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**Strauss & Troy delivers clothes and gifts to residents of
Holly Hill Children's Services**

NORTHERN KENTUCKY / CINCINNATI—Law firm Strauss & Troy (www.strausstroy.com) delivered winter clothing, collectible porcelain dolls and wish list gifts Tuesday evening, December 14th, to displaced girls at Holly Hill Children's Services in California, Kentucky.

As part of its annual holiday philanthropic mission, the firm's Make A Difference Team used money raised from the firm's Dress Down Day, which encourages attorneys and staff to pay for the privilege to "dress down" on Fridays, to buy coats and complete outfits for Holly Hill's 19 residents, ages 11 to 18. The Make A Difference Team presented the clothing to the girls at a special holiday party at the home. Each of the girls also received a special treat—three gifts of their choosing selected from their personal wish lists. Some wish list items included a Care Bears comforter, a Holiday Barbie, gym shoes, and a Care Bears stuffed animal, among many others. The firm also gave away nine collectible porcelain dolls, each adorned in its own handcrafted outfit, to the girls. The dolls were purchased by Make A Difference Team members on December 7th via silent auction at The Salvation Army's Toy Shop Auxiliary Annual Silver Tea Doll Show.

Strauss & Troy has organized similar events at Holly Hill every year since 1999, and is celebrating its 17th year of bringing the holidays to those in need. The firm not only enlists the help of employee volunteers, but also accepts help from clients interested in donating wish list items.

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“The children in our care oftentimes do not have happy Christmas memories because they are from homes where violence and neglect are everyday occurrences,” said Denise Chickey, Holly Hill’s volunteer coordinator. “Because of the generosity of Strauss & Troy, our girls will have a meaningful holiday knowing that they are remembered during this very special time of year.”

Holly Hill Children’s Services, with offices in California, Kentucky and Wilder, Kentucky, is a multi-faceted agency supporting Northern Kentucky’s troubled and neglected children through six program areas: Residential Treatment; Therapeutic Foster Care; Foster-Adoption Services; Case Management; Therapeutic Support; and Supervised Visitation/Monitored Exchange. The agency provided services to nearly 350 children in 2004.

For more information about Holly Hill Children’s Services, contact Denise Chickey at (859) 635-0500. For more information about Strauss & Troy and the firm’s Make A Difference Team, contact Bill Woods at (513) 621-2120.

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