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ATTORNEY GENERAL OF WASHINGTON JOINS WLF ADVISORY BOARD

The Washington Legal Foundation (WLF) and the Chairman of its Legal Policy Advisory Board, former U.S. Attorney General **Dick Thornburgh**, are pleased to announce that **The Honorable Rob McKenna**, Attorney General of the State of Washington, has joined the Board.

Rob McKenna was elected Attorney General in 2004. Prior to his election, Attorney General McKenna was a King County Councilman from 1996-2004. While on the Council, he was a regional and statewide leader on transportation, land use, and fiscal policy issues. From 1988-1995, Attorney General McKenna practiced law with Perkins Coie, Washington's largest law firm, where he represented small and large businesses on litigation and compliance matters.

"We're thrilled to have someone like Attorney General McKenna joining our Board who shares our belief that that Americans' entrepreneurial spirit is something government must foster, not unduly burden," said WLF Chairman and General Counsel Daniel J. Popeo.

Attorney General McKenna joins four of his colleagues on WLF's Board: Attorney General of Delaware **M. Jane Brady**; Attorney General of Utah **Mark Shurtleff**; Attorney General of Kansas, **Phill Kline**; and Attorney General of Alabama, **Troy King**. Other current and former state executive branch officials on WLF's Board include Mississippi Governor **Haley Barbour**, former Massachusetts Governor **William F. Weld**, and former Nebraska Attorney General **Don Stenberg**.

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