

Clients Rank Lathrop Gage in 2009 BTI Client Service A-Team

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For the second year in a row, Lathrop Gage has been ranked as one of the top 100 law firms Fortune 1000 clients delineate for delivering superior client service. 2008 was the first year that Boston-based BTI Consulting Group's annual survey ranked Lathrop Gage as being among the top law firms in the United States in client service, naming the firm to its "A-Team" of top-tier law firms. Each year BTI conducts nearly 1,300 independent interviews with General Counsel and other in-house attorneys nationwide to comprise their data on leading law firms.

The 2009 report comes from the most recent BTI Client Service Survey of corporate counsel at FORTUNE 1000 companies, where in-house counsel ranked law firms in 17 specific areas of client service with their legal services providers.

BTI Consulting Group is a leading provider of market research for professional services firms. The annual report, *The Survey of Client Service Performance for Law Firms: The BTI Client Service A-Team 2009* is available now through the organization.

About Lathrop Gage:

A full-service law firm, Lathrop Gage LLP has 300 attorneys in 11 offices across the country, from Los Angeles to New York. In 2008, *Chambers USA* ranked Lathrop Gage's corporate, environmental, intellectual property, litigation, real estate and labor and employment teams among the best in their respective regions. For more information, visit www.lathropgage.com.