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## Wiggin and Dana announces release of Robert Langer's new CUTPA treatise

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Robert M. Langer, Chair of Wiggin and Dana's Antitrust & Trade Regulation Practice Group, has just completed a treatise entitled "Unfair Trade Practices." The treatise of almost 1000 pages and over 3000 cases, is a comprehensive analysis of Connecticut principal consumer protection and business litigation law, the Connecticut Unfair Trade Practices Act, "CUTPA," published by Thomson West as Volume 12 of its Connecticut Practice series. The treatise, co-authored by Professor John T. Morgan and Attorney David L. Belt, is a complete revision of an earlier treatise first published in 1994 by the *Connecticut Law Tribune*. Mr. Langer played a central role in the drafting of many key amendments to CUTPA since its enactment in 1973, and has participated in many seminal Connecticut Supreme Court cases interpreting CUTPA.

Mr. Langer is involved in all aspects of antitrust and trade regulation counseling and litigation, and regularly represents clients before the Federal Trade Commission, the Antitrust Division of the United States Department of Justice, as well as offices of state attorneys general throughout the United States.

Before joining Wiggin and Dana in 1994, Mr. Langer was the Assistant Attorney General in charge of Antitrust and Consumer Protection for the State of Connecticut.

A graduate of Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, Pennsylvania (A.B. 1970) and the University of Connecticut School of Law (J.D. 1973), Mr. Langer was admitted to practice and became an Assistant Attorney General in the Antitrust Unit in 1973. He was appointed head of Consumer Protection in 1976, and head of both Antitrust and Consumer Protection in 1980.

Mr. Langer served as Chair of the National Association of Attorneys General (NAAG) Multistate Antitrust Task Force from 1990 to 1992, and in that capacity served as the NAAG Representative to the Council of the Section of Antitrust Law of the American Bar Association (ABA). He previously served as a Vice-Chair of the Task Force; and, from 1988 to 1990 served as Chair of the Eastern States Antitrust Committee, comprised of all states from Maine to Virginia.

Mr. Langer currently serves as a member of the Council, and previously served as Chair and as a Vice-Chair of the Consumer Protection Committee, Co-Chair of the Legislation Committee, Co-Chair of the Federal and State Legislative Policy Task Force, Vice-Chair of the Continuing Legal Education Committee and Chair of the State Antitrust Enforcement Committee, of the Section of Antitrust Law of the ABA. He is also a member of the Bureau of National Affairs *Antitrust and Trade Regulation Report* Advisory Board and the Board of Editors of the *Matthew Bender Antitrust Report*.