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ASIAN AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK

2013 ANNUAL DINNER

Wednesday, February 27, 2013

Cocktail Reception 6:00 p.m.
Dinner 7:00 p.m.

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SPEAKERS • HONOРЕES

Diversity Leadership Award and Keynote Speaker
GARY G. LYNCH
Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations of Bank of America Corporation

Corporate Counsel Leadership Award
STUART A. ALDEROTY
Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel of HSBC North America Holdings Inc.

Women’s Leadership Award
PAMELA K. CHEN
Assistant United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York
Cocktail Reception

Presentation of AABANY MVP Award
Margaret T. Ling

Dinner

Welcome
Ti-Hua Chang and Richard Lui

Outgoing President Speech
Jean Lee

Presentation of Awards to Honorees

Women’s Leadership Award
Pamela K. Chen

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Incoming President’s Speech and Closing Remarks
Mike F. Huang

Premium silent auction throughout the evening
Be sure to stop by the silent auction tables to make your bids
In 1988, the New York State Judicial Commission on Minorities, headed by noted African American attorney Franklin Hall Williams, examined the treatment of minority litigants and court employees. Following hearings in New York City on June 29th and 30th of that year, Rockwell Chin approached Commissioner Serene K. Nakano to discuss the need for an organization for Asian American attorneys. While Chinese and Korean American lawyer associations existed, there had never been an association of Asian American lawyers in New York.

Further impetus came when the National Asian American Bar Association (later called NAPABA) Planning Committee invited various attorneys in New York City to Chicago in October 1988. A core group, including Rockwell Chin, Glenn Ikeda, Yat T. Man, Steve Min and Serene K. Nakano, worked to found a formal association of Asian American lawyers: drafting organizational documents, reaching out to New York and nationwide bar groups, and contacting other Asian American attorneys.

Announcing AABANY’s incorporation on October 20, 1989, the group invited attorneys to an inaugural reception at New York University Law School on November 9, 1989. Among the speakers were Judge Dorothy Chin Brandt, Judge Randall Eng, Judge Peter Tom, past president of the American Immigration Law Association Benjamin Gim, Professor Sharon Hom, AALDEF Program Director Stanley Mark, and former NYPD Deputy Commissioner Hugh Mo. All of the speakers emphasized the unfulfilled need for AABANY. The reception was a resounding success, with over 180 attorneys and law students attending. Before the meeting concluded, over 60 people had joined AABANY.

AABANY, operating under an interim board during its first year, hosted further receptions, including evening social events, as well as a meeting at Brooklyn Law School at which Hoyt Zia, then the first President of NAPABA, spoke. Newly formed committees also sprang into action. The Issues Committee, co-chaired by Rockwell Chin and Marilyn Go, began research on redistricting, assisted lobbying for bias crimes legislation and spoke out against bias incidents. The Business Law Committee, co-chaired by Ken Chin and Marilyn Go, established a speaker series of prominent Asian American attorneys. The Events Committee hosted a Fall picnic. Prompted by concerns raised by law students at the picnic, Chin Fong and James Minamoto established a student mentor program, presenting a job skills workshop to help law students hone interviewing skills.

On January 12, 1991, AABANY held its first annual meeting, electing Serene Nakano, Doris Ling-Cohan, Steve Min, Glenn Ikeda and Marilyn Go as officers and Rockwell Chin, Sylvia Fung Chin, Merlin Liu, Stanley Mark, Qazi Moid and Judge Peter Tom as directors.

Now one of the most prominent and active minority bar associations in New York, AABANY has about 2,000 members and past members, including practicing attorneys in the private and public sectors, in-house lawyers, judges, professors and law students.
Dear AABANY Members and distinguished guests:

Welcome to the 24th Annual Dinner of the Asian American Bar Association of New York. Through Jean Lee’s tireless efforts and inspired leadership, AABANY reached unprecedented levels of membership, programming, reputation, community outreach and financial health in 2012. Two of our marquee events in 2012, our Annual Dinner and Fall Conference, attracted more attendees and sponsors than ever before. AABANY also co-produced the play “Revising Vincent Chin: The Legacy of the Vincent Chin Case 30 Years Later” with the Asian American Arts Alliance and the Museum of Chinese in America. With the support of 30 community sponsors, the production drew over 100 attendees, making it one of the largest community events of the year for AABANY. Indeed, Jean was true to her words of leading AABANY to new heights in 2012.

As a result of Jean’s leadership, the leadership of AABANY’s prior Presidents and Officers, and the support of our past and current Board of Directors, Executive Director and Committee Chairs, I am taking over an organization that has achieved so much in its 24 years of existence. I look forward to the challenge of continuing to grow the organization and AABANY’s relevance to our members, sponsors and community in 2013.

Beginning in May, APA Heritage Month, AABANY will again co-produce with the Asian American Arts Alliance a theatrical production of a trial re-enactment scripted by Hon. Denny Chin and a team of AABANY members. The production is based upon the “Tokyo Rose” trial. It is our hope that this event will not only be one of AABANY’s signature events, but also a signature event for all of New York City during APA Heritage Month.

In September, AABANY will host NAPABA’s Northeast Regional Conference, which will be attended by affiliates from Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Toronto. I look forward to welcoming our fellow NAPABA affiliates to what will be an exciting and captivating conference.

