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TRUE PARTNERS CONSULTING ACHIEVES SIGNIFICANT GLOBAL EXPANSION
Rapidly growing firm establishes offices in China, Italy and Spain

CHICAGO – September, 3rd 2008 – True Partners Consulting LLC today announced that True Partners Consulting International Network, an association of tax consulting firms in select markets around the world, has reached agreement with three new affiliates in key international markets.

The three new member firms will join TPCI's growing affiliates network in Beijing and Shanghai, China; Barcelona, Spain; and Turin, Italy; the company announced. The affiliates, which will be identified as "Member Firms of the True Partners Consulting International Network," are:

- True Partners Consulting International (China) "攀盟咨询";
- Toda & Nel-lo Abogados, (Spain); and
- Studio Manzoni Pagliero Vanz e Associati (Italy).

"It is thrilling to further strengthen our ability to support our clients in the important global markets where they do business," said Cary McMillan, chief executive officer of True Partners Consulting. "In less than three years of existence we have made aggressive efforts to support our clients wherever they do business and we'll continue moving in that direction as we look ahead."

The three new member firms of True Partners Consulting International will offer a powerful blend of services that True Partners Consulting clients can utilize in key international financial markets, according to McMillan.

True Partners Consulting International - China, is being formed by the owners of Hua-Ander, one of the first partnership accounting firms approved by the Ministry of Finance of the People's Republic of China. Hua-Ander is a full-service accounting, auditing and attestation firm. The new firm will provide tax services. True Partners China, will be led by Wang Guoqi, who has a rich knowledge of tax and international accounting, finance and auditing, and extensive experience in servicing multinational businesses. Guoqi and his partners have served a number of foreign investment enterprises (FIEs) and hi-tech ventures in China in the fields of business services, IFRS audit and review, due diligence, financial advisory, and management consultancy.

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Founded in 1991, Toda & Nel-lo Abogados is a mid-sized Spanish firm in Barcelona, also servicing the rest of Spain (especially in Madrid), that specializes in tax & legal services. Serving clients throughout Spain, the firm's main practice areas are taxation, company & commercial law, litigation, real estate, administrative law and labor law, and for clients in a variety of industries, such as administration (public and semi-public), real estate, pharmaceutical, health, chemical, energy and finance. The founding partners are Ignacio Toda, public prosecutor (abogado del Estado) on voluntary leave, and Ricard Nel-lo. Joan Pons is the partner who leads the tax department and will head the firm's work with the TPC International Network.

Studio Manzoni Pagliero Vanz e Associati has been providing tax and business legal assistance for nearly four decades to select domestic and foreign clients who are leaders in their fields. The firm has significant experience in M&A transactions, business reorganization and enterprise appraisals, and its lawyers represent clients in disputed tax law matters in all degrees of Italian jurisdiction, including the Supreme Court of Cassation (Corte di Cassazione). Founded by Michele Pagliero, the firm was enlarged to Ignazio Manzoni and Giuseppe Vanz, professors of tax law at the University of Turin, and to other professionals. Natalia Operti, partner of the firm, will lead the work with the TPC International Network.

Through TPC International (a network of independently owned tax advisory firms), True Partners also has an affiliated member firm in Paris, ArtemTax International. Its first wholly owned office outside the United States is located in London and named True Partners Consulting (U.K.) LLP.

About Hua-Ander Certified Public Accountants

Now in its 11th year, Hua-Ander's international expertise and experience, facilitated by strong English communication abilities, gives Hua-Ander an advantage in servicing foreign entities in China. The knowledge and insight into the practice of local tax and other regulatory requirements enables the firm to provide practical solutions. High quality services, personal attention to each client and issue, and reasonable fees, make Hua-Ander the best cost-effective alternative to the 'Big Four' in China.

About Toda & Nel-lo Abogados

Founded in 1991, Toda & Nel-lo Abogados offers clients 18 professionals with more than 290 years of combined experience in multidisciplinary and diverse tax and legal issues, including work with "Big Four" advisory firms, the Spanish government and major Spanish universities. Toda & Nel-lo Abogados always provide clients with traditional values, professionalism, integrity, confidentiality, honesty, and ethics, to ensure their objectives and needs are met.

About Studio Manzoni Pagliero Vanz e Associati

Established in 1971, Studio Manzoni Pagliero Vanz e Associati provides tax and business legal assistance to select domestic and foreign clients who are leaders in their fields. Made up of seven partners and eleven professionals with law and economics expertise, the firm works to create customized solutions for clients, leveraging a multidisciplinary and global approach. Studio Manzoni Pagliero Vanz e Associati also maintain close working relationships with Turin University and the academic community, and some of its members teach and/or contribute to legal and economic publications.

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About TPC (UK) LLP

TPC's London office provides tax and business advice and specializes in transfer pricing, cross border tax planning, structuring and reconstructions, start up operations and VAT and Customs Duties advice throughout the EU. With its expanding professional team, the London office offers constructive tailored advice and also provides cost effective tax compliance services. For a complementary expert tax consultation, visit www.tpctax.com

About ArtemTax International

ArtemTax International is a tax law firm specializing in inbound and outbound transactions. The team is at the forefront of tax structuring, having implemented one of the first cross-border mergers between two entities in France and in the Netherlands that encompasses tax and accounting matters. ArtemTax International is characterized by its independent and personalized approach, without the restrictions of Sarbanes-Oxley and the French law on financial securities ("Loi sur la Sécurité Financière"), and by granting clients access to a dedicated partner from start to finish, ensuring the highest level of service. The team also differentiates itself through its global approach in taking into consideration financial, accounting, and economic services.

About True Partners Consulting LLC

True Partners Consulting is a world-class tax and business advisory firm that helps large public and private enterprises navigate complex financial regulations without the Sarbanes-Oxley created conflicts inherent in offering both consulting and audit services. The firm provides a broad range of services, including analysis and counsel concerning the tax impact of business issues such as organic or acquisition-driven growth, filing practices, business restructuring or bankruptcy. True Partners provides a wide range of services to its multinational clients, including global structuring, transfer pricing, repatriation planning, international compliance and treaty planning. The firm also conducts refund reviews, analyzes clients' tax exposure and prepares responses to audit inquiries, in addition to helping clients address compliance issues.

True Partners has offices in Chicago; New York; Los Angeles; San Jose, Calif.; Tampa, Fla.; Boston; and London. Find additional information at www.tpctax.com.

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