Gray Plant Mooty Franchise Practice and Attorney Gaylen Knack Recognized in Chambers Global

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MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (March 17, 2010) — The law firm of Gray Plant Mooty is pleased to announce that its Franchise & Distribution practice group is one of just 11 franchise practices across the globe to be recognized in the 2010 edition of Chambers Global: The World's Leading Lawyers for Business. In addition, Gaylen Knack, a Gray Plant Mooty principal, is one of just 17 franchise attorneys worldwide recognized in the 2010 edition of Chambers Global.

"This outfit provides the full array of franchising services to its wide-ranging clientele," reads the *Chambers Global* review of Gray Plant Mooty. "It recently added the expertise of Carl Zwisler to its Franchise and Distribution practice group, boosting the number of franchise lawyers to 23. These practitioners are concentrated in its Minneapolis and Washington, DC, offices. High-profile clients include Dunkin' Donuts, Baskin-Robbins, International Dairy Queen, and Radisson Hotels & Resorts. Gaylen Knack is singled out for his impressive transactional franchising work."

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About GPM:

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