Thomas Jefferson School of Law Professors Berenson and Greene Promoted

SAN DIEGO – Thomas Jefferson School of Law Dean and President Rudy Hasl has announced that tenured professors that Steve Berenson and Kevin “K.J.” Greene have been promoted to the rank of Full Professor. The appointments were approved by the law school’s Board of Trustees after recommendations of the Tenure and Promotion Committee.

“I offer my sincere congratulations to both faculty members and share the congratulations of the Board members as well,” said Dean Hasl.

Professor Berenson, who earned LL.M. (Master of Laws) and Juris Doctor degrees from Harvard Law School, is the director of TJSL’s Veterans Legal Assistance Clinic. He has been with the law school since 2002 and teaches Elder Law, Family Law, Legal Writing, Professional Responsibility and Remedies.

After working with Harvard Defenders and doing a clerkship with the Massachusetts Appeals Court, Professor Berenson spent more than five years as an Assistant Massachusetts Attorney General, where he focused on civil litigation in the areas of administrative, constitutional and consumer protection law.

Professor Greene, who earned his Juris Doctor from Yale Law School, is one of the most highly-regarded entertainment law and Intellectual Property attorneys in San Diego. He has been at TJSL since 1997 and teaches Contracts, Entertainment Law, Intellectual Property and Music Law.

While practicing law in New York City, Professor Greene represented Time-Warner/HBO, film director Spike Lee as well as the rap group Public Enemy.

Thomas Jefferson School of Law is fully accredited by the American Bar Association (ABA), is a member of the Association of American Law Schools (AALS). The law school is moving into a new state of the art campus in Downtown San Diego in January of 2011.

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