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## **HAVE YOU HEARD ...**

NEW YORKERS love their abbreviations, but gone are the days of the simplistic, practical shorthand like UES, UWS and LES.

Everybody who's anybody has a flashy, marketable nickname in today's housing market, but the latest to surface – DoBro – hasn't yet grained the traction of its predecessors.

Though the blogosphere has dubbed Downtown Brooklyn "DoBro," there's little evidence of brokers using the moniker for marketing purposes.

Perhaps the blogs have taken poetic license too far, the neighborhood isn't

'trendy' enough to be abbreviated, or we're all too burnt out to learn more shorthand. Either way – this one hasn't

stuck.

And that's surprising when you consider everything else NY real estate has adopted in its vocabulary: FiDi (Financial District), SoHo (South of

Italy), TriBeCa (Triangle Below Canal Street), DUMBO (Down Under the Manhattan Bridge Overpass) and Bo-CoCa (Boerum Hill, Cobble Hill and Carroll Gardens).

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FOR the second consecutive year, RE/MAX is listed among the top 2% of U.S. companies that have made a commitment to America's veterans and military families.

RE/MAX was named to the 2010
Top 100 Military Friendly Employers
list by G.I. Jobs magazine. Companies
were judged on criteria that included
the percentage of new hires with prior
military service, and also their policies
toward National Guard and Reserve
service. Many RE/MAX employees
and top ranking officers, including
Dave Liniger, have served on active
duty in the military.
"RE/MAX is a global company built

on the American values of our nation:

liberty, independence and hard work. Members of the American military and their families make sacrifices for our country everyday and we are proud of RE/MAX's efforts to provide employment to American veterans and support to military families," said Henry F. Weber, regional director of RE/MAX of New York, Inc.

The award — one of the

highest given to civilians
— was presented to Gail
Liniger, vice chairman of
the board and co-founder,
in a special Pentagon
ceremony. last month.

AN Edie Sedgwick Alook-alike might be just the inspiration CORE star Emily Beare needs to sell the \$12 million cupola penthouse at 141 Fifth Avenue. A doppelganger of the famous Andy Warhol muse — complete with inch-

long eye lashes and unlit Marlboro

— was part of the scenery at a swanky
Warhol-themed soiree hosted by Dom
Perignon at the 3,200 s/f penthouse last
week

The champagne house is set to release a limited edition vintage with Warhol-inspired packaging later this year.

And where better to unveil it than a home that's bound to be bought by a member of the champage-swilling crowd Warhol loved — rich, famous and/or smart.

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Sienne Miller as Warhol muse Edie Sedgwick in the movie, Factory Girl.