RESUME WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER ("CHRIS") BEARY March 1, 2016

PERSONAL:

Married to Page Dickinson Beary with whom I have four (4) girls ages 17, 16, 14, and 12. Lifelong resident of New Orleans.

EDUCATION:

B.S., University of New Orleans (Accounting)
J.D., Tulane University (Cum Laude)
Certified Public Accountant (inactive status)

PROFESSIONAL:

General business practice including transactions, litigation, tax and employment-related issues.

1993 - 1996 Deutsch, Kerrigan & Stiles, L.L.P., Associate.

1997 - 2001 Breazeale, Sachse & Wilson, L.L.P., Partner.

2001 - Present Orrill & Beary, L.L.C., Managing Partner.

My practice focuses on general business advice as well as the handling of litigation and transactions. I have been involved in complex commercial bankruptcy cases, class action litigation, multi-district litigation, shareholder disputes, labor issues, tax litigation, multi-million dollar commercial transactions and arbitrations.

I pride myself on personal attention to small and medium-sized business clients with delivery of the highest quality legal work.

My firm and I are "AV" rated by the Martindale-Hubbell rating service. The "AV" rating is the highest rating given to lawyers from the only rating service for attorneys.

CURRENT COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

Founder and Board Chair, Grace at the Green Light, Inc.
Co-Founder, The Jericho Road Episcopal Housing Initiative, L.L.C.
Treasurer and Vestry Member, Christ Church Cathedral
Coach, McGehee Mock Trial Team
Regional Champions 2015 and 2016