'B' Green Challenge presented by National Grid

Brooklyn Legal Services Corporation A, in Williamsburg Recognized for Saving Energy

Left to right: From Brooklyn A are Paul J. Acinapura, General Counsel and Martin S. Needelman, Executive Director and Chief Counsel along with National Grid Energy Efficiency Representative Kiel Costella, receiving 'B' Green Challenge prizes including autographed Nets memorabilia and a plaque. Photo credit: Julian Pavlin

Brooklyn Legal Services Corporation A, has taken steps to reduce their energy use by installing programmable thermostats on each floor of their building to help manage energy usage, sealing air leaks around windows with weather stripping, and making roof repairs. Brooklyn A, as the organization is commonly known as, also provides the Green Building Law and Justice (GBLJ) Project which provides legal assistance to nonprofit community development corporations and community based organizations undertaking environmentally sustainable or "green" community development projects.

Brooklyn A has provided free legal services to low-income residents, community groups and nonprofit organizations of North and East Brooklyn for over 44 years. The organization, established in 1968 as part of the federally-funded legal services program, is located at 260 Broadway in Williamsburg.

The 'B' Green Challenge presented by National Grid helps businesses implement energy savings tips to save money and energy and protect the environment. Each month the businesses answer a few short questions about steps they are taking each day to 'B' Green. National Grid, the Brooklyn Nets and Barclays Center review the submissions and select a winning business.