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### **Doll Amir & Eley Tops List of Firms in Diversity and Inclusion Initiative**

LOS ANGELES, Aug, 16, 2017 -- DAE recently edged out 23 firms nationwide to top the list in diversity and inclusion in an industry survey. The diversity survey from a Fortune 100 client ranked firms that participate in the company's preferred provider network. The effort falls within a wider trend, as institutional clients across the country are increasingly analyzing law firm metrics on a voluntary basis as a means of furthering corporate diversity initiatives.

The legal profession overall has renewed its focus on diversity, marked most recently by the American Bar Association's adoption of Resolution 113 in 2016. ABA Resolution 113 "urges all providers of legal services, including law firms and corporations, to expand and create opportunities at all levels of responsibility for diverse attorneys." Specifically, the ABA developed the ABA Model Survey to enable clients to gather diversity data. This assists in facilitating opportunities for and directing a greater percentage of their legal service needs to diverse attorneys. Based on metrics taken from the ABA Model Survey, DAE landed in the top spot for its long-standing commitment to racial and gender diversity.

Diversity has been a cornerstone of DAE's growth and success since the boutique litigation firm was founded in 2004. "We strongly believe that embracing individual uniqueness brings creativity and vitality to our work environment," said co-founding partner Michael Amir. The deep commitment of the firm to ethnic and gender diversity can be seen throughout its ranks. Partner Connie Tcheng added, "I am glad to see our corporate clients embracing diversity initiatives and pleased to be at a law firm recognized for valuing diversity and inclusion."

### **About Doll Amir & Eley**

Doll Amir & Eley is a litigation firm located in Century City, a thriving center for business in the city of Los Angeles. The firm represents a wide range of public and private companies, as well as independent film and television producers, artists, athletes, real estate developers, and venture capitalists.

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