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National Academy of Arbitrators Elects Officers; Roberta Golick Named President-Elect

BOSTON—June 28, 2010—Roberta Golick of Sudbury, MA was elected President-Elect of the National Academy of Arbitrators (NAA), www.naarb.org, the leading North American organization of labor and employment arbitrators, it was announced today.

Golick will succeed current President Gil Vernon when his term expires in May 2011 at the annual NAA conference for labor and management practitioners in San Diego.

"I look forward to promoting the understanding of the arbitration of labor-management and employment disputes and advancing the growth and visibility of the Academy on an international and regional basis," says Golick, a full-time arbitrator and mediator.

Others elected include: Vice Presidents: Margaret Brogan, Philadelphia, PA, Shyam Das, Haverford, PA, Allen Ponak, Calgary, AB and Barry Winograd, Oakland, CA; Board of Governors: Lloyd Byars, Atlanta, GA, Catherine Harris, Sacramento, CA, Margo Newman, Toronto, ON, and Elizabeth Wesman, Hendersonville, NC; and Executive Secretary-Treasurer: David Petersen, Pittsburgh, PA.

About the National Academy of Arbitrators

The National Academy of Arbitrators (NAA), www.naarb.org, is a professional and honorary organization of more than 600 labor and employment arbitrators from the United States and Canada. Founded in 1947, the NAA fosters the highest standards of integrity, competence, honor, and character among those engaged in the resolution of labor-management and other workplace disputes.

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