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**Robinson & Cole Attorney Britt-Marie K. Cole-Johnson Honored with 2012
Volunteer of the Year Award by Pro Bono Partnership**

HARTFORD, CT (March 26, 2013) – Robinson & Cole attorney Britt-Marie K. Cole-Johnson was recognized for her commitment to pro bono service and presented with a Volunteer of the Year Award from the Pro Bono Partnership at a private reception held March 13, 2013, in New York City. Ms. Cole-Johnson was chosen from a pool of almost 1,000 attorneys who provide free legal advice to the Pro Bono Partnership’s nonprofit clients.

“I take pride in being able to support organizations that help Connecticut families and children,” said Ms. Cole-Johnson. Through the Pro Bono Partnership, she has provided ongoing employment counsel to various nonprofit clients, including [Integrated Health Services](#), a health services provider in East Hartford, Connecticut for uninsured or underinsured children and their families.

[Ms. Cole-Johnson](#) is a part of Robinson & Cole’s Labor and Employment Practice Group, focusing her practice on public and private sector labor and employment law and immigration law. In addition to serving the community by performing pro bono service, Ms. Cole-Johnson is a member of the Board of Directors of the YWCA Hartford Region and serves on its Executive Committee. Ms. Cole-Johnson also serves as a grant panelist for the Greater Hartford Arts Council and is a member of the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving’s Scholarship Committee.

[The Pro Bono Partnership](#), founded in 1997, has supported over 1,700 nonprofit organizations by providing business and transactional legal services for no charge. In addition to the team of in-house lawyers, the Partnership actively recruits attorneys from major corporations and law firms to donate their time and expertise on behalf of its nonprofit clients, who work to aid the disadvantaged and enhance the quality of life in neighborhoods in New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut.

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