Our Committees will continue to take the lead in developing and producing the numerous high quality CLEs, panels, programs and other events that have become a trademark of AABANY. I have further challenged each of our Committee Chairs this year to become more active and creative in engaging our members, prospective members and our community.

I am proud of what AABANY has been able to achieve to date but I also recognize there are still many obstacles that our association and the APA legal community at large continue to face. The Bureau of Labor and Statistics reports that in 2012, only 4.3% of all attorneys were APAs—significantly lower than the percentage of APAs who are doctors, engineers, professors, architects and bankers. More needs to be done.

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As the voice of the APA legal community, we as an association must make a greater impact on our own profession. A stronger and more active and impactful AABANY will help the APAs gain a stronger foothold in the legal community and, in turn, make our profession better and more diverse. I look forward to working with our Board of Directors, Officers, Executive Director, Committee Chairs, members, sponsors and all our other guests tonight in continuing to increase AABANY’s role and relevance in our profession and community.

Sincerely,

Mike F. Huang
President, AABANY
February 27, 2013

Dear Members and Friends,

It has been a tremendous honor and privilege to have served as your President this past year. I learned a great deal about the passion that drives all of you, our dedicated Board of Directors, Officers and Committee Chairs who devote countless volunteer hours to AABANY and its mission: to ensure fair administration of justice and meaningful participation of Asian Americans in the legal profession. It is this passion and devotion that drove me to do the same for AABANY and you. Thanks to our collaborative efforts, we are leaping to new heights in fundraising, judiciary and in the private sector and operationally as an organization. And while I encourage you to review our 2012 Year-End Report for additional details, I would like to share some of the highlights of our achievements:

- first Asian American woman in New York to be elected to Congress
- first Filipina American to become a federal judge in the Southern District of New York
- first Asian American woman to be nominated to the Court of Appeals
- first Asian American judge to be elevated as a Presiding Justice of the Second Judicial Department in New York State
- first Asian American to be elected as President-Elect of the New York State Bar Association
- first time we had five AABANY members honored as NAPABA Best Lawyers Under 40
- an Asian American became the first partner-in-charge of Edwards Wildman’s NY office
- the largest Annual Dinner by attendance and fundraising to date, and first with over 620 attendees and to raise over $300,000
- first time we collaborated with and developed an educational performance for APA Heritage Month with the Asian American Arts Alliance and Museum of Chinese in America
- we created two VP positions for the first time to address the growing needs of AABANY: a VP of Programs and Operations to continue supporting our growing number of programs and a VP of Finance and Development to support our fundraising efforts to continue building on the work of former presidents
- we overhauled the by-laws and made them more robust to improve our governance
- to help us become more fiscally conservative and strategic about our financial management, we have developed a stronger understanding of our budget both overall and for all our signature events.
we formed an Advisory Committee of committed senior lawyers to support AABANY’s efforts financially, increase visibility and overall branding

• created for the first time a Commercial Bankruptcy and Restructuring Committee

• we built on the successes of our two prior Fall Conferences and with our third annual Fall Conference leaped into new heights in attendance and fundraising by offering CLEs, a Trial Advocacy Program, law firm/in-house pitch sessions, an in-house counsel forum and a judiciary forum.

But even with all our accomplishments, we have only begun as an organization and as we move forward, we must find ways to “Make an Impact” as members and as an organization. How great or small that impact will be is up to each of us but with Mike at the helm of that movement I have every faith that 2013 will be a year to remember as we approach the beginning of a quarter century for AABANY and reflecting on its achievements to make the biggest impact yet! I thank you again for this amazing opportunity to serve as your President and look forward to celebrating many more achievements for APAs in New York State!

Cheers to 2013!

Respectfully,

Jean Lee
Immediate Past President
AABANY
February 27, 2013

Dear AABANY Members and Friends:

Welcome to our 24th anniversary dinner! We are delighted to have so many distinguished honorees, attorneys, judges, dignitaries, volunteers and sponsors joining us tonight.

Just a year ago, we were here in this same space, the elegant and stately Cipriani Wall Street, on the last day of February, and because it was a leap year, we held our dinner on February 29, which comes around only once every four years (like the Olympics). President Jean Lee appropriately enough declared the theme for 2012 to be “Leaping to New Heights.”

By the time the Olympics took place in London in the summer, Jean Lee, surpassing the stamina and endurance of our Olympic athletes, took our association to incredible new heights, having brought forth the largest and most successful Annual Dinner to date, followed by a memorable APA Heritage Month production of “Revisiting Vincent,” a co-production with the Asian American Arts Alliance and the Museum of Chinese in America based on the AABANY Trial Re-enactment of the Vincent Chin trial, to commemorate the 30th anniversary of his murder. That was immediately followed by a hugely successful Wine-Tasting and Networking Reception in June. During the summer months, preparations were underway for the Fall Conference which turned out to be our biggest and best yet. At the same time that these signature events were run, Jean presided over a host of CLE programs and networking events that engaged all our members and invited new and prospective members to discover the excellent benefits provided by a membership in AABANY.

As November approached and the NAPABA National Convention loomed over the horizon, we couldn’t help but notice the happy coincidence that the host affiliate in Washington, DC adopted a theme -- “Reaching Monumental Heights” -- very similar to AABANY’s. Whether we were aspiring to “new” or “monumental” heights, great minds think alike and the goal was the same. With Jean’s year nearly at an end, AABANY’s ascent was not slowing down in the least, as a record five AABANY members were recognized as being among NAPABA’s Best Under 40.

