

ATTORNEY COLIN P. AHLER JOINS THE PHOENIX OFFICE OF SNELL & WILMER

PHOENIX (October 20, 2014) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Colin P. Ahler has joined the Phoenix office as an associate.

Ahler's background focuses on commercial litigation, with particular experience in appellate matters, First Amendment law, election law, and Indian law. Ahler has authored briefs filed with various federal and state appellate courts around the country including the U.S. Supreme Court and the Arizona Supreme Court. He has also assisted clients in conducting internal investigations and has represented clients in a variety of commercial litigation matters including class actions, constitutional challenges and disputes relating to contracts, insurance coverage and real estate and land use.

Ahler's pro bono practice has included a petition for post-conviction relief in state court, an amicus brief filed with the Arizona Supreme Court concerning the selection of members to the state's independent redistricting commission and the representation of clients seeking asylum under federal immigration law.

Ahler joins Snell & Wilmer after spending the initial stages of his career with Perkins Coie LLP. He attended Arizona State University where he received his B.S. in Economics and then Harvard Law School where he earned his J.D.

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