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Robinson & Cole Partner Joins American College of Environmental Lawyers

Hartford — June 27, 2008 — The law firm of Robinson & Cole is pleased to announce that Environmental & Utilities partner Earl W. Phillips, Jr. has been invited to join the American College of Environmental Lawyers. The American College of Environmental Lawyers is a highly selective organization of less than 50 experienced environmental practitioners.

Earl Phillips has practiced environmental law and worked on related utilities projects for more than 27 years and chairs the firm's Environmental and Utilities Practice Group.

He is widely published and has lectured to diverse business and legal audiences throughout the United States. Mr. Phillips graduated from Wesleyan University with a B.A., *cum laude*, having majored in earth and environmental science, and he earned his J.D. from the Catholic University of America. He has taught courses in environmental, water, and land use law at Wesleyan University, the University of Connecticut, and the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

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