

**Sugar Felsenthal Grais & Hammer LLP Announces  
Christopher Horvay Joins Bankruptcy and Creditors' Rights Practice**

CHICAGO (November 15, 2012) Sugar Felsenthal Grais & Hammer LLP ("SugarFGH"), has added Christopher J. Horvay to its bankruptcy and creditors' rights practice. Chris brings more than thirty-six (36) years of experience representing senior creditors and asset-based lenders in complex litigation, workout and bankruptcy matters across the country, and he has been consistently recognized throughout the Midwest as a senior leader in the turnaround profession. Chris has received universal praise from his peers, including his inclusion as an Illinois Super Lawyer since 2006 as well as an Illinois Leading Lawyer for the last two years in commercial bankruptcies and workouts. Chris received his J.D. from Northwestern University School of Law and his B.A. from Syracuse University (Phi Beta Kappa). He previously served as a National Director of the Turnaround Management Association from 1999 through 2002, as well as president of the Chicago/Midwest chapter in 1997 and 1998. In 2004, Chris was recognized by the Chicago chapter as its Educator of the Year.

Chris joins SugarFGH's vibrant bankruptcy and creditors' rights practice led by Aaron L. Hammer, with active matters across the country. Speaking on the recent addition, Aaron stated, "[w]e are thrilled that Chris has joined our team. His reputation throughout the community is second to none, and we are confident that he will be an incredible resource to our clients as our firm moves forward." The practice group, which also includes Etahn M. Cohen, Leland H. Chait, Mark S. Melickian, Michael A. Brandess and Jack R. O'Connor, has been acclaimed for its talent in financial restructuring and creditors' rights, specializing in a broad scope of insolvency-related matters. SugarFGH's bankruptcy and creditors' rights attorneys have been recognized by *Chambers USA: Leading Lawyers for Business* and *Turnaround and Workouts* and quoted by *The Wall Street Journal* and *Financial Times*, as leaders in the field. Based in Chicago, the firm builds enduring, trusted relationships with its clients and provides them with creative legal solutions in challenging and changing business environments.

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