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ORANGE, Calif., Oct. 25, 2006 -- Orange County attorney Robert Beggs of Sedgwick, Detert, Moran and Arnold LLP has returned to his alma mater, the Chapman University School of Law, to lead the school's Trial Practice/Mock Trial program. Chapman's Mock Trial students learn trial-advocacy skills firsthand by preparing for and participating in an interscholastic trial competitions. The Chapman law school has reached either the regional semifinal or final round of competition for the past three years.

"I am honored to continue Chapman's tradition of exposing students to invaluable academic and real-world legal challenges," said Beggs, a 2004 graduate of the Chapman School of Law.

"Teaching also affords me the opportunity to test new theories and practices, which hones my own trial skills as well."

While at Chapman, Beggs was president of the Mock Trial Board. Now resident in Sedgwick's Orange County office, he handles complex personal injury, premises liability and wrongful death matters.

"Chapman is lucky to have such a gifted attorney teaching their program," said Curtis Parvin, managing partner of the firm's Orange County office.

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