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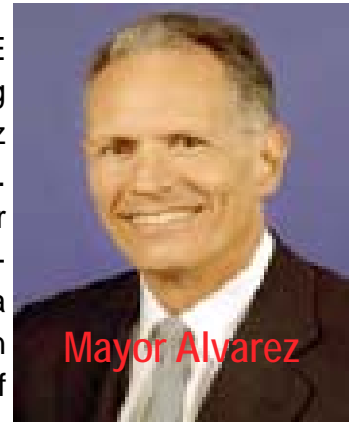
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November Miami

This year's conference is quickly approaching and I hope you all have, or are preparing to make your room reservations at the Ritz Carlton South Beach Hotel and registering for the conference with NAFUSA.

On Friday morning our CLE program will kick off with welcoming remarks from his honor Carlos Alvarez the Mayor of Miami-Dade County. Elected in November of 2004, Mayor Alvarez oversees the day to day operations of the 2,000 square mile area of Miami-Dade County, its' more than 30,000 employees and a budget of nearly \$7 million dollars.



Mayor Alvarez

Not to diminish the importance of our three returning professors, Easton, Friedman and Richmond, but the program really shines brightly with the Panel Discussion on the controversial firings of the eight US Attorneys in late 2006. The panel includes James Eisenstein, Professor of Political Science at Penn State and author of "Counsel For The United States, as moderator and two of the fired US Attorneys, David Iglesias and John McKay. Iglesias, the USA Attorney for New Mexico from October 2001 to his firing in December 2006, is presently an Associate with Walz and Associates in Albuquerque as well as a Commander in the US Navel Reserve JAG Corps. McKay, the US Attorney for the Western District of



Eisenstein



McKay



Iglesias

Washington from 2001 to his firing in late 2006. McKay was widely considered a likely candidate for elevation to the Federal bench when the seat held by Seattle US District Judge John C. Coughenour opened up in 2006. He had been a top litigator, was popular with law enforcement, and was a solid Republican and supporter of the Patriot Act. Nonetheless, he received no support from the Republicans on the judicial selection commission and soon found himself removed from his job as US Attorney as well. McKay is currently an adjunct professor of law at Seattle University School of Law. On May 21, 2007, Getty Images announced that McKay would join the corporation as senior vice president and general counsel.

Our Michael J. Bradford Award recipient for 2007 has been chosen and we are proud to announce the selection of AUSA Richard Gargoni from the Southern District of Florida. Special thanks to our President Atlee Wampler, Vice President Mike McKay (and others) who

worked most diligently reviewing all the applicants and making this decision. Look for a full storey on Mr. Gargoni and his accomplishments in our next newsletter.

Don't forget the golf tournament that our President Atlee Wampler has put together on Thursday morning at the first class La Gorce Country Club. Golfers don't miss this chance to play this outstanding course. The golf registration form is available on line at the NAFUSA website at www.nafusa.org.

This year we've made some giant steps in terms of corporate sponsorships. The Kroll Company has rejoined us. As you might remember they were with us last year in Chicago. They have been joined this year by PricewaterhouseCoopers and Ernst & Young. In addition to the firms listed below, we also have pledges of sponsorship from Deloitte Financial Advisory Services, KPMG and Jim Richmond's firm, Greenburg Traurig.

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2007 Preliminary NAFUSA Conference Schedule

Ritz Carlton Hotel • Miami Florida

Thursday • November 8, 2007

10:30 AM - Golf tournament at La Gorce Country Club - Transportation departure time to be announced
 6:00 to 8:00 PM Cocktail Reception • Mezzanine Courtyard

Friday • November 9, 2007

7:30 AM - Continental Breakfast • Mezzanine Salon 3
 8:00 AM - Welcome • **Honorable Carlos Alvarez**, Mayor Miami Dade County
 8:15 AM - Roundhouse Introduction of NAFUSA Members
 8:30 AM - **Professor Stephen D. Easton**, University of Missouri, Columbia School of Law
 9:30 AM - Executive Office of United State Attorney
 10:15 AM - Break
 10:30 AM - **J. Michael Bradford** Award Recipient
 11:15 AM **Professor Douglas R. Richmond**, Northwestern University School of Law
 12: 30 PM - Bus Transportation Departs for sightseeing and lunch cruise on the Island Queen.

Saturday • November 10, 2007

7:30 AM - Continental Breakfast • Mezzanine Salon 3
 8:00 AM - Introduction of Conference Sponsors
 8:30 AM - Panel Discussion - US Attorney Firings - **Professor James Eisenstein**, Penn State University
David Iglesias, USA District of New Mexico 2001-06 • **John McCay**, USA Western District Washington 2001-06
 10:30 AM - Break
 10:45 AM - **Professor Leon Friedman**, Hofstra University School of Law
 12:30 PM - Board of Directors Meeting
 6:00 PM - Reception/Dinner - Dinner Speaker **Barry Richard**

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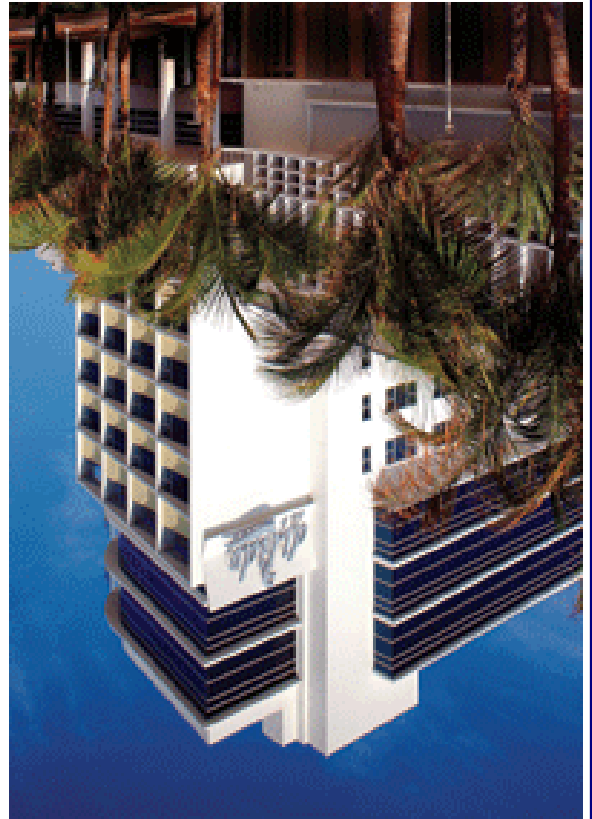
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