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The honors, recognitions and accolades for AABANY members and friends did not stop there. The list of distinguished achievements, accomplishments and milestones attained by them were so numerous in 2012, they filled up a full page at the beginning of our 2012 Year-End Report. We congratulate each and every individual listed there for their success and leadership and being such great role models for us all.

We move now into a new year, and under President Mike Huang’s leadership, we look forward to “Making an Impact.” With the heights we have reached in 2012, we hope to build on the momentum we have gained.
Come join us in 2013 to make a true and lasting impact as APAs in the legal profession and in the communities that we serve.

We look forward to making 2013 another banner year for AABANY with your support and participation, as we take AABANY to its quarter-century mark.

Thank you for celebrating with us tonight. Best wishes to all in the Year of the Snake, and we hope to see you soon at an upcoming event.

Very truly yours,

Yang Chen

Executive Director
Stuart A. Alderoty
Senior Executive President and General Counsel
of HSBC North America Holdings
2013 Corporate Counsel Leadership Award Honoree

Stuart A. Alderoty is Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel of HSBC North America Holdings Inc., a subsidiary of HSBC Holdings plc (NYSE:HBC), one of the world’s largest banking and financial services organizations. In this role, he serves as the head of the legal function for HSBC - North America.

Prior to joining HSBC, Mr. Alderoty served as Managing Counsel with American Express. In that role, he managed a broad team that was responsible for American Express’ litigation and legal issues related to privacy, insurance, consumer cards, and global advertising and brand management. Prior to joining American Express in 2002, Mr. Alderoty was a litigator in private practice for 17 years, the last 13 of which with was the LeBoeuf law firm where he was a partner since 1996.

Mr. Alderoty serves on the Board of the Count Basie Theatre Foundation, a not-for-profit community arts center in Red Bank, New Jersey. He also serves on the Board of the Institute for Inclusion in the Legal Profession, a not-for-profit organization committed to a real world, common sense approach to addressing diversity in today’s legal profession.

Mr. Alderoty earned a bachelor’s degree from Rutgers University in New Brunswick, New Jersey, and is a graduate of Rutgers Law School - Newark. He lives in New Jersey with his wife and four children.
Pamela K. Chen is currently Chief of the Civil Rights Section of the Criminal Division of the U.S. Attorney’s Office for the Eastern District of New York. In this position, Ms. Chen supervises the investigation and prosecution of criminal civil rights matters, including hate crimes, color of law offenses and human trafficking.

After serving for seven years as a trial attorney in the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, in 1998, Ms. Chen became an Assistant United States Attorney in the Criminal Division of the Eastern District of New York, serving in the General Crimes Section. Thereafter she was elevated to the Violent Criminal Enterprises Section, then to the Chief of Civil Rights Litigation, Deputy Chief of the Public Integrity Section, and finally to Chief of the Civil Rights Section.

Outside of the courtroom, Ms. Chen is a frequent speaker at various conferences and training seminars, and regularly meets with foreign delegations, regarding civil rights prosecution and human trafficking both in the United States and abroad.

Ms. Chen has received numerous awards in connection with her human trafficking work, including a U.S. Department of Justice Director’s Award, the Freedom Network’s Paul and Sheila Wellstone Award, the “Partnerships in Public Safety Award” from the Immigration and Customs Enforcement Foundation, the Susan B. Anthony Award from the National Organization of Women’s New York Chapter, and a “True American Hero Group Award” from the Federal Drug Agents Foundation. In 2012, Ms. Chen also received the “Prosecutor of the Year Award” from the Society of Asian Federal Officers.

Ms. Chen is a member of AABANY and AABANY’s Prosecutors Committee. Ms. Chen received her Bachelor of Arts Degree from the University of Michigan and her Juris Doctorate in 1986 from Georgetown University Law Center.
Gary G. Lynch is currently Global General Counsel and Head of Compliance and Regulatory Relations for Bank of America, as well as a member of the company’s executive management team.

Mr. Lynch oversees the company’s legal and compliance functions and its relationships with regulators and law enforcement authorities around the world.

Mr. Lynch joined Bank of America from Morgan Stanley, where he served as Vice Chairman and Chief Legal Officer until 2011. From 2001 to 2005, Mr. Lynch held senior leadership positions at Credit Suisse First Boston including Global General Counsel and Executive Vice Chairman. Before joining Credit Suisse First Boston, Mr. Lynch was a Partner at the law firm of Davis Polk & Wardwell, where he represented and advised a number of financial institutions and conducted internal investigations on behalf of senior management or the boards of directors of corporations and provided counsel on corporate governance matters. Most notably, from 1985 to 1989 Mr. Lynch served as Director of the Enforcement Division of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. In that role, he directed the activities of a nationwide staff of 700 employees responsible for enforcing federal securities laws.

In addition to his duties at Bank of America, Mr. Lynch currently sits on the board of trustees of the Brooklyn Academy of Music.

