Emily Blum Kile Kile & Kupiszewski Law Firm, LLC

Scottsdale, Arizona 85258

LICENSED TO PRACTICE:

State of Arizona, 1998 State of Illinois, 1993 (inactive)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Kile & Kupiszewski Law Firm, LLC (f/k/a Kile Law Firm, P.C.), Scottsdale, Arizona Attorney, October, 2004-present

- Practice in the area of Elder Law, including estate planning, guardianship, conservatorship, special needs planning, ALTCS and VA benefits planning, estate settlement and probate matters.

Lofy & Kile, P.C., Phoenix, Arizona

Attorney, November 2000-October, 2004

- Practice in the areas of estate planning, litigation and dispute resolution. Handle all aspects of each matter including: initial interview of client; legal research; draft pleadings; settlement conferences; depositions; arbitration hearings; and other oral arguments.

Systematic Management Systems, Paradise Valley, Arizona **Executive Vice President**, December 1998-November 2001

- Responsible for drafting and negotiating contracts for all services of start up Medicare consulting firm. Responsible for legal research to ensure compliance. Daily contact with all levels of management at long term care facilities, state associations and government agencies.

First Health Group Corporation, Scottsdale, Arizona

Senior Attorney, April 1997-December 1998; January 2002-October 2005

- Negotiate and draft client, vendor and all other corporate contracts for managed care company. Negotiate contracts with clients. Work on various real estate transactions and draft appropriate legal documents including sublease agreements. Provide legal advice as needed to all departments.

Katten Muchin & Zavis, Chicago, Illinois

Associate, Corporate Health Care Department, September 1993-December 1996

- Practice in the areas of litigation and health and hospital law. Involved in a wide range of transactional and litigation projects including: the creation of a health maintenance organization; and representing health professionals in front of government agencies.

EDUCATION:

J.D., Northeastern University School of Law, Boston, Massachusetts, May 1993
M.A., Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts, May 1988
B.A., University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, May 1986

HONORS: Magna Cum Laude (Psychology), Phi Beta Kappa, Dean's Scholar.

MEMBERSHIP AND VOLUNTEER: Member of the Special Needs Alliance, Member of the Academy of Special Needs Planners, Former Arbitrator for the Arizona Better Business Bureau; Past Chairperson of the Elder Law, Mental Health and Special Needs Planning Section of the State Bar of Arizona, Member of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys; Vice Chair, Foothills Caring Corps; Member of the Fiduciary Board; Member of the Alzheimer's Association Program Committee; Chairperson of the Board of Adjustment, Town of Paradise Valley.

<u>OTHER</u>. Retained as Expert in Medicaid litigation case; former Co-Chair of the Academy of Special Needs Planners annual conference (2016 and 2017); Chair of the Member Services Committee of the Special Needs Alliance.