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### **Dorothy Brown Receives National Acclaim for Excelling in Government**

CHICAGO (June 21, 2005) - The Honorable Dorothy Brown, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, received the National Association of Black Accountants' (NABA) 2005 National Achievement Government Award during the organization's annual convention in Detroit on Saturday, June 18.

Clerk Brown was recognized for demonstrating outstanding achievement in the field of government as the official keeper of records for all judicial matters brought into one of the largest court systems in the world. She was also commended for using her accounting and auditing skills to bring revolutionary change to the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County. Clerk Brown has enhanced the office with an emphasis on 21<sup>st</sup> Century Technology, Customer Service, Operational Efficiency, Employee Development and Training and Financial Accountability.

"It was a tremendous honor to receive this award and to be congratulated on the professional achievements that I have made thus far," said Clerk Brown.

The NABA, a leader in expanding the influence of minority professionals in the fields of accounting and finance for more than 30 years, hosts its national convention annually where national awards are awarded in categories, including: National Outstanding Member, National Achievement Education, National Achievement Government, National Achievement Industry and National Achievement Public Accounting.

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