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**ASIAN AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK TO HOLD 30th
ANNIVERSARY ANNUAL DINNER ON FEBRUARY 27, 2019 AT CIPRIANI WALL
STREET**

NEW YORK - Feb. 25, 2019 - On Wednesday, February 27, 2019, the Asian American Bar Association of New York (“AABANY”) will be hosting its Annual Dinner to celebrate our 30th anniversary at Cipriani Wall Street, 55 Wall Street, in New York City. The Annual Dinner is one of the signature events of the Asian Pacific American legal community and we are expecting to draw over 700 attorneys, judges, supporters and other business and community leaders. The theme for the 2019 Annual Dinner is “United in Action and Vision: Towards 2020 Together.”

This year, AABANY will be honoring the following individuals:

- Deneen Donnley, EVP, General Counsel and Secretary for USAA, with the Corporate Leadership Award;
- Gabrielle Lyse Brown, Executive Director of Diversity & Inclusion for Morgan Stanley, with the Women’s Leadership Award; and
- Hon. Gurbir S. Grewal, Attorney General of the State of New Jersey, with the Public Service Leadership Award

“I am delighted to be joined by these extraordinary individuals and to celebrate their outstanding contributions to the promotion of diversity and inclusion in the legal profession as part of AABANY’s 30th Anniversary Dinner,” said Brian Song, AABANY’s President-elect.

AABANY will also present the 2019 Law Firm Diversity Award to Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP and will introduce the law student recipients of the Don H. Liu Scholarship, each of whom will receive \$15,000 and other support and assistance through the Don H. Liu Scholars Program.

For more information, please contact Yang Chen, AABANY Executive Director, at (212) 332-2478, or direct any inquiries to main@aabany.org. The Asian American Bar Association of New York is a professional membership organization of attorneys concerned with issues affecting the Asian Pacific American community. Incorporated in 1989, AABANY seeks not only to encourage the professional growth of its members but also to advocate for the Asian Pacific American community as a whole. AABANY is one of the most prominent and active minority bar associations in New York with more than 1,100 members, including practicing attorneys in the private and public sectors, in-house lawyers, judges, professors and law students.

AABANY is the New York regional affiliate of the National Asian Pacific American Bar Association (NAPABA).

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