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### **STEARNS WEAVER MILLER UNVEILS NEW BLOG**

Miami, FL (August 15, 2011) – Stearns Weaver Miller’s top ranked Labor and Employment Law Department recently launched [Belabor the Point](#), a new blog addressing the latest developments in labor and employment law and the plethora of workplace issues employers face every day. Attorneys Glenn M. Rissman and Tobi Beth Lebowitz are leading the charge with articles such as “What do OSHA and Oprah have in Common?” and “Even in Legalized States, Employers Can Fire Pot-Smoking Employees.” Both Rissman and Lebowitz handle a wide variety of employment law matters across a range of industries. They also host a quarterly seminar series in Boca Raton that covers hiring, firing and everything in between.

### **ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT**

Stearns Weaver Miller’s Labor and Employment Department is designed to help clients understand their complex legal obligations in every employment area, and to comply with federal, state, and local laws prohibiting employment discrimination. The group practices across a variety of industries including banking and financial institutions, construction, e-commerce and technology, healthcare, hospitality and leisure, pharmaceutical and life sciences, retail, sports and entertainment, and transportation. Four attorneys in the group are Board Certified in Labor and Employment Law by The Florida Bar – the most of any South Florida Labor and Employment Department.

### **EMPLOYMENT COUNSELING**

The Department offers the full breadth of training and counseling as part of its commitment to unparalleled client service, including live seminars, webinars, client alerts, and publications. An annual seminar on labor and employment law is held each year, traditionally drawing hundreds of human resources professionals, general counsel and senior executives from top businesses throughout Florida. The Department also produces a series of more intimate workshops for employers. These breakfast seminars are held across South Florida.

The team also regularly collaborates to produce e-newsletters and other publications addressing legal updates and changes to the law that may affect employers. Shareholders Robert S. Turk and Lisa K. Berg recently released the latest edition of the popular *Pocket Guide to Florida Employment Laws*, a handy quick-reference guide addressing topics ranging from breastfeeding to Miami-Dade County’s controversial Wage Theft Ordinance.

### **STEARNS WEAVER MILLER**

Stearns Weaver Miller is a full-service law firm with more than 120 attorneys serving clients throughout Florida and nationwide. With offices in Miami, Fort Lauderdale, Tampa and Tallahassee, it serves business clients and government agencies with a focus on litigation, real estate, labor and employment, business restructuring, corporate and securities and local government representation.

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