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Linebarger Goggan Partner Appointed to State Bar of Texas Board of Directors

Houston-based Attorney Named a Minority Director

(Houston, TX) – April 25, 2016 – Angelica M. Hernandez, a Partner in the Houston office of Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP, has been appointed to the State Bar of Texas Board of Directors. She will be one of six people serving as a Minority Director on the Board. Hernandez, who works in the firm’s Litigation Section, will officially join the board and begin her three-year term at the Association’s annual convention in Fort Worth on June 16th.

“I was deeply honored to be nominated for and then appointed to this position. As a Minority Director I stand for the more than 7,000 attorneys of Hispanic origin practicing in Texas and I look forward to taking on the challenge,” Hernandez said. The State Bar Board oversees the fiscal, administrative and public policy compliance of the State Bar of Texas.

“It does not surprise me in the least that Angelica has been selected for this Board position,” said Linebarger Goggan Houston Managing Partner Norman Nelson. “She’s a tremendous asset to this law firm and I know she’ll be a great addition to the Board.”

“I am a partner in a law firm that is committed to diversity. More than half of our attorneys are either minorities or women,” said Hernandez. “So, taking on this meaningful role with the state Bar Board is an extension of both my personal commitment as well as that of my law firm.”

Hernandez joined Linebarger Goggan in 2004 and became a partner in 2009. Prior to joining the firm, she was a briefing attorney for Judge David M. Medina of the 157th Harris County District Court and worked for the law firm of Callier & Garza LLP. She received both her undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Iowa and was licensed to practice law in Texas in 1996.

Hernandez also has a strong commitment to community service. She’s a member of the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo’s Go Tejano Committee, she’s chaired committees for the Houston Bar Association, served as President of both the Hispanic Bar Association of Houston and the Mexican American Bar Association of Houston, and was appointed to an 18-member Texas Supreme Court Commission to Expand Civil Legal Services.

“By joining the Board, I have a great opportunity to give back to the profession that has meant so much to me,” Hernandez concluded.

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