

Schabes Appointed to ACHA Legal Committee

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CLEVELAND, OHIO - December 14, 2007 - Benesch, Friedlander, Coplan & Aronoff LLP is pleased to announce that Alan E. Schabes has been appointed to the American Health Care Association's Legal Committee where he will serve a two-year term.

The American Health Care Association (AHCA) is a non-profit federation of affiliated state health organizations, together representing more than 10,000 non-profit and for-profit assisted living, nursing facility, developmentally-disabled, and subacute care providers that care for more than 1.5 million elderly and disabled individuals nationally.

Mr. Schabes is a partner in Benesch's Health Care Practice Group. He focuses his practice on health care law, including the representation of long-term care and residential care facilities; health care private equity and venture capital investment firms; physician groups; integrated delivery systems; ancillary service providers including institutional pharmacy companies, health maintenance organizations, and preferred provider organizations; Medicare and Medicaid reimbursement matters; fraud and abuse; asset and stock acquisitions; and joint venture formation.

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