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HistoryMiami selects Aaron S. Podhurst as “Legal Legend” for his contributions to South Florida legal system

Miami – July 30, 2010 – [HistoryMiami's](#) 11th Judicial Circuit Historical Society (11JCHS) has selected Aaron Podhurst, partner of Miami-based law firm [Podhurst Orseck](#), as a recipient of its prestigious [Legal Legends Award](#). The Legal Legends Award honors a select and esteemed group of South Florida lawyers, judges, and other legal professionals who over a period of at least 25 years have provided outstanding contributions to the legal system.

[Aaron Podhurst](#) has been a distinguished trial lawyer for more than 40 years with a career that has brought him honors and offices from virtually every major legal organization, including presidencies of the International Academy of Trial Lawyers and The Florida Justice Association, fellowship in the American College of Trial Lawyers, member of Board of Governors of American Association for Justice, membership in the International Society of Barristers and the Inner Circle of Advocates, member of the Cuban American Bar Association and chairmanship of various aviation committees of the American Bar Association, American Association for Justice and The Florida Justice Association.

While he has built his reputation as one of the nation's premiere plaintiff's aviation lawyers, Mr. Podhurst has guided the firm in recent years to its status as one of the major commercial litigation firms in South Florida. At the same time, he has managed to devote countless hours to community service, including serving as chairman of the Miami Art Museum and president of the Greater Miami Jewish Federation. He has been honored with the Medallion of Honor from the National Conference for Community and Justice and the 1999 Jurisprudence Award from the Anti-Defamation League amongst other recognitions.

According to HistoryMiami, Mr. Podhurst was selected as a Legal Legend in large part because his professional and civic accomplishments have made him the “man to see” in South Florida for any type of case. Additionally, he has built a successful extensive career handling complex aviation, automotive, healthcare, construction and other types of lawsuits.

Mr. Podhurst will be formally recognized along with six other award recipients at the 4th Annual Legal Legends Awards Dinner to be held at the Epic Hotel on Saturday, November 20, 2010.

About Podhurst Orseck

Miami-based Podhurst Orseck, P.A., established over four decades ago, is a top flight boutique trial and appellate firm focusing its practice on tort litigation matters including aviation, products liability, serious personal injury, and wrongful death claims, as well as complex commercial litigation and white collar defense. Additionally, the firm has a strong appellate practice, handling appeals for its own attorneys and attorneys throughout the nation, in various state and federal appellate courts, including the United States Supreme Court. The firm has consistently received an AV-Rating from Martindale-Hubbell Law Directory, the highest possible rating, based on legal ability and general ethical standards. For more information, please visit www.podhurst.com.

About HistoryMiami

HistoryMiami is the premier cultural institution committed to gathering, organizing, preserving and celebrating Miami's history as the unique crossroads of the Americas. Through exhibitions, city tours, education, research, collections and publications, HistoryMiami advocates for helping everyone understand the importance of the past in shaping Miami's future.

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