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**Cantor Colburn Attorneys Michelle P. Ciotola and Thomas J. Mango  
Named 2011 Rising Stars in Connecticut by *Super Lawyers***

Hartford, Conn.— Michelle P. Ciotola and Thomas J. Mango, Associates in the Hartford office of Cantor Colburn LLP, have been named to the Connecticut *Super Lawyers* Rising Stars in intellectual property for 2011.

Ms. Ciotola concentrates her practice on trademark & copyright law. An honors graduate of the University of Connecticut and a graduate of Franklin Pierce Law Center (now University of New Hampshire Law School) with a concentration in IP law, Ms. Ciotola handles a wide variety of trademark, copyright, domain name, and related matters for a diverse clientele. She is admitted in Connecticut and New York. This is the second consecutive year that she has been selected for this distinction.

Mr. Mango concentrates his practice on intellectual property litigation with a focus on trademark litigation in federal court and *inter partes* proceedings before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. Mr. Mango's law degree is from Vermont Law School and his B.A. in Political Science and History is from Amherst College, cum laude. He is admitted in Massachusetts and Connecticut, and a number of federal courts.

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Cantor Colburn is one of the largest full service intellectual property law firms in the country, with growing offices in Hartford, Washington, D.C., Atlanta, Houston and Detroit. In recent rankings, Cantor Colburn is 9th in the country for issued U.S. Patents and 20th for registered U.S. Trademarks. The firm's clients are among the leading companies in the United States and around the world, including Fortune 100 companies, privately held companies, select high-tech start-ups, and universities. For more information, go to [www.cantorcolburn.com](http://www.cantorcolburn.com).

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