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Chapman Partner Todd Plotner Named a 2013 BTI Client Service All-Star

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CHICAGO (February 18, 2013) — Todd R. Plotner, a partner in Chapman's securitization and structured finance practice group, has been named a *BTI Client Service All-Star* for 2013. This list, based on interviews with General Counsel and their direct reports at Fortune 1000 companies, recognizes lawyers "who set the standard for client service excellence—standing above all others in the eyes of clients."

"Todd is the only securitization attorney on the *BTI Client Service All-Star* list this year," noted Tim Mohan, Chapman's Chief Executive Partner. "We congratulate Todd on this recognition. He advises clients engaged in some of the most sophisticated securitization and structured finance transactions in the world, and we are honored that his work has been recognized by the clients whom he serves."

Mr. Plotner has been a partner in Chapman's securitization and structured finance practice since 2006. His practice involves a broad range of novel securitization and structured finance transactions for shipping containers, railcars, vessels, automobiles and equipment in addition to student loans and other more esoteric assets. He provides strategic advice to borrowers and issuers as well as lenders, investors and underwriters in the capital markets. He received a B.A. with highest distinction in Economics from the University of Illinois, and a J.D. cum laude from the University of Michigan Law School where he was an editor of the *Michigan Law Review*.

About Chapman and Cutler

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