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## Lear Announces Executive Appointments

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SOUTHFIELD, Mich., May 15 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Lear Corporation, a leading global supplier of automotive seating, electronics and electrical distribution systems, announced today that Wendy L. Foss has been elected to the position of corporate secretary in addition to her responsibilities as vice president - Finance and Administration, and Liam E. Hart has been promoted to deputy general counsel, effective immediately. Both Foss and Hart will report to Daniel A. Ninivaggi, executive vice president and general counsel.

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 "Wendy and Liam are experienced professionals who have excellent track [records](#)

in areas of increasing responsibility," commented Dan Ninivaggi. "Wendy's experience as deputy corporate secretary, chairperson of our Corporate Compliance Committee, assistant controller and a variety of other Finance and Administration positions make her the perfect candidate for this expanded role."

"As deputy general counsel, Liam will assume greater management responsibility of legal matters in addition to overseeing our outside counsel [relationships](#) in North America," added Ninivaggi. "In addition, he will continue to be directly involved in significant commercial, [product liability](#) and [warranty](#) matters. We are fortunate to have individuals of their caliber on our Lear team."

Foss earned a [Bachelor of Science](#) in Business Administration from [Central Michigan University](#) and a [Master of Science degree in Finance](#) from Walsh [College](#). A Certified Public Accountant, Foss sits on the Finance Committees for the Visiting Nurse Association, Inc. and Inforum (formerly known as the Women's Economic Club).

Hart earned his [Bachelor of Arts](#) in Economics and Business Administration from Kalamazoo College and his [Juris Doctorate](#) summa cum laude from the University of Detroit [School of Law](#), where he was a senior editor for the Law Review.

Lear Corporation is one of the world's largest suppliers of automotive seating systems, electronic products and electrical distribution systems. In 2006, Lear ranked #130 among the Fortune 500. Lear's world-class products are designed, engineered and manufactured by a diverse team of more than 90,000 employees at 236 facilities in 33 countries. Lear's headquarters are in Southfield, Michigan. Lear is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol [LEA]. Further information about Lear is available on the Internet at <http://www.lear.com/>.

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