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Record growth makes CPAmerica largest CPA network in world

Bethesda, MD, July 19, 2007 – Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman belongs to the largest network of independent CPAmerica firms in the world, CPAmerica International.

With a more than 70 firms in CPAmerica, more than 220 in the affiliated CPAConnect and with its strategic alliance with Horwath International

Based on 2006 figures from *Accounting Today* and the *International Accounting Bulletin*, only the “Big Four” national firms and H&R Block are larger in the United States. Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman has belonged to the CPAmerica network since 1998.

“We plan to add 50 new firms in 2007,” said Douglas H. Thompson, Jr., CPA, CPAmerica president and CEO. “With our 26 full-time staff and wide array of services and products, there is not a better value for growth-committed CPA firms in America.

“Our challenge is to marshal the collective resources to put the talents of thousands of CPAs to work for our members to enable them to better serve their clients. Our goal is to position our member CPA firms as the ‘preferred choice’ in their respective markets, bringing their clients the best of both worlds – the close personal attention of a local firm combined with the knowledge and power of a global network.”

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Bethesda, MD-based Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman, CPAs has been part of the Washington, DC metropolitan community for over 25 years. The firm provides accounting, auditing and consulting services to an extensive client base of nonprofit organizations, for-profit corporations including government contractors, research and development firms, retail businesses, professional service firms, partnerships, trusts, and individual clients. GRF is a full-service large local accounting firm with national and international affiliations.

CPAmerica is also one of the largest networks in the world through its strategic alliance with Horwath International. The CPAmerica/Horwath alliance generates annual revenues of \$1.8 billion with nearly 20,000 employees in more than 400 cities around the globe. For more information about Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman and the CPAmerica International network, please visit www.grfcpa.com and www.cpamerica.org .

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