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CITY BAR ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES WINNERS OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AWARDS

New York -- The Association of the Bar of the City of New York announced the names of the four winners of the 2005 Municipal Affairs Awards, given in recognition for outstanding achievement by an attorney in the New York City Law Department. The awards were presented at a special ceremony on Monday, June 27, 2005, at the New York City Bar. Federal Judge Naomi Reice Buchwald of the Southern District of New York presented the awards to the following outstanding Assistant Corporation Counsels:

- Meredith Kopelow, Family Court
- Gabriela P. Cacuci, Tax and Bankruptcy Litigation
- Donna Kasbohm, General Litigation
- Michelle Goldberg-Cahn, Administrative Law

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From left to right:

Bettina B. Plevan, President, New York City Bar; Meredith Kopelow; Gabriela P. Cacuci; Judge Naomi Reice Buchwald; Donna Kasbohm; Michelle Goldberg-Cahn; Michael A. Cardozo, Corporation Counsel.

About the Association

The Association of the Bar of the City of New York (<u>www.abcny.org</u>) was founded in 1870, and since then has been dedicated to maintaining the high ethical standards of the profession, promoting reform of the law, and providing service to the profession and the public. Protecting the public's welfare remains one of the Association's highest priorities.