

## PRESS RELEASE: Kaufman Dolowich Announces Two New Partners

January 28, 2013 — Kaufman Dolowich & Voluck LLP (KD), a nationally recognized law firm, today announced Ellen R. Storch and Hsiao (Mark) Mao as new partners.

Ms. Storch works in the firm's Woodbury (Long Island), New York office; Mr. Mao is based in its San Francisco office.

"Ellen and Mark epitomize the diverse talent KD brings to client service nationwide. In addition to being tremendous lawyers, they are both greatly admired for their unique achievements," said Michael A. Kaufman, Managing Partner of Kaufman Dolowich & Voluck. "Ellen possesses outstanding legal skills and extraordinary relationships with her clients. Mark utilizes his fluency in Chinese to adeptly represent clients who conduct business in that language. Both are deeply dedicated to providing exemplary service to their clients. We welcome them to the firm's partnership."

Ms. Storch represents international, national and local employers in a wide variety of employment law actions. Her practice includes discrimination and harassment cases, restrictive covenant disputes and wage and hour law matters in federal and state courts, and before various human rights commissions and other governmental agencies. Complementing her litigation practice, Ms. Storch provides day-to-day advice and counsel to employers regarding the panoply of laws that govern and affect the employment relationship, with special emphasis on litigation avoidance strategies.

Mr. Mao defends and litigates on behalf of financial institutions, including securities broker dealers, investment advisory firms, lenders and companies making public and private offerings. He has also successfully defended professionals, such as registered representatives, investment advisors, real estate brokers, insurance brokers, certified public accountants, and attorneys in legal disputes. Mr. Mao has broad experience in alternative dispute resolution forums such as FINRA, as well as litigation experience in federal and state courts.

### About Kaufman Dolowich & Voluck LLP

Kaufman Dolowich & Voluck LLP (KD) is a national law firm serving the insurance and business communities in a number of practice areas. Our seasoned litigators and legal practitioners place our clients first, think like business people, and provide our clients with viable and innovative solutions that offer them the best resolution possible. Headquartered in Woodbury, New York (Long Island), KD serves our global clientele with additional offices in New York City, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Florida. For more information on KD's practice areas, attorneys, and how we can assist you with your legal matters, <http://www.kaufmandolowich.com>.

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