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NATIONAL ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION APPOINTS OFFICER JUDY KIM AS NORTHEAST REGIONAL GOVERNOR

NEW YORK – November 20, 2012 – The Asian American Bar Association of New York (“AABANY”) congratulates our own Executive Officer, Judy Kim, on her election as NAPABA’S Northeast Regional Governor.

Judy H. Kim is an associate counsel in the Bureau & Estates Litigation Section of the Legal Division at the New York Liquidation Bureau. The Bureau is a unique 100 year old quasi-state agency that assists the Superintendent of Financial Services of the State of New York in his capacity as receiver of insolvent insurance companies. She has been with the Bureau since 2008. During that time, she has been involved in all aspects of litigation involving the Superintendent and the estates in his receivership. From December 2010 through June 2011, Ms. Kim was interim Section Chief of the Bureau & Estates Litigation Section. Prior to joining the Bureau, Ms. Kim worked at Snitow Kanfer Holtzer & Millus, LLP as an attorney focusing on commercial litigation, employment discrimination litigation, and matrimonial litigation matters. Ms. Kim began her legal career at Kennedy Lillis Schmidt & English, a boutique maritime law firm. Ms. Kim received her J.D. from Tulane Law School, and her B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania.

Judy served as Treasurer of the AABANY from 2002 through 2005, and was Co-Chair of AABANY’S Student Outreach Committee from 2006-2008, and has been a member of AABANY’S Litigation Committee since 2000. She is currently an Executive Officer of AABANY, serving as Membership Secretary.

Judy was recently selected as NAPABA Northeast Regional Governor. As such, Judy sits on the NAPABA Board of Governors for a two-year term. The Northeast Region encompasses 10 states: Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont. It also includes Canada. Judy was officially inducted as NAPABA Northeast Regional Governor at the NAPABA National Convention in Washington, D.C., during the Saturday night gala dinner on November 17. Associate Justice Sabrina McKenna of the Hawaii Supreme Court performed the swearing-in ceremony.

“I am so honored to be selected as the next NAPABA Northeast Regional Governor,” says Judy, “and I look forward to working alongside my co-RG, Jason Leung, the NE Region’s Presidents and the Board during my term to further NAPABA’S mission and the Region’s goals.” Jean Lee, President of AABANY, added: “We are proud to have Judy represent the Northeast Region and look forward to helping her execute on her vision of integrating the affiliates with NAPABA.”

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The Asian American Bar Association of New York was formed in 1989 as a not-for-profit corporation to represent the interests of New York Asian-American attorneys, judges, law professors, legal

professionals, paralegals and law students. AABANY has 1800 current and past members. The mission of AABANY is 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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