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SHER TREMONTE LLP ANNOUNCES FORMATION OF BOUTIQUE LAW FIRM

New York, NY (March 13, 2012)—Justin Sher and Michael Tremonte, two highly regarded and experienced attorneys, have partnered to form [Sher Tremonte LLP](#), a boutique law firm specializing in complex commercial litigation and white collar defense.

The partnership combines the accomplishments and experience of two elite lawyers. Mr. Sher and Mr. Tremonte previously served in prestigious government positions and practiced at top multinational law firms. Both have extensive experience representing companies and individuals in high-profile, high-stakes litigation. And both have a strong track record of success, having consistently won favorable outcomes in difficult cases.

Mr. Tremonte joined from the United States Attorney's Office in the Eastern District of New York, where he served in the Criminal Division as an Assistant U.S. Attorney. Mr. Sher is the founder of Sher LLP, the precursor to Sher Tremonte.

Mr. Sher and Mr. Tremonte met earlier in their careers litigating a complex, cross-border financial fraud case in federal court. Based on their shared passion for litigation and the desire to practice law in an entrepreneurial setting, they reconnected to found Sher Tremonte LLP based on the principles of creativity, collegiality and dedication to the highest standards of professionalism.

"Over the course of our careers, we became convinced that the boutique model is ideal for serving clients," Sher said. "We wanted to establish our own, unique culture within that model. We're creating a practice environment that fosters vigorous advocacy, mutual respect and total dedication to achieving the best results for our clients. That's what we've built our careers on and that's the foundation of this firm."

"Michael is the ideal partner," Sher added. "He has an extremely sharp legal mind, first-rate trial experience and exceptional judgment. Michael approaches our clients' problems with analytical rigor and a deep understanding of the practical issues they face. He's an experienced trial lawyer, always calm under pressure, and is known for his unique ability to evaluate practical and legal issues from all angles."

"Justin's accomplishments are extraordinary," Tremonte said. "I've always been impressed by his skills as an advocate, and I find it remarkable that he built a successful practice during a time of extreme economic uncertainty. Justin thrived for a simple reason: he's an exceptional counselor and advocate who delivers successful outcomes for his clients. His calm and steady demeanor always puts clients at ease and lets them know they're in very capable hands."

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The practice will focus on complex commercial litigation and white collar defense.

[Justin Sher](#) is a partner and co-founder of Sher Tremonte LLP. He previously was the founder and sole proprietor of his own firm, Sher LLP, which he launched in 2008. Prior to that, he practiced at Kobre & Kim LLP and Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP. While at Davis Polk, he served as a Special Assistant District Attorney for the Kings County District Attorney's office.

He received his JD from New York University and BA from Harvard College.

[Michael Tremonte](#) is a partner and co-founder of Sher Tremonte LLP. He previously served as an Assistant U.S. Attorney in the Criminal Division of the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of New York. Prior to that, he was a partner at boutique litigation firm Cohen & Gresser LLP and an associate with Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP. He also served as a clerk to the Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis of the Eastern District of the US District Court.

He received his JD from New York University, pursued graduate studies in Classics at Princeton University, and received his BA from Vassar College.

About Sher Tremonte LLP (www.shertremonte.com)

Sher Tremonte LLP provides highly skilled representation to individuals and companies in complex civil litigation, internal investigations and white collar regulatory and criminal matters. The firm's co-founders, Justin Sher and Michael Tremonte, acquired their expertise in government service and practicing at premier law firms. Sher Tremonte LLP is dedicated to achieving successful outcomes through meticulous preparation, thoughtful counseling and vigorous advocacy.

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