

James E. Arnold & Associates, LPA Welcomes Fresh Talent

Capital Law Graduate, Justin E. Isom, Joins James E. Arnold & Associates, LPA.

Columbus, Ohio, November 24, 2008 --- James E. Arnold & Associates, LPA (JEAA) recently added a sixth attorney to the team, Ohio native, Justin E. Isom. Justin received several offers from other firms but ultimately decided to join JEAA thanks to what he calls "a mutual commitment to excellence." Thanks to Justin's personal commitment to excellence and tireless dedication to his studies, Justin sat for the July 2008 Ohio Bar Exam and learned he passed it on October 31, 2008.

Justin was born in Dayton, but left Ohio to attend the University of Minnesota where he earned two degrees, a Bachelor of Science and Master of Education. During his sophomore year, Justin walked-on the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers Football Team and subsequently earned a full athletic scholarship. He immediately became a starter at strong safety and garnered several All-America and All-Big Ten academic and athletic honors. Off the field, Justin served as a legal intern for a solo practitioner.

Upon completing his Master of Education, Justin returned to Ohio to play one season for the Columbus Destroyers Arena Football Team. Shortly thereafter, he enrolled into Capital University Law School and graduated three years later. During law school, Justin gained legal experience working as a judicial extern for the Honorable Michael H. Watson of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio and a law clerk for a Columbus law firm. Justin also served as a Research Editor for the *Capital University Law Review*.

As an Associate Attorney, Justin will be practicing litigation for the firm focusing on class actions and business litigation. You may reach him at 614.460.1635 and jisom@arnlaw.com.