

Headline News

Andrews Kurth Ranks High on ALM Corporate Scorecard

Firm continues to receive high marks

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(HOUSTON) - *The American Lawyer* 2009 Corporate Scorecard has ranked Andrews Kurth in several categories for securities offerings during 2008. In addition, the firm was recognized for its involvement in two of the largest bankruptcies filed in 2008.

Rank based on Number of Issues

- #2 in Municipal Bonds, Underwriter's Counsel
- #3 in IPOs, Underwriter's Counsel
- #6 in High-Yield Debt, Issuer's Counsel

Rank based on Proceeds

- #3 in IPOs, Underwriter's Counsel
- #5 in Municipal Bonds, Underwriter's Counsel

Largest Bankruptcies in 2008

The American Lawyer 2009 Corporate Scorecard also acknowledged Andrews Kurth for its involvement in two of the largest chapter 11 cases filed in 2008. The firm represents the Official Producers Committee in the SemGroup, L.P. chapter 11 case and the Official Creditors Committee in the Pilgrim's Pride chapter 11 cases.

ALM Corporate Scorecard Methodology

The American Lawyer's Corporate Scorecard tracks the transactional practices of leading firms. Corporate finance is a collection of subspecialties, and our scorecard ranks firms within those areas. Unless otherwise noted, data includes only public, registered, underwritten offerings or deals transacted in 2008, including firmly underwritten rule 144a transactions, but not pure private placements or the filing of shelf registrations. Values are as of February 2009, unless otherwise noted.

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