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Cantor Colburn Ranked in the Top 25 of U.S. Trademark Firms

Hartford, Connecticut-- Cantor Colburn LLP is ranked #23 in the country among 142 US law firms for US trademark registrations in 2011, according to *Intellectual Property Today* magazine's May 2012 cover story "Top Trademark Firms." In 2011 the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issued 325 trademark registrations for which the firm was counsel of record.

"We are honored that our clients entrust their valuable marks to our care," said Michael Cantor, Co-Managing Partner of Cantor Colburn. "Being #23 in the national rankings shows the high level of confidence that our clients have placed in our trademark team. We actively manage nearly 12,000 marks, and we look forward to further growth this year and in the years to come."

Cantor Colburn's Trademark & Copyright Department also provides counseling and representation in trade dress, unfair competition law, copyrights, rights of publicity and privacy, trade secrets and proprietary information protection, domain name registrations and disputes, internet and e-commerce law, licensing, distribution agreements, transfer agreements, and due diligence for acquisitions and divestitures.

Cantor Colburn is ranked #8 among US law firms for patents issued in the prior year by *Intellectual Property Today* in March of this year. The firm also has an extensive practice in other intellectual property areas, such as validity and infringement opinions, reexaminations, interferences, licensing, due diligence regarding acquisitions and divestitures, technology transfer agreements, and in commercial and business litigation cases.

About Cantor Colburn LLP

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