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H. Ronald Klasko and William A. Stock Named Two of the Top 20 Practitioners in Immigration Law within 2017 Most Powerful Employment Attorneys Guide

PHILADELPHIA, PA. June 14, 2017: Klasko Immigration Law Partners is pleased to announce that **H. Ronald Klasko** and **William A. Stock** have been selected for inclusion in The Most Powerful Employment Attorneys Guide for 2017. The 10th annual list – selected by Lawdragon and produced in partnership with *Human Resource Executive* – was recently published on Lawdragon.com and in HRE's print magazine. Mr. Klasko and Mr. Stock were named as two of the 20 top practitioners in the area of Immigration Law. Selections were based on Lawdragon's editorial research as well as by submissions from firms and other visitors to Lawdragon.com and HREonline.com.

H. Ronald Klasko is widely recognized by businesses, universities, hospitals, scholars, investors and other lawyers as one of the country's leading immigration lawyers. A founding member of Klasko Immigration Law Partners, LLP and its Managing Partner, he has practiced immigration law exclusively over three decades. A former National President of the American Immigration Lawyers Association (AILA), Mr. Klasko served as General Counsel of that organization for three Presidents and has been a member of its Board of Governors since 1980. He has served as National Chair of AILA's U.S. Department of Labor Liaison Committee and Business Immigration Committee, and he served as National Chair of that organization's INS General Counsel Liaison Committee and the National Task Forces on Labor Certifications, H-1 visas, L-1 visas and Employer Sanctions. He presently chairs AILA's EB-5 Committee, and is serving his fifth term in that capacity. Mr. Klasko is one of only three practicing lawyers ever honored with the AILA Founders Award for his contributions to immigration jurisprudence. A graduate of Lehigh University (B.A. 1971), he received his law degree from the University of Pennsylvania Law School (J.D. 1974).

Mr. Stock has practiced immigration law exclusively for over 20 years and is President of the American Immigration Lawyers Association. He has been listed in *Best Lawyers in America* every year since 2004 and *Chambers Global: The World's Leading Lawyers for Business* every year since 2006. His clients include small businesses, medium sized companies, and multinational corporations and their employees; hospitals, institutions of higher education and scientific research centers; as well as investors and other individual clients. Bill is a coauthor of the "J Visa Guidebook" from Lexis Publishing along with numerous immigration law articles. A *summa cum laude* graduate of the University of St. Thomas (St. Paul, MN), (B.A.1990), he received his law degree from the University of Minnesota (J.D., *magna cum laude*, 1993).

Klasko Immigration Law Partners, LLP has offices in Philadelphia and New York, and provides top-tier legal services to individuals, multinational corporations, small companies, universities and hospitals. The firm has been selected as one of the top 5 business immigration law firms in the United States by the prestigious *Chambers Global: The World's Leading Lawyers for Business (Chambers and Partners)* for the past ten years. The firm serves as the North American Regional Representative of the Investment Migration Council, the worldwide association for Investor Immigration and Citizenship-by-Investment. For more information, please see www.klaskolaw.com.#

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