Mr. Lynch graduated from Syracuse University in 1972, Phi Beta Kappa, and Duke University School of Law in 1975.
Award-winning journalist Ti-Hua Chang joined WNYW/Fox 5 in 2009 as a general assignment reporter from sister station WWOR/My9, where he served as a general assignment and investigative reporter since 2008. Previously, Chang worked at WCBS-TV where he served in the same capacity. Prior to that, he was a reporter with WNBC. On 9/11, he was the first reporter to inform the public on the number of casualties that day quoting Mayor Giuliani and city officials. Chang joined WNBC from WNYC-TV, where he was host of his own talk show, New York Hotline. Before he began his on-air career, he was an investigative producer at ABC News.

Chang is the recipient of numerous awards. In 1996, he won the prestigious Peabody Award for a series of reports he filed on accused drug-dealing murderers. In 2004, he won a New York Press Club award for his reports on a shooting at City Hall. He received an Edward R. Murrow Award in 2005 for a piece exposing police officers using a helicopter and high tech infra-red equipment to spy on private citizens. Chang is especially proud of discovering the four witnesses to the 1963 murder of Medgar Evers, which led to the reopening of that famous case.

Chang has also won five Emmys; the Philadelphia, Denver and Detroit Press Association awards; and the Associated Press and United Press International awards. Very active in Asian-American community affairs, Chang was both a national and local New York Board member of the Asian-American Journalists Association. Chang also has been published in a number of magazines, including the Sunday New York Times and The Detroit News.

A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and Columbia University’s Graduate School of Journalism, Chang was named by Columbia in 2004 as one of 10 most influential Columbia alumni in New York City, where he resides with his family.
Richard Lui
Master of Ceremonies

Richard Lui is an American journalist and day-side news anchor on MSNBC, where his focus is politics. Lui is also a rotating news anchor for NBC’s weekend Today show and contributes reports for NBC News Investigations Unit and NBC Weekend Nightly News.

Previously, Lui was a news anchor at CNN Worldwide, where he solo-anchored the 10 am edition of Morning Express and led morning political reporting during the 2008 Presidential election as a show member of Morning Express with Robin Meade. He also anchored and reported for CNN Domestic and CNN International. When Lui joined CNN Headline News in 2007 he became the first Asian American male to anchor a daily, national cable news show in the U.S.

Lui has been active in volunteerism and community leadership for 25 years in Africa, Asia, and the U.S. As a volunteer for the Habitat for Humanity, he has traveled to Ghana and Jordan to help build homes. Last December he joined President Jimmy Carter in the rebuilding efforts of Haiti from the destruction of the devastating earthquake in 2010. He also leads pro bono strategy consulting teams and is a board member for non-profits in homeless and affordable housing.

Lui speaks frequently, including events for the U.S. State Department, Harvard, and the Aspen Institute.
Dear Friends,

It is a privilege to send greetings to everyone attending the 24th Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact” hosted by the Asian American Bar Association. It gives me great pleasure to congratulate tonight’s honorees: Gary Lynch, Stuart Alderoty and Pamela Chen.

Since its inception, the Asian American Bar Association has shown steadfast commitment and dedication to addressing issues affecting the Asian American community. By providing professional opportunities for your members and advocating for the Asia Pacific community as a whole, you are helping ensure the meaningful participation of Asian and Pacific Americans in the legal profession. I commend the individuals honored here today and it is my hope that their efforts serve as examples of the positive contribution individuals can make to their profession, community and country.

I send my congratulations to the honorees and my best wishes for many more years of continued success.

Sincerely,

Kirsten E. Gillibrand
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United States Senator
February 27, 2013

Greetings,

On behalf of New York’s 9th Congressional District, it is my honor to extend warm greetings to the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY) on the occasion of its 24th Annual Dinner.

For over 20 years, the AABANY has advocated for the interests of Asian-Americans in the legal profession - promoting diversity and equality in our justice system. I want to commend Mike Huang, president, the officers and directors for their leadership and unwavering commitment to “making an impact” in our communities.

I would also like to recognize this year’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Stuart Alderoty, and Pamela Chen for their continued support of this Association and its efforts to empower its membership through professional development, networking, and legal education courses. Through your hard work and dedication, AABANY has become a vital organization and partner in the personal and professional growth of New York Asian-American attorneys, judges, law professors, legal professionals, paralegals, and law students. Thank you for your invaluable service to our city and state.

I wish you all much success in your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

Yvette D. Clarke
Member of Congress
February 27, 2013

Asian American Bar Association of New York
Post Office Box 3656
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New York, NY 10163-3656

To The Asian American Bar Association of New York:

It is with great pleasure that I extend my best wishes to the Asian American Bar Association of New York on the occasion of its Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact.” I am pleased to join you in saluting all of the honorees.

I am happy to support the mission of AABANY to improve the study and practice of law and to ensure the meaningful participation of Asian-Americans in the legal profession. I recognize the immense impact Asian-Americans have made in our community and the role that AABANY has played.

Please accept my heartfelt gratitude for the great work of AABANY and my continued support in all that it does to support our community. Again, best wishes and enjoy the evening.

Sincerely,

Michael G. Grimm
Member of Congress
February 27, 2013

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To all the members and supporters of the Asian American Bar Association of New York:

I am delighted to send my best wishes to the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY) on the occasion of its 24th Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact.” I commend your magnificent organization for its dedication to improving the study and practice of law as well as the fair administration of justice by ensuring the meaningful participation of Asian Americans in the legal profession. It is my pleasure to join you in congratulating this year’s worthy honorees.

