



# The Metropolitan Black Bar Association

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## *Twenty-Seventh Anniversary Awards Gala*

“Answering the Call to Lead”

Thursday, May 19, 2011

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Honorable David N. Dinkins  
106th Mayor of New York City

### **Gala Chair**

Honorable George B. Daniels  
Southern District of New York

### 2011 Anniversary Awards Honorees

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Executive Vice President and General Counsel  
Allstate Insurance Company

#### **Michelle C. Ifill**

Vice President and Deputy General Counsel  
Verizon Business

#### **David A. Crichlow**

Partner  
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw and Pittman LLP

#### **Taa Grays**

Associate General Counsel  
MetLife, Inc.

#### **The Honorable Tandra L. Dawson**

Acting Justice, Supreme Court, NY County  
Integrated Domestic Violence Court

#### **Honorable Gayle P. Roberts**

Family Court of the City of New York  
Bronx County

#### **Mylan L. Denerstein**

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#### **Deborah L. Martin**

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