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LIONEL SAWYER & COLLINS CELEBRATES 40th YEAR

LAS VEGAS, NV – Today marks the 40th anniversary of Lionel Sawyer & Collins, Nevada’s largest private law firm. The firm was founded on February 7, 1967 by Sam Lionel, a respected litigator, and former Governor Grant Sawyer, who served two terms as governor of Nevada and was considered one of the State’s most powerful and popular governors.

With a history of partners coming from powerful state governmental positions, the firm has maintained a bipartisan relationship with federal, state and local government officials. Former U.S. Senator Richard H. Bryan, also a former two-term governor of Nevada, joined the firm as a shareholder in 2001. Rory J. Reid, a shareholder in the Firm’s Gaming and Regulatory Law Department, currently serves as Chairman of the Clark County Board of Commissioners. Most recently, Noel Waters, Carson City’s longest-serving district attorney, joined the firm as Of Counsel in its Carson City and Reno offices.

As a result of its long and extensive involvement in the Nevada legal, political and business communities, Lionel Sawyer & Collins is in a unique position to assist established Nevada businesses, as well as businesses relocating to Nevada. The firm has achieved a preeminent position in the State of Nevada, serving clients of all sizes, from individuals and business start-ups to Fortune 500 companies. The firm’s gaming practice is one of the largest gaming practices in the world.

Lionel Sawyer & Collins offers a full range of legal services, including gaming and regulatory law, litigation, commercial transactions, environmental, bankruptcy, banking, health care and corporate law. The firm’s offices include Las Vegas, Reno, and Carson City, Nevada, and Washington, D.C. For more information about Lionel Sawyer & Collins’ practice and attorneys, visit our website at www.lionelsawyer.com.