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CHAMBERS SELECTS THE DELAWARE COUNSEL GROUP LLP  
AS A LEADING DELAWARE LAW FIRM AND ELLISA HABBART  
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The Delaware Counsel Group LLP and its founding partner, Ellisa Opstbaum Habbart, have been included for the fourth year in Chambers USA rankings. According to Chambers USA 2009, The Delaware Counsel Group LLP "wins respect for its comprehensive advice, client service and acute commercial awareness of its clients' business goals." Clients praise the firm as "super responsive and knowledgeable, and have given us phenomenal advice." Ms. Habbart was praised by clients for her ability to "translate" the positions and preferences of the local judiciary "into advice on the best direction for [them] to take."

*Chambers USA America's Leading Lawyers for Business* is published annually by Chambers & Partners. The 2009 Client's Guide is based on extensive research conducted by Chambers & Partners editors. Chamber's listings are based solely on client evaluations and an exhaustive interview process. Unlike other directories, firms can not purchase a mention or a ranking.

Ms. Habbart has provided transactional counseling on national and international matters to attorneys (both in-house and in private practice) and senior level management (including CEOs, CFOs, general partners, boards of directors, managers and trustees) on Delaware law issues for 20 years. She can be reached at (302) 576-9600 Ext. 12 or [ehabbart@delawarecounselgroup.com](mailto:ehabbart@delawarecounselgroup.com).

*The Delaware Counsel Group advises clients worldwide on Delaware corporate and alternative entity transactions. The firm's clients range from U.S. and international law firms to businesses such as Accenture and LaSalle Bank. The Delaware Counsel Group's philosophy embodies a team methodology for clients who appreciate a relationship-based approach to legal services. Their attorneys have practiced most of their respective careers together and are well recognized for their leadership in national and*

*international organizations including the International Bar Association (IBA), the American Bar Association (ABA) and the Delaware Bankers Association. The Delaware Counsel Group is recognized by Chambers USA as a leading law firm in Delaware Corporate/Mergers and Acquisitions law and founding partner Ellisa Opstbaum Habbart was listed as one of Delaware's top alternative entity lawyers. The firm is rated "AV" by Martindale Hubbell. ###*