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Kiawah Partners Hires In-House General Counsel

CHARLESTON, SC (October 13, 2011) – Kiawah Partners, the international real estate development company, is pleased to announce that Robert L. Brooke has joined the company as general counsel. Brooke has practiced law for 27 years and was previously a partner with Troutman Sanders LLP in Richmond, Virginia where he practiced intellectual property, civil litigation and corporate law. As general counsel for Kiawah Partners he will be responsible for all legal matters pertaining to the company and its affiliates, including acting as their general counsel, managing their outside legal representation, litigation and contracts, among other duties, for their properties at Kiawah Island, South Carolina, St. Kitts and Ireland.

“Rob’s breadth of knowledge in several different sectors of the law will be a tremendous addition to Kiawah Partners and we’re confident his experience will help us with our diverse legal needs both here and abroad,” said Charles P. Darby III, Chairman and CEO of Kiawah Partners.

Brooke holds a B.A. from Washington & Lee University and a J.D. from the University of Virginia. He is married to Elizabeth Lynn Brooke, a Charleston native, and together has three daughters: Caroline, Elizabeth and Ralston.

Kiawah Partners is the master developer of Kiawah Island, a 10,000-acre barrier island located 21 miles south of Charleston, South Carolina. The company’s subsidiaries include Kiawah Island Real Estate; The Kiawah Island Club, which encompasses The River Course, Cassique, Beach Club, Sports Pavilion, and Sasanqua spa; Freshfields Village; The Lodge at Doonbeg in Ireland; and Christophe Harbour in St. Kitts. For more information, visit www.KPNewsroom.com.

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