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Hunton & Williams LLP Ranked #2 in South Florida Diversity Scorecard

Hunton & Williams LLP is pleased to announce that the *Daily Business Review*'s annual South Florida Diversity Scorecard ranked the firm #2 among area law firms for its number of minority attorneys. The Scorecard also ranked Hunton & Williams among the top 20 firms for its ability to retain minority attorneys over the past three years. The rankings, which were published in the magazine's January 26 edition, are based on surveys sent to 190 South Florida firms asking for numbers of attorneys by gender, ethnicity and sexual orientation.

"It is Hunton & Williams' belief that a diverse workplace is essential to providing the very best service to our clients," stated Wally Martinez, managing partner of the firm. "We are committed to 'continuous improvement' when it comes to programs that support the recruitment, retention and promotion of diverse attorneys, and are honored to be included among so many excellent South Florida firms in this important listing."

Marty Steinberg, managing partner of the firm's Miami office, added: "We work hard to make sure diversity remains 'top of mind' in Florida and in all of the firm's 14 U.S. offices. We are very pleased that our efforts to maintain a diverse workplace have been recognized in the *Daily Business Review*'s 2009 South Florida Diversity Scorecard."

For more information about diversity at Hunton & Williams, please visit the Diversity link on <u>www.hunton.com</u>.

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