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### **PHILLIPS LYTLE PARTNER ROBERT M. GREENE HONORED FOR HUMANITARIAN SERVICE BY NOTRE DAME LAW ASSOCIATION**

**BUFFALO, NY** – Robert M. Greene, a partner with Phillips Lytle LLP, one of the region’s best known law firms, was honored by the University of Notre Dame Law Association with the Father William Lewers, C.S.C. Award in recognition of his contributions in the areas of civil and human rights, social justice, and international humanitarian service, including his efforts to help the people of Haiti. Father Lewers was a faculty member of Notre Dame Law School who also directed the Law School’s Center for Civil and Human Rights.

“Bob Greene is the epitome of what it means to be a Notre Dame Lawyer,” says Nell Newton, dean of Notre Dame Law School. “He has humbly dedicated himself to working for justice for the least among us, and it’s a difficult and often thankless mission. Bob’s commitment to making life better for the people of Haiti makes me proud to call him a Notre Dame alumnus.”

Mr. Greene began participating in medical missions to Haiti in 2001 and continues to make return visits about twice a year. He has assisted in the establishment of new clinics, traveling to Haiti to evaluate potential sites for Medicines for Humanity. Mr. Greene has also raised funds for Centre Notre Dame de Lourdes, an orphanage and neighborhood clinic in Port-au-Prince, helping to complete an OB/GYN clinic, purchase laboratory equipment and install a water purification system.

At Phillips Lytle, Mr. Greene focuses in the areas of health law matters, corporate counseling, not-for-profit corporate formation and tax exemption. He earned law degrees from New York University and from the University of Notre Dame, his B.A. from Canisius College, and he attended St. Joseph’s Collegiate Institute. A member of the Erie County and New York State Bar Associations, he is also listed in [The Best Lawyers in America](#)®.

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Mr. Green has also been active in local organizations and chaired the Boards of Cansisus College, the Buffalo Philharmonic, the Buffalo Zoo, Shea's Buffalo Theatre and WNED Public Broadcasting. He chaired the Catholic Charities Appeal and the capital campaign to build WNED's broadcast center in Downtown Buffalo.

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