David Fautsch joins The Weinhardt Law Firm

Des Moines, IA (March 2017) – David Fautsch has joined The Weinhardt Law Firm, a boutique Des Moines firm known for its litigation of complex civil and criminal cases.

Formerly of Hogan Lovells, a leading international law firm, Mr. Fautsch works in the areas of complex civil disputes, white collar criminal defense, internal investigations, trial practice and appeals. He also brings expertise as a former Trial Attorney at the Department of Justice and a broad range of experience in managing and trying big and small cases throughout the country.

"David Fautsch is a terrific fit with our team," said founding partner Mark Weinhardt. "Like the rest of us, he is a native Iowan who obtained his legal education and started his career outside the state,



and he has brought home those valuable experiences to build an Iowa law practice."

Mr. Fautsch was born and raised in Dubuque, Iowa, and graduated from Loras College. He graduated from the University of Michigan Law School, cum laude, in 2011 and received a Master of Public Policy degree from that university in the same year. Between college and his law/public policy studies, he taught math in the South Bronx through *Teach for America* while obtaining a master's degree in teaching at Pace University in New York. In law school, he was the Book Review Editor for the *Michigan Law Review*, the Executive Articles Editor for the *Michigan Journal of International Law*, and the Chairman of the Campbell Moot Court Board. After law school, he joined the United States Department of Justice as a Trial Attorney through the Honors Program, and he was named Rookie of the Year for the Civil Division.

Before joining The Weinhardt Law Firm he worked for Hogan Lovells in their Baltimore, Maryland office while his wife Elizabeth pursued her Ph.D. in sociology from Johns Hopkins University. David and Elizabeth have two young children. In his spare time, among other things, David plays tennis, in which he excelled in high school and at Loras College.

Mr. Fautsch is a member of the Iowa State Bar Association and the Polk County Bar Association. He is admitted to practice in Iowa and Maryland and has practiced in more than a dozen federal district courts across the country.

About The Weinhardt Law Firm

The Weinhardt Law Firm is a boutique law firm that specializes in the litigation of complex civil and criminal cases. The firm has extensive experience in all types of civil and criminal matters, but its attorneys concentrate their practices in complex business disputes and the defense of white collar criminal matters. The firm practices in federal and state courts in lowa and across the United States.

The Weinhardt Law Firm is located at 2600 Grand Avenue, Suite 450, Des Moines, less than ten minutes from the U.S. Courthouse and the Polk County Courthouse, and eight minutes from the Des Moines International Airport. To learn more, visit www.WeinhardtLaw.com or call (515) 244-3100.