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#### **LAURA HOEY JOINS UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

**Little Rock** - U.S. Attorney Tim Griffin announced today that Laura Hoey, a native of Little Rock, has joined the United States Attorney's Office as a new criminal division Assistant United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Arkansas.

"The U.S. Attorney's Office is fortunate to have someone as talented and accomplished as Laura. We are glad that she has decided to return to her home state where she will be a great asset to our office and the community."

Ms. Hoey is a 1998 *summa cum laude* graduate of the University of Notre Dame and a 2001 graduate of the Yale Law School, where she was an editor for the Yale Journal of Law & the Humanities. Prior to joining the U.S. Attorney's Office, Ms. Hoey clerked for the Honorable George A. O'Toole, Jr. in the District of Massachusetts and practiced at the Boston firm of Ropes & Gray LLP. Ms. Hoey was a member of the firm's Government Enforcement Practice Group and focused primarily on defending clients in health care fraud investigations.

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