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## Press Release

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### ELLEN S. MORRIS, ESQ. & HOWARD S. KROOKS, ESQ. NAMED TO FLORIDA TREND'S LIST OF LEGAL ELITE 2007

**Boca Raton, Fla.** – Partners Ellen S. Morris and Howard S. Krooks have been chosen for *Florida Trend's* list of Legal Elite for 2007. They are partners of Elder Law Associates PA, a law firm with offices in Boca Raton, Aventura, West Palm Beach, and Weston. Mr. Krooks is also Of Counsel to Littman Krooks LLP in New York.

“Our peers’ recognition affirms the positive impact we make while serving our clients,” Ms. Morris said.

This annual edition of *Florida Trend's* Legal Elite names the top 868 lawyers who have earned the trust and confidence of those who know their work the best. The prestigious roster is selected from 59,481 Florida Bar members who practice in the state.

Ms. Morris is the Legislative Chair of the Elder Law Section of the Florida Bar and the Co-chair of the Elder Law Section of the South Palm Beach County Bar Association. In these roles as well as being an active member of the Academy of Florida Elder Law Attorneys and the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys, Ms. Morris participates in elder law-related legislative initiatives and devotes much of her time to analyzing the new rules and updated regulations affecting seniors and others with disabilities who require government services and protection.

Mr. Krooks is a Past Chair of the Elder Law Section of the New York State Bar Association (NYSBA). He is certified as an Elder Law Attorney by the National Elder Law Foundation and is a member of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Elder Law Attorneys. He served as Chair of a Special Committee created by the NYSBA Elder Law Section to address the Statewide Commission on Fiduciary Appointments formed by Chief Justice Judith Kaye.

#### About Elder Law Associates PA

Elder Law Associates PA is a boutique elder law firm that practices exclusively in elder law, wills and trusts, Medicaid and nursing home planning, Medicaid applications, disability planning, special needs trusts, guardianship, asset preservation, and trust and estate administration litigation. AV-rated by Martindale-Hubbell, ELA assists clients in planning for the possibility of disability, incapacity, home health care, assisted living and/or nursing home placement. The firm enables clients to avoid impoverishment caused by the escalating cost of long term care, to maintain their right to make health care decisions and to avoid unnecessary medical treatment.

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