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**William Slade Named General Counsel
For Henry M. Jackson Foundation**

Rockville, Md. (Oct. 14, 2008)—The Henry M. Jackson Foundation for the Advancement of Military Medicine, Inc. (HJF) has appointed William E. Slade as general counsel, effective Oct. 10.

Mr. Slade joined HJF as an assistant general counsel in 2004. In that capacity, he advised senior management on various legal matters, including government contracts, corporate law, intellectual property and technology transfer activities.

Before joining the Foundation, Mr. Slade was a vice president and senior corporate counsel for ACS Government Services, Inc. and a partner in the Government Contracts and Construction Law Practice Group at Patton Boggs, a Washington, D.C., law firm. He also served as a criminal litigator and government contracts attorney for the Department of the Army.

Mr. Slade is a member of the District of Columbia bar. He earned his bachelor's degree in economics from St. Lawrence University, his Juris Doctor degree from Vermont Law School and a master of laws degree in government procurement law from George Washington University.

“Bill Slade has been a valued member of the HJF legal department for four years and has made significant contributions to our Foundation,” said John W. Lowe, HJF president and chief executive officer. “As our general counsel, I am sure Bill will continue to provide sound legal and business advice for the important work the Foundation undertakes to advance military medicine.”

Mr. Slade replaces John McDaniel, who left the foundation to pursue other interests.

The Henry M. Jackson Foundation for the Advancement of Military Medicine, Inc. (HJF) is a private, not-for-profit organization established in 1983 and authorized by Congress to support medical research and education at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences and throughout the broader military medical community. For more information, visit www.hjf.org.