Since its founding in New York City by the National Asian American Bar Association in 1989, the AABANY has become one of the most prominent and active minority bar associations in New York. With over 1,700 past and current members, AABANY has successfully helped fight discrimination, advance civil rights and promote scholarly and professional development. AABANY has played a significant role in unifying attorneys of Asian descent in America, while at the same time fulfilling its commitment to the Asian American community as a whole.

I commend this year’s remarkable honorees: Gary F. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations for the Bank of America and recipient of AABANY’s 2013 Diversity Leadership award; Stuart Alderort, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel for HSBC North America Holdings Inc and recipient of AABANY’s 2013 Corporate Counsel Leadership Award; and Pamela Chen, the recipient of AABANY’s 2013 Women’s Leadership Award. These commendable honorees have devoted themselves to community service, excelled in their respective professions and played an integral part in helping AABANY achieve its mission.

Again I am pleased to salute the members of AABANY and all of this year’s honorees for all that you do for the community. You have my warmest wishes for another productive and successful year!

Sincerely,

CAROLYN B. MALONEY
Member of Congress

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February 27, 2013

Dear Friends:

It is my pleasure to send my warmest greetings to all gathered at the Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner of the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY).

Since its founding in 1989, AABANY has skillfully represented the interests of New York’s Asian-American attorneys, judges, law professors, legal professionals, paralegals and law students. Through its many good works, the Association improves the study and practice of law to help ensure fair administration of justice.

I am proud to stand with the officers, directors, staff and volunteers of the AABANY in recognizing the outstanding contributions of this evening’s distinguished honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal Compliance and Regulatory Relations for the Bank of American Corporation; Stuart Alderoty, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel for HSBC North America Holdings, Inc; and Pamela Chen. It is through the dedication of people such as tonight’s honorees that AABANY has been able to establish itself as one of the most prominent and active minority bar associations in New York.

Please accept my best wishes for a wonderful dinner and much continued success!

Sincerely,

Grace Meng
Member of Congress
February 27, 2013

Dear Friends:

It is a pleasure to send greetings to everyone gathered for the 24th Annual Dinner of the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY).

For generations, members of the legal community have helped preserve the civility of our society, protect individual rights, and improve the quality of life in our state and nation. The AABANY exemplifies a proud tradition of responsible jurisprudence upheld by justices and attorneys of Asian heritage working in New York State.

I applaud your association's membership of judges, private attorneys, prosecutors, public defenders, academics, and other professionals who demonstrate legal expertise, skill, and intellect in their respective areas of work. All of them serve the public interest admirably and conscientiously and, in doing so, help strengthen our judicial and legal system.

Warmest regards and best wishes for an enjoyable evening.

Sincerely,

ANDREW M. CUOMO
February 27, 2013

Yang Chen, Executive Director  
AABANY  
PO Box 3656  
Grand Central Station  
New York, NY 10163-3656

Dear Friends:

Greetings to all those gathered this evening for the 24th Annual Dinner hosted by the Asian American Bar Association of New York. Since 1989, AABANY has been committed to improving the study and practice of law, advancing the fair administration of justice, and supporting Asian American participation in the legal profession.

Special congratulations are due to this year’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations, Bank of America Corporation, Diversity Leadership Award; Stuart Alderoty, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel, HSBC North America Holdings, Corporate Counsel Leadership Award; and Pamela Chen, Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of New York, Women’s Leadership Award. They are truly worthy of your recognition.

An affiliate of the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association, the Asian American Bar Association of New York has grown to over 1700 members, representing attorneys, judges, law professors, paralegals and law students. Much of AABANY’s research and policy work is carried out through the volunteer efforts of its 20 committees, including corporate law, government and public sector, immigration and nationality, and pro bono and community service. In addition, AABANY sponsors a career center, offers opportunities for continuing legal education, and maintains communications to keep its members up to date with the latest legal news. The dedicated officers, board, staff and members of the Asian American Bar Association of New York are promoting excellence in the legal profession, and building a more just and equitable future for all.

Best wishes for a joyful celebration and continued success.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. DiNapoli  
State Comptroller
Dear Friends:

Please accept my sincerest best wishes as you gather to celebrate the Asian American Bar Association of New York’s 24th Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact.”

Incorporated in 1989, the Asian American Bar Association of New York has established itself as an organization of purpose and accomplishment representing 4,000 Asian American attorneys across New York City and New York State. As a professional membership organization, AABANY, among other interests, is concerned with issues affecting the Asian Pacific American community. The Asian American Bar Association seeks to encourage the professional growth of its members and to advocate for the Asian Pacific American community as a whole, and truly merits recognition.

I would like to also take this opportunity to congratulate tonight’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations for the Bank of America Corporation, is the recipient of the AABANY’s 2013 Diversity Leadership Award. Mr. Lynch will also make the keynote address. Additionally, being honored tonight are Stuart Alderoty, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel for HSBC North America Holdings Inc., who receives AABANY’s 2013 Corporate Counsel Leadership Award; and Pamela Chen receives AABANY’s 2013 Women’s Leadership Award.

Congratulations again to tonight’s honorees and to the Asian American Bar Association of New York for a memorable celebration.

Sincerely,

SHELDON SILVER
Speaker
February 27, 2013

Dear Friends:

As you gather together this evening to celebrate the Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner, with the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY), it is my great pleasure to commend the organization for its commitment to providing a platform for its members, and for serving the public.

