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Kumon North America Announces New Vice President, General Counsel, Robert Lichtenstein

February 28, 2007 (Teaneck, NJ) – Kumon North America, the world’s largest education program, announces the appointment of Robert Lichtenstein to vice president, general counsel.

Lichtenstein brings more than 25 years of legal experience to Kumon and joins from the University of Nevada, where he was director of real estate. He is a member of the Bars of the States of New York and New Jersey as well as the Bars of several federal jurisdictions, including the United States Supreme Court. Lichtenstein also served as director of real estate for New York University as an associate adjunct professor at the NYU Real Estate Institute.

"Robert’s broad range of legal experience is vital to Kumon’s growth," said Kazu Shibata, president of Kumon North America. "Robert’s ethical and professional standards are critical in leading a department of 12 attorneys and he will work to reduce our reliance on outside counsel."

Lichtenstein will be responsible for providing Kumon with world-class legal services that help Kumon achieve its goals. He will ensure that the advice and services provided are strategic, cost-effective, and meet the highest legal, ethical and professional standards.

"Kumon attorneys play significant roles in helping to develop academic excellence, character and life skills in all students," said Lichtenstein. "By proactively providing accurate legal advice in an expeditious manner, the Legal Department will be a keystone in Kumon’s continued international success."

About Kumon Math and Reading Centers

Kumon is an after-school math and reading program. Founded in Japan in 1958, the learning method uses a systematic approach that helps children develop a solid command of math and reading skills. Through daily practice and mastery of materials, students increase confidence, improve concentration and develop better study skills. Worldwide, there are 4 million students studying at more than 26,000 Kumon Centers in 43 countries. For more information: 1-800-ABC-MATH or visit www.kumon.com. Kumon North America is headquartered in Teaneck, New Jersey.

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