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Conner & Winters attorney Teresa Meinders Burkett serves as panelist for The Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium January meeting.

TULSA, OKLAHOMA – (January 28, 2008) Teresa Meinders Burkett was included on a panel discussion presented by the Tulsa chapter of The Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium on January 24, 2008. The event was titled “Risky Business – Balancing ethical business practices while mitigating risk.” Ms. Burkett was included among a group of experts who explored the risks of doing business today in a broad range of categories including IT, personnel issues, safety, and accounting controls. The Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium is a non-profit professional organization dedicated to promoting integrity in the workplace.

Teresa Burkett is a partner in the Tulsa office of Conner & Winters, where she directs the firm’s health care practice group. Ms. Burkett’s practice is focused primarily in the health care and employment law areas in both litigation and non-litigation matters. She represents a number of providers in the health care industry including hospitals, physician groups, nursing homes, hospice organizations and individual professionals. She counsels and defends these clients in corporate compliance matters, employment issues and litigation, licensure and accreditation issues, third party and Medicare reimbursement, HIPAA compliance and patients’ rights concerns, business transactions, medical staff issues and operational needs.

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