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Monument Adds Tech Expert Troy Stock

Troy to Advise Clients on Federal Privacy and Data Issues Shaping Future of Sector

Washington, DC – Monument Advocacy today announced Troy Stock – former Policy Counsel for the Senate Republican Policy Committee under Chairman Roy Blunt (R-Mo.) – has joined its technology practice. Troy also worked for former Representative Will Hurd (R-Texas) as Staff Director on the IT Subcommittee of the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and served as a counsel to former Representative Jason Chaffetz (R-Utah). He brings deep issue area expertise in privacy and lawful access to data to Monument's wide range of technology clients.

"Troy has a breadth of knowledge on the issues that matter most to our clients," said Andrew Howell, who leads Monument's technology practice. "Privacy and data policy will continue to be at the center of the federal tech policy agenda, and Troy has the experience necessary to help our clients engage in these ever-evolving issues."

"After over a decade on the Hill, I am excited to use my strong background to help our clients analyze and navigate technology, privacy, and data policy," said Troy Stock. "Monument has an excellent reputation on the Hill and across industry as a firm that understands both the politics and the policy. I am proud to join the Monument team, and its growing technology practice."

"Troy provided an invaluable contribution to the Republican Policy Committee and the Senate in helping us understand complicated and important technology issues," said former Senator Roy Blunt (R-Mo.). "He was an essential part of what we did at RPC and will be a great asset for the Monument Advocacy team."

"Troy started working for me as a law clerk, where I trusted him to put together the first bill I ever passed," said former Representative Jason Chaffetz (R-Utah). "He has a deep understanding of technology and privacy issues and works in a collegial and bipartisan manner to reach solutions. He was among the best on my team and on Capitol Hill, and Monument Advocacy is fortunate to have him."

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About Troy

Troy worked on Capitol Hill for over a decade. He served as counsel to Congressman Jason Chaffetz (R-Utah), staff director for the Subcommittee on Information Technology on the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee under Chairman Will Hurd (R-Texas), and as policy counsel on the Senate Republican Policy Committee under the leadership of Senator Roy Blunt (R-Mo.). Troy has broad experience and expertise in technology, privacy, and cybersecurity policy. At the Republican Policy Committee Troy worked to educate Republican Senators and staff in a wide array of technology, cybersecurity, privacy, and telecom topics including data privacy, content moderation, ransomware, antitrust, semiconductors, and bridging the digital divide. He is a founding member of the Congressional Tech Staff Association. Troy has a B.A. in Political Science from Brigham Young University and a J.D. from Duke University School of Law.

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