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GLICKMAN TAPS DANIEL MANDIL TO OVERSEE WORLDWIDE LEGAL AFFAIRS AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY PROTECTION FOR THE MPAA

LOS ANGELES - The Motion Picture Association of America, Inc. (MPAA) today announced it has named Daniel M. Mandil as Senior Executive Vice President, Chief of Legal Affairs and Intellectual Property Protection. Mandil will oversee all legal affairs for the association and all its projects and programs relating to anti-piracy and intellectual property protection on a global basis. Mandil will also be the association's corporate secretary. Mandil will assume his new position on May 15 and report jointly to MPAA Chairman and CEO Dan Glickman and President and Chief Operating Officer Bob Pisano.

“Daniel joins our management team with vast experience and a breadth of knowledge of the challenges facing the creators and distributors of films and television and will be a crucial voice and guide for our industry as we continue to explore and embrace new ways to deliver high-quality premium content to consumers around the globe,” Glickman said.

Mandil previously served as Executive Vice President, Global General Counsel & Secretary of Sony BMG Music Entertainment (SBME), the world's second largest recorded music company. Prior to serving as General Counsel at SBME, Mandil was a litigation partner in the New York office of Covington & Burling and its predecessor firms.

“Worldwide protection of our member companies' IP rights and management of all the legal issues and challenges that go along with securing those protections are at the core of the MPAA's mission,” said Mandil. “I am honored and excited by the prospect of working with the great teams of professionals at the MPAA and its member companies. These are fascinating times for the movie industry and I am thrilled to have the opportunity to contribute to the continuing vibrancy of an industry that means so much to so many.”

A graduate of Harvard College, Harvard University and Columbia Law School where he was the Editor-in-Chief of the Columbia Law Review, Mandil began his legal career as a judicial law clerk to then-Judge Ruth Bader Ginsburg and Justice Sandra Day O'Connor. Mandil, his wife and three children will be relocating to Los Angeles from their current home in New York City.

About the MPAA

The Motion Picture Association of America, Inc. (MPAA) serves as the voice and advocate of the American motion picture, home video and television industries from its offices in Los Angeles and Washington, D.C. Its members include: Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures; Paramount Pictures Corporation; Sony Pictures Entertainment Inc.; Twentieth Century Fox Film Corporation; Universal City Studios LLLP; and Warner Bros. Entertainment Inc.

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