AABANY’s growing network serves to benefit its members by providing important resources and educational opportunities, in addition to addressing pertinent issues that impact legal professionals and clients in the Asian Pacific American community.

It is a privilege to pay tribute to tonight’s esteemed honorees for their outstanding leadership and legal expertise:

- Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations, Bank of America Corporation, Diversity Leadership Award
- Stuart Alderoty, Senior Executive VP and General Counsel, HSBC North America Holdings, Inc., Corporate Counsel Leadership Award
- Pamela Chen, Women’s Leadership Award

Congratulations to all and best wishes for continued success!

Sincerely,

Felix W. Ortiz
Member of Assembly
February 27, 2013

Yang Chen
Executive Director
Grand Central Station
P.O. Box 3656
New York, New York 10163

Dear Friends:

It is my great pleasure to congratulate the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY) on the occasion if its Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact.”

Since its establishment in 1989, has worked to represent the interests of Asian-Americans in the legal profession, including judges, attorneys, law professors, legal assistants or paralegals and law students. Year after year, the AABANY improves the study and practice of law and the administration of justice for all by providing employment and educational resources as well as conference and event opportunities for professionals to meet and learn alongside others in their field. Through its hard work, the AABANY has ensured the meaningful participation and cooperation of Asian-American professionals in the field of law.

I would also like to recognize this year’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations of Bank of America Corporation; Stuart A. Alderoty, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel of HSBC North America Holdings Inc.; and Pamela Ki Mai Chen, Assistant United States Attorney in the Eastern District of New York.

I commend AABANY for its ongoing commitment and dedication on this special occasion.

Sincerely,

State Senator
Daniel Squadron
February 27, 2013

Asian American Bar Association of New York
P.O. Box 3656
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Dear Friends:

I am delighted to congratulate you on the occasion of your Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner, “Making An Impact.” I join with you in celebrating the meaningful participation of Asian-Americans in the legal profession, their contributions to the study and practice of law and the fair administration of justice for all.

Since 1989, AABANY has worked to earn its reputation as one of the most prominent and active minority bar associations in New York representing the interests of over 1700 Asian-Americans working in the legal profession. Your mentoring and professional development programs inure to the benefit of your colleagues and their clients.

I also extend my congratulations to your distinguished honorees: Gary G. Lynch, your keynote speaker and recipient of the Diversity Leadership Award; Stuart Alderoty, recipient of the Corporate Counsel Leadership Award; and Pamela Chen, recipient of the Women’s Leadership Award. It is fitting that their good work is recognized as it serves as encouragement for all in the legal profession as they aspire to excellence.

I wish you every measure of success as you continue to advocate on behalf of Asian-Americans working to insure justice is served through their noble endeavors.

With all good wishes I am,

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Toby Ann Stavisky
February 15, 2013

Asian American Bar Association of New York
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Dear Friends:

I am delighted to join you in celebrating AABANY’s Twenty-Third Annual Dinner - Leaping to New Heights.

I applaud AABANY’s commitment to the professional growth of its members, its involvement with the Asian Pacific American community, and its advocacy for the fair administration of justice for all.

Congratulations to this year’s honorees and award recipients: Gary G. Lynch, Stuart Alderoty, and Pamela Chen. I salute you for your outstanding leadership.

Thank you for your good work and accomplishments. I wish you well in your new endeavors this year.

Sincerely,

Helene E. Weinstein,
Chair
Assembly Judiciary Committee
February 27, 2013

Mike Huang
President
Asian American Bar Association of New York
P.O. Box 3656
Grand Central Station
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Dear Mr. Huang:

It is my pleasure to extend greetings and warm wishes to you and all those attending the Asian American Bar Association of New York’s (AABANY) Twenty-Fourth Annual Banquet.

Throughout the years, AABANY has done outstanding work to represent and encourage Asian American attorneys across New York. The organization’s efforts have enriched lives and bettered communities. I commend you for your unwavering commitment to truth, law and justice.

I would also like to join you in congratulating this evening’s esteemed honorees. Each is truly deserving of this recognition.

Once again, thank you for bringing us together to celebrate community and service. Please accept my best wishes for your continued success.

Sincerely,

John C. Liu
February 27th, 2013

Dear Friends,

I am delighted to send greetings to all gathered for the 24th Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact,” of the Asian American Bar Association of New York. Since its establishment in 1989, the Asian American Bar Association of New York has worked tirelessly to not only assist Asian-Americans in the legal profession, but also to improve the study and practice of law.

As Public Advocate for the City of New York, I would especially like to extend my congratulations to this year’s honorees:

- Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations for the Bank of America Corporation, Diversity Leadership Award;
- Stuart Alderoty, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel for HSBC North America Holdings, Inc., Corporate Counsel Leadership Award;
- Pamela Chen, Women’s Leadership Award.

I am inspired by the work of the Asian American Bar Association of New York and by the knowledge that, through the continuing efforts of this organization and this year’s honorees, they will continue to help serve and strengthen our communities and great city for years to come.

Please accept my best wishes on this very special occasion.

Warm regards,

Bill de Blasio

Bill de Blasio
Public Advocate for the City of New York
February 27, 2013

Dear Friends,

Welcome to tonight’s 24th Annual Banquet hosted by the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY)!

