

## **Invotex Group Promotes Three to Managing Director**

**Baltimore, MD – April 15, 2008** – Invotex Group today announced the promotion of Michele Riley and Jennifer Vanderhart to managing directors of its intellectual property litigation practice and of Henry P. Kass to managing director and Chief Administrative Officer.

“The decision to promote Michele and Jennifer recognizes the role they have played and will continue play in maintaining and growing our intellectual property litigation practice,” said Managing Director and firm CEO, Raymond Peroutka. “In addition, Henry has played a vital role in both serving our clients and managing our diverse practice, a job that will continue to grow as the firm expands.”

With more than 10 years of experience consulting on commercial damages, intellectual property and bankruptcy matters, Michele Riley provides consulting and expert testimony on intellectual property damages, including patent, trademark and copyright matters. She has additional expertise in the area of technology licensing and royalties and was instrumental in the commercial development of the firm’s soon-to-be released licensing and royalty database. Ms. Riley is a Certified Public Accountant and a Certified Fraud Examiner.

Jennifer Vanderhart has more than 10 years of experience providing a variety of consulting services, primarily involving litigation damages, intellectual property valuation and economic consulting. Dr. Vanderhart specializes in applied econometrics and microeconomic analysis, including theoretical and empirical analysis in the areas of intellectual property, antitrust, breach of contract and commercial damages. She is also experienced in calculating and determining appropriate data cost-sharing compensation under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) legislation.

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With more than 20 years with the firm, Henry Kass has served clients of the firm in a variety of roles. Among other assignments, Mr. Kass has provided consulting services in connection with the firm's bankruptcy, receivership, banking, insurance and litigation support services and was appointed Deputy Receiver by the Insurance Commissioner of Maryland for an insolvent national bonding company. In support of Invotex's recent growth, Mr. Kass has assumed the role of Chief Administrative Officer, overseeing the firm's human resources and administrative functions.

### **About Invotex Group**

Invotex Group ([www.invotex.com](http://www.invotex.com)) provides accounting, financial and economic consulting services to clients including Fortune Global 500 corporations, major law firms, leading research universities and local, state, and federal governments and agencies around the country. The firm's highly credentialed experts and professional staff conduct economic and financial analyses to provide objective opinions and advice in matters involving complex transactions, disputes, investigations and examinations, reorganizations, insurance and valuations. Invotex also offers advisory services for intellectual property owners, including licensing, technology evaluation and license compliance, asset management and enforcement of IP rights. The firm comprises experienced industry leaders, former public company financial executives, former international accounting and consulting firm ("Big 4") partners and seasoned consultants.

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