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Memphis Law Office Recognized for Making a Difference in Community

December 1, 2008, Memphis, TN – The Memphis law office of Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP was honored by the Ben F. Jones Chapter of the National Bar Association with the 2008 Making The Difference Award. This award recognizes the efforts of local law firms or organizations who have made a commitment to be a strong community partner and a good corporate citizen.

The Ben F. Jones Bar Association acknowledges the involvement, commitment, and dedication of the Linebarger Memphis office to important causes such as the Boys & Girls Club of Memphis, local efforts to raise funds for muscular dystrophy, and their volunteer work with the Juvenile Court of Memphis. Accepting the award on behalf of the firm was Managing Partner Pamela Pope Johnson. The award was presented at the chapter's annual Barristers' Ball & Scholarship Award Banquet.

"Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson is proud to make a difference in Memphis," Johnson said. "As a partner in this firm, I am excited to play a personal role in our commitment to bettering the communities that we serve through involvement in philanthropic initiatives."

Linebarger Goggan supports other charitable organizations such as Adopt-a-Classroom, the Leukemia Foundation, the Komen Foundation, the Boy Scouts of America, and the United Way.

About Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP

For over 30 years Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP has focused on collections. The firm is a major player in the collection industry with over 2,800 clients, serving both the public and private sectors from offices in Arizona, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, and Virginia. The firm was a recipient of the U.S. Conference of Mayors' 2007 Award for Outstanding Achievement in partnership with the City of Houston as well as two prior awards, one in 2004 in partnership with the City of Chicago and one in 2001 in partnership with the City of Dallas. The firm continually invests in its advanced technologies and its professional legal and collection personnel in order to provide its clients with the highest level of collection services.

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