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Kilpatrick Stockton Named Top Intellectual Property Firm in North America for Second Consecutive Year

ATLANTA (December 9) -- Kilpatrick Stockton's historic leadership in the intellectual property field continues with recognition as the **top IP Firm for 2009 in North America** at the 2009 World Leaders International IP Awards program in London. This is the *second consecutive year* for the firm to win this outstanding award.

Nominations were received from around the world. The awards were sponsored by the publishers of *Trademark World*, *Patent World*, and *Copyright World* magazines and were given to those firms and individuals who were judged by their peers for achieving excellence in the area of intellectual property in 20 categories. Kilpatrick Stockton attorneys **Jamie Greene**, **Dean Russell** and **Rich Cicchillo** were present to accept the award for the firm.

Kilpatrick Stockton's Intellectual Property practice boasts a sensational record of trial and appellate victories and a hard-earned reputation for sophisticated and client-focused counseling and advice.

Recent recognition from additional leading publications rank Kilpatrick Stockton's Intellectual Property Practice among the world's best:

- Ranked first in the nation for number of intellectual property attorneys named to *The Best Lawyers in America* 2010.
- The only law firm in the US to have two wins in the *IP Law & Business* "Top 10 Litigation Wins of 2008."
- The firm's record-breaking trademark verdict ranked eighth in the *National Law Journal's* listing of the "Top Verdicts for 2008."

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