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## TUCKER ELLIS RECEIVES TRAILBLAZER AWARD FROM THE CMBA

Cleveland, Ohio, April 9, 2012 – Tucker Ellis received the inaugural Trailblazer Award from the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association (CMBA) at this year's Diversity & Inclusion Conference at Cleveland-Marshall College of Law. The award was accepted by Carter Strang and Sanford Watson on behalf of the firm.

The Trailblazer award recognizes and celebrates individuals and organizations that are building genuine cultures of inclusion within their workforce, their clients, and the community at large. Tucker Ellis was noted for having a deep-rooted culture of community service and for developing initiatives that are on the cutting edge of the CMBA Diversity Circles criteria. Tucker Ellis is honored to receive this award and looks forward to continuing this kind of excellence within the communities it inhabits.

## About Tucker Ellis LLP

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