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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Local IP law firm adds a seasoned veteran to its roster!

NASHUA, NH – July 17, 2019 – Maine Cernota & Rardin, an intellectual property law firm based in Nashua, also known as MCR, is pleased to announce its affiliation with Attorney Walter Dawson, formerly of Pearson & Pearson LLP in Lowell, Massachusetts. For the past twenty four years Mr. Dawson has served as a Patent and Trademark Attorney for Pearson & Pearson, where he represented various clients with intellectual property matters in electrical, mechanical, computer and many other technology areas. Previous to that, he was a member of the design team that developed the Apollo Spacecraft Guidance Computers and the Trident Missile Guidance System Computers at Raytheon Company and he was a principal engineer and patent attorney for Raytheon Company. Mr. Dawson also specializes in Patent and Trademark infringement for enforcement of patents and trademarks.

According to MCR's founding attorney Vern Maine: "There is no substitute for real world experience such as Mr. Dawson has, when valuable innovation needs legal protection!"

Mr. Dawson is admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court and the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Mr. Dawson's trial work also extends to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, United States Claims Court, United States District Court for the First Circuit, United States District Court for the District of New Hampshire and state courts in Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

He is a graduate of Suffolk University Law School (J.D. 1976), Northeastern University (MSEE, 1965) and Lowell Technological Institute (BSEE- Now University of Massachusetts – Lowell, 1959). He was president of the Boston Patent Law Association in 1999. He is a current member of the Greater Lowell Bar Association, New Hampshire Bar Association, and the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers. As well as, a current Board Member of the Independent University Alumni Association of Lowell and the UMASS Lowell Industry Advisory Board for the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department.

Walter resides in Nashua and Laconia with his wife Mary and in their spare time they enjoy boating on Lake Winnipesaukee with sons Wally, Steve, Mark, Gary and their seven grandchildren. Walter can be reached at wdawson@mcr-ip.com.

## **About Maine Cernota & Rardin**

Established in 1993, Maine Cernota & Rardin, formerly Maine & Asmus, is an intellectual property law firm providing quality legal representation through closely coupled attorney/client relationships, to a broad spectrum of local and international clients. The firm focuses its practice on the intelligent planning and execution of intellectual property strategies for technology based companies. For more information, please visit <a href="www.mcr-ip.com">www.mcr-ip.com</a> or call 603-886-6100.

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