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Kadijah Turay-Sengova is the secretary of the Pennsylvania Bar Association Minority Bar Committee’s Community Outreach Subcommittee. In her role as secretary, she keeps the minutes of all of the subcommittee’s meetings, participates in the planning and organizing of the subcommittee’s *You and the Law* Community Outreach events and updates the subcommittee’s activities on the MBC’s website. She speaks at the Outreach events on free legal services available to the community and provides a list of organizations offering such services. On May 11, 2012, at the meeting of its House of Delegates, the PBA honored Kadijah with its Special Achievement Award for her role in the *You and the Law* programs.

Kadijah is a member of the American Immigration Lawyers Association (AILA) and has been a volunteer for AILA’s Citizenship Day since 2009. Her practice includes conducting detailed case assessments and counseling clients through the immigration process, representing petitioners for U.S. citizenship, and performing community outreach and education services to immigrant communities. She has additional training and experience in clinical psychology and is skilled in conflict resolution, counseling and advising clients in crisis. She has conducted presentations and seminars for the immigrant community on legal issues. Kadijah is the co-founder and former chairperson of Freedelphins, Inc. and Collective Sierra Leoneans. Both organizations were developed to celebrate the culture and heritage of Sierra Leone, West Africa.

Kadijah is also lead analyst at Independence Blue Cross, Philadelphia. In May 2012 she received the Team and Individual Innovation Award from IBC, and she has won in earlier years two of IBC’s most coveted awards for business excellence: Best of the Best and Winner’s Circle.

Kadijah is an active member of Mt. Zion United African Church in Philadelphia, where she currently serving as both youth leader and vice president of the Women’s Committee.

Kadijah has a bachelor of science degree, psychology, from Morgan State University, Baltimore, Md., a master of education, counseling psychology, Temple University, Philadelphia, and a juris doctor, Widener University School of Law, Wilmington, Del.