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## One of Maryland's "Top 100 Women" Launches Law Group to Help Small Business

**BEL AIR, MARYLAND (October 9, 2012)** – L. Content McLaughlin, a former Whiteford, Taylor & Preston Partner with more than 20 years of legal experience, launches the McLaughlin Law Group in Bel Air, Maryland. With satellite offices in Baltimore, Towson and Columbia, the McLaughlin Law Group's areas of emphasis include:

- Business and Corporate
- Estate Planning, Trusts and Wills
- Estate and Trust Administration
- Business Succession Planning
- Government Contracts/BRAC
- Minority, Women and Veteran-Owned Business Enterprises
- Nonprofit Organizations
- Taxation

McLaughlin, who offers deep experience in the areas of estates and trusts, business formation, governance, and general corporate, government contracts, and succession planning legal strategies, has received many prestigious and notable awards throughout her storied career. Among her many accolades, she has most recently been recognized by the following entities:

- "Maryland's Rising Stars" (Maryland Super Lawyers from 2009-2012)
- "Maryland Top 100 Women" (Maryland Daily Record in 2009 and 2011)
- "Best Attorney for Minority Business" (Maryland Washington Minority Contractors Association, 2011)
- "50 Women of Power and Influence" (Minority Enterprise Advocate in 2011)

McLaughlin says, "Helping people has always been my passion, both personally and professionally. Launching the Group gives me the autonomy to focus on small businesses that need legal guidance uniquely tailored to meet their legal and budgetary needs. Not only do we understand the very important legal elements of small business, we understand the business strategy and growth challenges as well. It is this unique blend of perspective

that makes us exceptionally appealing to those that ultimately drive our nation's economic engine – small business owners."

The McLaughlin Law Group offers flexible billing options, which ultimately enhances operational efficiency. McLaughlin adds, "Our business approach alleviates the client fear of getting saddled with huge, unexpected legal bills. With proper planning, high transparency and thorough service delivery, we bring large law firm capability to those who otherwise wouldn't be able to afford it."

To learn more or schedule an appointment with the McLaughlin Law Group, call 410.660.2095.

## **About L. Content McLaughlin**

McLaughlin is a 2004 graduate of the University of Baltimore, School of Law. She is admitted to practice in the State of Maryland, U.S. Tax Court, U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Maryland. McLaughlin serves on a number of local boards, including the Army Alliance, University of Baltimore Foundation, Medstar Franklin Square Medical Center Foundation, Harford Business Innovation Center, Giving Spirits Foundation and Spirit of Hope Children's Foundation. Additionally, McLaughlin is a current member and immediate past President of the National Association of Women Business Owners – Baltimore Regional Chapter. She is an active member in several organizations, such as Women's Presidents Organization, Associated Builders and Contractors, and Network 2000. She also is the past chair and continues to serve on the executive committee for the Lawyers Campaign Against Hunger and is a member of the nominating committee for the Girl Scouts of Central Maryland.

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