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## Baker Donelson Named Among Best Employers in Tennessee

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(Memphis, TN/May 7, 2009) Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz, PC is proud to announce the Firm has been recognized as one of the Best Employers in Tennessee. This is the third consecutive year that Baker Donelson has been named one of the Best Employers in Tennessee in the large company category.

"At Baker Donelson, our promise is 'Clients First,' and we live up to that commitment because of the people we have working here. Every employee is as valued as the clients they strive to serve," said Ben Adams, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Baker Donelson. "We're very proud that the Firm has once again received this recognition. It is a testament to the culture that we've built together here."

The Best Employers in Tennessee program is made up of 25 companies split into two groups: 16 small/medium companies (25-249 employees) and nine large companies (more than 250 employees). Baker Donelson was ranked fourth out of nine companies in the large company category.

The fifth annual Best Employers in Tennessee program, which was designed to identify, recognize and honor the companies in Tennessee that show a dedication to employee growth, development and quality of life, was created by *Business Tennessee* magazine in partnership with the Society for Human Resource Management – Tennessee State Council, the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and American Red Cross Tennessee Chapters. Best Companies Group managed the overall registration and survey process.

The complete list of Best Employers in Tennessee and their rankings are published in the May 2009 issue of *Business Tennessee* magazine. For more information on the Best Employers in Tennessee program, visit [www.BestEmployersTN.com](http://www.BestEmployersTN.com).