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CHICAGO, July 18, 2006— The American Bar Association Tort Trial & Insurance Practice Section today announced that it will honor Hugh E. Reynolds, Jr., partner at Locke Reynolds LLP, with the Andrew C. Hecker Memorial Award. The award will be presented during the 2006 ABA Annual Meeting at the TIPS Annual Section luncheon on Saturday, Aug. 5, from 1:15 to 2:30 pm, at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, on Oahu, Hawaii.

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Reynolds' practice is primarily concentrated in fidelity and surety, construction law, products liability and commercial disputes. His commitment and service to the legal profession were recognized by the Defense Research Institute when they awarded him the Louis B. Potter Lifetime Professional Service Award for demonstrating a lifetime commitment to the legal profession and to the betterment of our civil justice system. Reynolds has been active in the ABA and TIPS, serving as a past chair of TIPS. He has also chaired TIPS' Appellate Advocacy and Fidelity and Surety committees, and served as TIPS' representative to the ABA House of Delegates. Reynolds served as the ABA Liaison to the drafting committees for the Model Code on Punitive Damages and for Revision of the Uniform Statutory Construction Act by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws. He also served as the 7th Circuit representative to the ABA Standing Committee on Federal Judiciary.

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Reynolds received his undergraduate degree from the University of Notre Dame and his J.D. from the University of Michigan School of Law. In addition to his ABA activities, Reynolds has also been active in the Indiana and Indianapolis bar associations and the International Association of Defense Counsel. He is a Fellow of the American College of Construction Lawyers, the American College of Trial Lawyers and the American Bar Foundation.

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