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**REHABCARE APPOINTS PATRICIA WILLIAMS AS GENERAL COUNSEL**

**St. Louis, MO, Nov. 12, 2007** – RehabCare Group, Inc., (NYSE:RHB) announced that it has named Patricia Williams its new Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary. Williams' appointment ends an extensive search for a seasoned professional to provide legal oversight of company strategies, compliance, and operations and business transactions following the resignation of General Counsel David Groce in June.

"We're excited to have someone with Patricia's qualifications serve as our chief legal advisor," said John H. Short, Ph.D., RehabCare President and CEO. "Patricia has a strong 14-year track record representing public companies and an outstanding background in securities law."

Williams' credentials include a mix of practice with leading international and regional legal firms. Her most recent position was Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary for St. Louis-based Thermadyne Holdings, an international designer and manufacturer of cutting and welding products. At Thermadyne, Ms. Williams advised on all SEC reporting activities, corporate governance and compliance, acquisitions, risk management as well as routine financial transactions and litigation.

Prior to joining Thermadyne, Ms. Williams was an Associate at the international law firm of Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal and the regional firm of Gallop, Johnson & Neuman.

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"The Office of General Counsel influences all aspects of our business, from defining and developing corporate policies to examining the opportunities and implications of major transactions," Dr. Short said. "Patricia's experience aligns with the nature and scope of our business activities and current company strategies."

"Despite operating within a heavily regulated environment, RehabCare has prospered by listening and responding to the needs of the marketplace and leading the way in effecting change," commented Williams. "I'm excited to join a team that is focused on delivering exemplary patient care and unique solutions for healthcare providers and will work to ensure that RehabCare remains a respected leader in the industry."

Williams received her B.S. degree in Political Science from Southeast Missouri State University and her Juris Doctorate from St. Louis University-School of Law.

Celebrating its 25th anniversary, RehabCare ([www.rehabcare.com](http://www.rehabcare.com)) is a leading national provider of physical rehabilitation services in conjunction with nearly 1,250 skilled nursing facilities and hospitals in 43 states and the District of Columbia. The Company also owns and/or operates freestanding rehabilitation and long-term acute care hospitals.

*Photo available on request*

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