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**THREE PHILLIPS LYTLE LLP ATTORNEYS ADMITTED TO NEW YORK STATE BAR**

**BUFFALO, NY** – Phillips Lytle LLP, one of the region’s best known law firms, today announced three associates from the firm’s Buffalo office have been admitted to the New York State Bar. They include Patrick D. Crandell, Taylan Sen and Michael D. Sliger.

Mr. Crandell focuses his practice on general litigation matters. He earned his J.D., *cum laude*, from Thomas M. Cooley Law School and his B.A., *cum laude*, from Western Michigan University.

At Phillips Lytle, Mr. Sen concentrates in all areas of intellectual property law, with particular emphasis on patent prosecution and opinion work in the areas of biotechnology, software and electrical arts. He received his J.D. from University at Buffalo Law School and both his M.S. and B.S. from Cornell University. Mr. Sen is also a member of the American Intellectual Property Law Association, the American Society for Microbiology and the New York State Bar Association.

Mr. Sliger focuses his practice on general litigation and corporate matters including health care. He is a member of the American Bar Association, American Health Lawyers Association and Minority Bar Association of Western New York. Mr. Sliger earned his J.D. from Cornell Law School and his B.A. from Grand Valley State University.

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