For centuries, New York City has symbolized the American Dream - the belief that if you work hard, you can create a good life for yourself and your family.

That dream is still alive today thanks to the extraordinarily good work of groups like AABANY. Whether supporting programs that benefit the greater good, working closely with government agencies and community groups to combat hate and discrimination, or advocating on behalf of the concerns and needs of the Asian American community, AABANY has help countless New Yorkers realize their dreams of a better life for themselves and their families.

On this special night of celebration, I would like to thank AABANY and its members for all of their hard work and efforts over the years. You have helped keep New York a place of hope and opportunity for us all, and we are so deeply grateful for your service.

I would also like to congratulate tonight’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Stuart Alderoty, and Pamela Chen.

My best wishes to everyone for a wonderful celebration. Enjoy!

Sincerely,

Christine C. Quinn
Speaker
February 27, 2013

Asian American Bar Association of New York
Post Office Box 3656
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New York, NY 10163

Dear Friends:

It is with great pleasure that I congratulate the Asian American Bar Association of New York on the occasion of its 24th Annual Banquet.

Founded in 1989 for the purpose of improving the study and practice of law to stand for the interest of New York Asian-American attorneys, the AABANY has grown to over 1,200 members representing the interests of attorneys, judges, law professors and students of Asian descent who share a common interest in fostering professional development in the legal community and addressing issues that are important to Asian American residents.

It is my privilege to offer my most heartfelt congratulations to this year’s honorees for their contributions and dedicated service.

On behalf of the 1.4 million residents of The Bronx, I salute and wish the Asian American Bar Association of New York continued success in all of its endeavors.

Sincerely,

Ruben Diaz Jr.
February 27, 2013

Mike Huang
Asian American Bar Association of New York
P.O. Box 3656
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Dear Friends,

Brooklyn is proud home to the fastest-growing Asian American community in New York City—whose entrepreneurial and academic excellence are models for success, and whose cultural riches add great texture to our borough’s special quality of life—and it is a time-honored tradition to recognize the outstanding contributions made by Asian Americans. I am pleased to extend my warmest greetings and congratulations to President Mike Huang, Executive Director Yang Chen, the officers and member of the Asian American Bar Association of New York as you gather for your 24th Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact”.

The Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY) was formed in 1989 as a non-profit corporation to represent the interests of New York Asian-American attorneys, judges, law professors, legal professional, paralegals and law students with a mission to improve the practice and study of law, and the fair administration of justice for all by ensuring the meaningful participation of Asian-Americans in the legal profession.

Brooklyn joins with AABANY in paying tribute to this year’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, recipient of the 2013 Diversity Leadership Award, Stuart Alderoty, recipient of the Corporate Counsel Leadership Award and Pamela Chen, recipient of the 2103 Women’s Leadership Award.

On behalf of all 2.6 million Brooklynites, I salute and commend President Huang, Executive Director Chen, the Board of Directors, and the outstanding staff, supporters, and members of the Asian American Bar Association of New York as you gather for your 24th Annual Dinner. Furthermore, I congratulate tonight’s honorees as they are most justifiably paid tribute, and I thank everyone present for making Brooklyn and beyond better places to live, work, and raise a family.

Sincerely,

Marty Markowitz
MM/dh
February 27, 2013

Mike Huang, Esq.
President
Asian American Bar Association
of New York
P.O. Box 3656
New York, New York 10163-3656

Re: The Asian American Bar Association of New York’s 24th Annual Dinner

Dear Mr. Huang:

I am writing to you on the occasion of the 24th Annual Dinner of the Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY). I want to extend my greetings and thank you for all the services that you and your colleagues at the AABANY have provided to the people and businesses of New York, including of course the people of the great Borough of Queens. Your organization has improved the study and practice of law and has sought to ensure the fair administration of justice by promoting the meaningful participation of Asian-Americans in the legal profession.

As you know, Queens has one of the most culturally and ethnically diverse populations of any metropolitan area in the country, and I am proud of the substantial and diverse Asian-American community. I am sure many of the AABANY’s members live or work in our borough and their presence here ensures a better and more equitable justice system not just for our Asian-American residents and businesses, but for all our residents and businesses. Queens is a better place to live and work, thanks to the efforts of the AABANY and its members.

Again, congratulations to you and your colleagues at the AABANY on the occasion of your organization’s 24th Annual Dinner, which, appropriately enough, has been entitled “Making an Impact”.

Sincerely,

Helen M. Marshall
Queens Borough President
February 27, 2013

Mr. Mike Huang, President-Elect
Asian American Bar Association of New York
Post Office Box 3656
Grand Central Station
New York, New York 10163-3656

Dear Mr. Huang:

Congratulations to you and all who have gathered to celebrate the Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner of the Asian American Bar Association of New York. The Association makes an important contribution to our City and State by representing the interests and encouraging the professional growth of the thousands of Asian American attorneys in New York.

As the District Attorney of the most ethnically diverse county in our nation, I recognize how vital it is that the criminal justice system reflect the diverse makeup of our residents and take advantage of the enormous talent, wisdom, experience and creativity that residents from different ethnic backgrounds can contribute.

One of the initiatives of the Association that is particularly exciting to me is your Prosecutors’ Committee which taps the great potential of Asian American attorneys who serve in prosecutors’ offices. The Committee encourages the recruitment and advancement of these able attorneys, fosters improved communication and collaboration between the Asian American community and the criminal justice system and helps to ensure that our justice system is aware of and responsive to the special cultural, religious and linguistic needs of Asian Americans who may come into contact with it as complainants, witnesses, jurors or in some other capacity.

