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Food and Drug Law Institute Announces Three New Board Members and Two Officers

Washington, DC – The Food and Drug Law Institute (FDLI) is pleased to announce the addition of three new members to its <u>Board of Directors</u>: Ricardo Carvajal, Hyman, Phelps & McNamara PC; David C. Spangler, Consumer Healthcare Products Association (CHPA); and Patricia J. Zettler, The Ohio State University. They join 13 other highly respected leaders in the food and drug law field in serving on the FDLI Board.

Ricardo Carvajal is a director at Hyman, Phelps & McNamara, PC, a law firm based in Washington, DC that specializes in FDA and related regulatory matters. He counsels clients on a wide range of food regulatory issues.

David C. Spangler is Senior Vice President, Legal, Government Affairs & Policy at CHPA where he leads the association's team of eight across legal, government affairs, and policy functions.

Patricia J. Zettler, JD is an associate professor at The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law and a faculty member of Ohio State's Drug Enforcement and Policy Center and its Comprehensive Cancer Center. Her research and teaching focus on FDA law and policy, torts, and legislation and regulation.

In addition, FDLI announces the following Executive Committee changes: Freddy A. Jimenez, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, Celldex Therapeutics, has been named Vice Chair and Amy Norris, Executive Counsel, Clif Bar & Company, has been named Secretary and General Counsel. Also serving on the Executive Committee are Chair, Daniel Kracov, Partner, Arnold & Porter; Treasurer, Frederick R. Ball, Partner, Duane Morris LLP; and Amy Comstock Rick, President and CEO, FDLI.

In announcing the incoming board members, Chair Kracov stated, "We are fortunate to have Ricardo, David, and Patti joining the FDLI Board. They have all made substantial contributions to the food and drug law field, and we look forward to drawing on their ideas and energy as we build the future of FDLI."

FDLI thanks the three outgoing members of the Board of Directors: Jennifer L. Bragg, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom, LLP; Jeffrey K. Francer, Association for Accessible Medicines; and Margaret Foster Riley, University of Virginia. Each made invaluable contributions to FDLI and the broader food and drug law community through their Board service.

The Food and Drug Law Institute (FDLI) is a nonprofit membership organization that offers education, training, publications, and professional networking opportunities in the field of food and drug law. As a neutral convener, FDLI provides a venue for stakeholders to inform innovative public policy, law, and regulation.