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GRF Named an All-Star Firm for 2009

Bethesda, MD, August 31, 2009 – Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman, CPAs, has been recognized by *Inside Public Accounting* as one of the top 10 fastest-growing CPA firms of 2009.

President and Managing Partner David F. Graling said, “We could not have accomplished this without the participation of all of the employees of Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman and our loyal clients. Each of us at GRF is proud to be a part of this accomplishment that has brought us this designation.” GRF grew by nearly 21% during the 2008-2009 fiscal year.

Based in Bethesda, Maryland, Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman, CPAs (www.grfcpa.com) 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 accounting firm with national and international affiliations.

See Fastest-Growing Firm list below.



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INSIDE Public Accounting is pleased to present our 15th annual recognition of the All-Star firms. These firms, selected exclusively on their performance in specific areas of practice management, are compared with the hundreds of other firms participating in the 2009 IPA Annual Survey and Analysis of Firms.

★ FASTEST-GROWING...

INSIDE Public Accounting THE 2009 ALL-STARS IPA FASTEST-GROWING FIRMS			
RANK	FIRM HEADQUARTERS	% GROWTH	FY '08-09 NET REVENUE
1	Kearney & Company* / Alexandria, Va.	58.6%	\$48,383,658
2	Rothstein Kass* / Roseland, N.J.	27.4%	\$168,487,000
3	LaPorte Sehrt Romig Hand / Metairie, La.	25.2%	\$17,519,693
4	Argy, Wiltse & Robinson / McLean, Va.	25.1%	\$41,000,327
5	Ueltzen & Company / Sacramento, Calif.	23.0%	\$5,651,531
6	SC&H Group / Sparks, Md.	22.0%	\$50,985,591
7	Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman / Bethesda, Md.	20.9%	\$15,789,368
8	Padgett, Stratemann & Co. / San Antonio, Texas	20.3%	\$24,337,387
9	Whitley Penn / Fort Worth, Texas	19.7%	\$32,531,820
10	SS&G Financial Services / Cleveland	18.1%	\$57,666,545

Source: INSIDE Public Accounting www.insidepublicaccounting.com

IPA ALL-STAR SPOTLIGHT ON...GELMAN, ROSENBERG & FREEDMAN



President/Managing Partner: David F. Graling

Headquarters: Bethesda, Md.

No. of Offices: 1

No. of Partners: 12

No. of Staff: 91

FY08 Net Revenue: \$15.7

Association(s): CPAmerica International /
Horwath International

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