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**Anson Group adds former FDA compliance officer, Sandra Williams, as a Senior Regulatory Consultant**

(Indianapolis, Indiana) July 13th, 2011 The Anson Group announces today the addition of Sandra Williams, JD, as a Senior Regulatory Consultant. Ms. Williams served in a number of compliance and investigation roles at the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for more than 37 years.

As an FDA field compliance officer, Ms. Williams evaluated inspectional reports and determined appropriate regulatory actions to be taken against companies that were in violation of laws and regulations enforced by the FDA and/or negotiated voluntary corrective actions with regulated firms. She drafted Agency legal documents for food, pharmaceutical, medical device, blood bank, plasmapheresis, and reproductive tissue bank cases.

Ms. Williams managed the recalls/corrections and removals program for FDA's Detroit District Office for approximately 15 years. In this role, she interacted and negotiated with industry management on the appropriate depth of recall actions and the proper scope of products to be recalled, with a focus on crisis risk management and risk prevention. When needed, she provided assistance to industry in drafting press releases and recall documents.

"With her wealth of experience as a FDA compliance officer and investigator, Sandra brings a highly valuable blend of pharmaceutical and medical device regulatory experience and knowledge to The Anson Group," states President and CEO Colleen Hittle. "Companies developing new medical technologies are constantly faced with regulatory compliance challenges that require the talent and expertise of people like Sandra to help Anson clients navigate through and keep pace with change and opportunity resulting from those issues."

**About Anson Group**

The Anson Group is a woman-owned independent regulatory consulting organization headquartered in Indianapolis, IN. Since 1996, the Anson Group has provided tailored, client-focused regulatory compliance solutions for medical device, pharmaceutical, biologics, combination product and most recently, connected health clients. Looking at issues in the context of our clients' resources and culture, our team of industry experts identifies available regulatory options and helps select the best pathway for overall client success.