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## Bradley Arant Boult Cummings Attorney Clarence Webster Named to Downtown Jackson Partners Advisory Board

JACKSON, Miss. (May 18, 2011) – Bradley Arant Boult Cummings LLP is pleased to announce that attorney Clarence Webster, III has been named to the Downtown Jackson Partners (DJP) Advisory Board. Members of the DJP Advisory Board provide input to the DJP staff and Board of Directors in order for the organization to carry out its mission. The Advisory Council is invited to all Board meetings and serves as advocates for Downtown Jackson.

"Clarence is very involved in the business community of Downtown Jackson, and we congratulate him on this appointment," said Firm Chairman Beau Grenier. "We know he will be of great value to the Downtown Jackson Partners board."

Webster's practice focuses primarily on products liability, commercial, and financial services litigation. He has handled a variety of matters in both federal and state trial courts in Mississippi, Tennessee, Florida, Louisiana, West Virginia, Kentucky, and Alabama. He advises a broad range of clients in cases involving the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, contract disputes, products liability, mass torts, commercial and residential real estate, fraud, legal malpractice, and appellate litigation. Webster holds a J.D. from Yale Law School and a B.A. (with honors) from the University of Mississippi.

## **About Downtown Jackson Partners**

Downtown Jackson Partners is the designated management and economic development agency for the 66-block Downtown Jackson Business Improvement District. The mission of Downtown Jackson Partners is to ensure that Downtown Jackson remains clean, safe and bustling. DJP directly implements certain improvement projects, provides leadership, and forms partnerships that will attract and enhance real estate development investments in the Downtown area.

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The firm's lawyers serve clients locally, regionally, nationally and internationally, and provide services across a wide range of industries, including accounting, automotive, banking and finance, biotechnology, life sciences, construction, education, emerging business, energy, entertainment, equipment leasing, forest products, government contracts, health care, life sciences, hospitality, insurance, manufacturing, materials and aggregate production, media and communications, mining, municipal and public finance, oil and gas, pharmaceuticals and medical devices, public utilities, real estate, retail, steel, technology, telecommunications, textiles, transportation, and venture capital.