Congratulations, as well, to tonight’s honorees - Gary Lynch, Stuart Alderoty and Pamela Chen - and to all of the members of the Association who work tirelessly to support its many programs. My office looks forward to continuing and strengthening the partnership between prosecutors and the Asian American legal community as we work together to improve the quality of life of all of the residents of this great City.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Brown
District Attorney
Office of the District Attorney
Richmond County

Citation

to the
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As the District Attorney of a county with one of the fastest growing Asian-American populations in the state, I celebrate the efforts of these remarkable honorees, and all of the officers and directors of AABANY who have worked tirelessly to foster the professional development of the members of my community. Their commitment is to be commended.

I extend my sincerest congratulations to this year’s honorees: Gary G. Lynch, Global Chief of Legal, Compliance and Regulatory Relations of Bank of America Corporation; Stuart A. Alderoty, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel of HSBC North America Holdings, Inc.; and Pamela Ki Mai Chen, an Assistant United States Attorney in the Eastern District of New York who has been nominated by President Obama to serve on the bench of the US District Court.

Presented this 27th Day of February, 2013

[Signature]
Daniel M. Donovan, Jr.
District Attorney, Richmond County
Dear President Huang,

I am honored to congratulate the Asian American Bar Association of New York on the celebration of your organization’s Twenty-Fourth Annual Dinner, “Making an Impact”, and to recognize and celebrate AABANY’s numerous contributions to the Brooklyn Asian American community.

My office has been serving Kings County for many years. Throughout this period, Brooklyn’s Asian Community has been among the fastest growing and most dynamic. It is because of dedicated and benevolent organizations like AABANY that such prosperity and diversity can occur. Over the years, AABANY and my office have been co-sponsors in worthy events or causes such as the Asian American Heritage Month Celebration and the Japan Earthquake and Tsunami Benefit Fundraiser. Moreover, AABANY’s mission for fair administration of justice by ensuring the meaningful participation of Asian-Americans in the legal profession is an example and inspiration to us all.

I would also like to extend special congratulations to this year’s honorees – Gary G. Lynch, Stuart A. Alderoty, and Pamela Ki Mai Chen for their commitment to advancing the cause of justice and equality. I am especially happy that you have chosen Assistant United States Attorney Pamela Chen, who as Chief of the Civil Rights Unit at the Eastern District of New York and nominee for U.S. District Judge for the Federal District Court of E.D.N.Y., is a trailblazing leader and role model for all Asian Americans.

It is truly an honor to have this opportunity to congratulate AABANY and to convey my sincere wishes for AABANY’s continued prosperity and future success.

Sincerely,

Charles J. Hynes
District Attorney
February 27, 2013

Mike Huang
President
Asian American Bar Association
of New York
PO Box 3656
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New York, NY 10163-3656

Dear Mr. Huang:

I am sure that like your previous ceremonies, the Twenty-fourth Anniversary Dinner of the Asian American Bar Association of New York, “Making An Impact,” will be a very auspicious occasion.

As I have said on previous occasions, your organization, which represents the interests of Asian American New York attorneys, has done much worthwhile work and hosted many fine events. Your Prosecutors’ Committee, which was formed by a meeting of representatives from the City’s five District Attorneys, has done great work, in particular by increasing the recruitment of Asian American law students to become prosecutors and fostering trust between our offices and the Asian American community.

The institution of this committee, along with your general efforts to advance the standing of Asian Americans within our profession, certainly illustrate that you have succeeded in “Making An Impact” on our profession and our City.

Please accept my congratulations and very best wishes for many more such events yet to come.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]
February 27, 2013

Mr. Mike Huang  
President  
Asian American Bar Association of New York  
Post Office Box 3656  
Grand Central Station  
New York, NY 10163-3656

Dear President Huang & AABANY Members:

Greetings from the Manhattan District Attorney’s Office as you celebrate another year of accomplishments. This annual gathering is a testament to the Association’s vitality and to its expanding role as an advocate for New York’s Asian American attorneys and, just as importantly, for New York’s growing Asian American community. My congratulations go to all of the tonight’s distinguished honorees as they have earned the community’s recognition and admiration.

I would like to specifically acknowledge and recognize AABANY’s role in partnering with my Office as we continue to work together to combat fraud committed against immigrants. Over the summer, after President Barack Obama announced Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (“DACA”), I was pleased that the Immigrant Affairs Program of my Office and AABANY partnered together to conduct a joint presentation in Chinatown. We were able to educate members of the community on DACA as well as provide practical fraud prevention tips for immigrants seeking legal services. I would also like to acknowledge AABANY’s Prosecutors’ Committee for mentoring Asian American law students and advocating for Asian American prosecutors. From judging moot courts, to hosting networking receptions, and to participating in important discussions such as sex trafficking, as you did in October 2012, your efforts are recognized and appreciated.

Congratulations once again to the Asian American Bar Association of New York. I wish you and your members a Happy and Healthy Lunar New Year, the Year of the Snake.

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We support AABANY’s mission to improve the study and practice of law, and the fair administration of justice for all by ensuring the meaningful participation of Asian-Americans in the legal profession.
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