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J. Alan Truitt Recognized in *Who's Who Legal: USA – Environment 2006*

Birmingham, AL— J. Alan Truitt, an attorney with Maynard, Cooper & Gale, P.C. was selected for inclusion in *Who's Who Legal: USA – Environment 2006*. *Who's Who Legal: USA – Environment 2006* identifies the preeminent private practice lawyers with a proven track record in providing environmental advice to clients in transactional, litigation and regulatory matters. The lawyers featured are determined by analyzing the opinions of law firm clients and lawyers who specialize in environmental law from across the country.

Truitt is a shareholder in the Birmingham office of Maynard, Cooper & Gale, P.C. and practices in all areas of environmental law. He graduated *magna cum laude* from Rhodes College in 1987 and then graduated with honors from the University of Texas at Austin School of Law in 1990. Truitt has handled numerous toxic tort actions as well as federal enforcement proceedings and citizens' suits brought under the Clean Air Act, the Clean Water Act, and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. He also regularly represents clients before the Environmental Protection Agency and various state and local environmental management agencies.

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