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**NJWLA CELEBRATES THE HOLIDAY SEASON AND DONATES
PORTION OF PROCEEDS TO WYNONA'S HOUSE**

NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, DECEMBER 15, 2008 - The New Jersey Women Lawyers Association (NJWLA) celebrated the Holiday season with a festive gathering at the offices of Gibbons, PC in the Gateway Center at Newark and donated a portion of the proceeds to benefit the families of Wynona's House. The NJWLA Holiday Party had a strong turnout and provided a wonderful opportunity for its members to mingle and support a good cause at the same time. The mission of Wynona's House is to promote the healing of victims of child abuse by providing a strong community response to investigation, prosecution, treatment and prevention of child abuse.

NJWLA's mission is to retain women in the legal profession through education and activism, to promote our members to the highest levels of law firm, government, academic, community and corporate positions and to endorse qualified female attorneys for appointments to the state and federal judiciary. NJWLA fosters leadership among its members by promoting professional activities, mentoring, educational programs and networking functions. NJWLA is the voice on all issues of importance to women engaged in the practice of law.

