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LOCKE LIDDELL & SAPP PARTNER NAMED A FELLOW OF THE PRESTIGIOUS AMERICAN COLLEGE OF TRIAL LAWYERS

April 20, 2004 – George E. Bowles, a partner at Locke Liddell & Sapp who is based in the Dallas office, has become a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers, one of the premier legal associations in America. Founded in 1950, the College is composed of the best of the trial bar from the United States and Canada – membership is by invitation only and cannot exceed 1 percent of the total lawyer population of any state or province.

A graduate of Vanderbilt University with a law degree from Southern Methodist University, Bowles focuses his practice on complex business-related litigation. In 2003, Texas Monthly magazine named him a Texas Super Lawyer in business litigation.

Fellowship in the American College of Trial Lawyers is extended to those who have mastered the art of advocacy and whose professional careers have been marked by “the highest standards of ethical conduct, professionalism, civility and collegiality.” Lawyers must have a minimum of 15 years trial experience before they can be considered for Fellowship.

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