



Williams Mullen Named in Corporate Counsel Magazine's "Go-To Law Firms(R)" List

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Williams Mullen is pleased to announce that the firm has been named in *Corporate Counsel* magazine's list of recommendations by In-House Law Departments at the Top 500 Companies for Go-To Law Firms(R).

To create the list, surveys were sent asking General Counsel at 500 major companies which outside law firms they turned to for assistance. Williams Mullen was named as a "Go-To Law Firm(R)" in five practice areas: Intellectual Property, Corporate Transactions, Securities, Labor & Employment and Litigation. Firm clients, including [Dollar Tree](#), the largest single-price-point retailer in the U.S., which is headquartered in Chesapeake, and [Universal Health Services](#), one of the largest and most respected health care management companies in the U.S., nominated Williams Mullen for this recognition.

In-House Law Departments at the Top 500 Companies featuring Go-To Law Firms(R) incorporates data collected on each company's primary law firms by surveys sent to General Counsel at each of the top 500 companies and through research in various resources including public records, leading publications and commercial databases such as *The American Lawyer*, *The National Law Journal*, *Corporate Counsel* magazine, and numerous other magazines and newspapers.

Williams Mullen president and CEO, [Thomas R. Frantz](#), commented, "We are pleased to be included in *Corporate Counsel* magazine's list of recommendations by In-House Law Departments at the Top 500 Companies. Our Intellectual Property, Corporate Transactions, Securities, Labor & Employment and Litigation practice areas were listed as "Go-To" practices by *Corporate Counsel* for 2011. This honor is even more significant to the firm because we were nominated by our clients."

About Williams Mullen

Williams Mullen provides comprehensive legal and government relations services that help grow the business of our clients and the economy of our region across North Carolina, Virginia and Washington, D.C. As an AmLaw 200 firm, our attorneys and consultants strive to deliver solutions that help clients go where they want to grow. Putting our clients' needs first has been the

foundation of our approach since the firm was founded 103 years ago. Visit us at www.williamsmullen.com.

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