the College is represented by over one thousand members in forty-three states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and Canada.

The College was established in 1995 through an initiative of the Section of Labor and Employment Law of The American Bar Association. It operates as a free standing organization recognizing those who, by long and outstanding service, have distinguished themselves as leaders in the field. For further information about the College, please visit www.laborandemploymentcollege.org.

Peter Bennett is nationally recognized as a leader representing management in the field of labor and employment law. He is a past Chair of the American Bar Association's 35,000 member Tort, Trial and Insurance Practice Section. He has given in excess of 200 law-related lectures in over twenty states, and has taught personnel law at the University of Southern Maine since 1989. He is currently serving as Dean of the 2009/2010 ABA TIPS Leadership Academy, and is also a member of the ABA's Task Force on Federal Preemption of State Law and the ABA's Standing Committee on Judicial Independence. For complete biographical information, please visit The Bennett Law Firm's web page at www.thebennettlawfirm.com.