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Tampa (Feb. 3, 2010) – Forensic Accounting & Fraud Solutions International, LLC, a consulting and investigative firm announced today a joint venture with Adam Bratter, C.P.A., P. A.

Corporate fraud is expected to increase as the economic situation worsens. The Fraud and Recovery Act supports its bill by facts about fraud such as mortgage fraud¹. It states that the FBI, in cooperation with other parts of the Department of Justice and other federal departments and agencies, has increased efforts to investigate and prosecute instances of mortgage fraud. FBI statistics indicate that there were more than 63,000 total mortgage fraud suspicious activity reports (SARs) in 2008 and almost 29,000 so far in 2009, and SARs do not represent a complete picture of the problem. To combat these issues, the FBI created 56 mortgage fraud task forces and working groups, including a National Mortgage Fraud Team (December 2008). To date, the FBI has over 2000 pending mortgage fraud investigations. Total annual losses from mortgage fraud are estimated to be more than \$4 billion.

This Joint Venture will provide consulting services to financial institutions, businesses and organizations seeking to prevent fraud and to attorneys, Certified Public Accountants, and investigators who need help with fraud and white-collar crime investigations. In addition, this joint venture offers services both in English and Spanish to investors and investigators handling matters in Spain and Latin America. FAFSI develops customized training programs suitable to clients' specific needs.

About Forensic Accounting and Fraud Solutions International, LLC

FAFSI, Forensic Accounting and Fraud Solutions International, LLC was founded by Consuelo Herrera, its Managing Director. Consuelo Herrera holds a BS degree in Business Administration/Accounting from the University of South Florida, a degree from the Universidad Central, where she earned her designation as Certified Public Accountant (Colombia) and a post-degree from the Universidad Católica, which granted her the title of Specialist in Taxes and Customs. Consuelo Herrera is a Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE), a Certified Anti-Money Laundering Specialist (CAMS), and a Forensic Certified Public Accountant (FCPA).

¹ <http://rpc.senate.gov/public/ files/L9S386FraudEnforcementandRecovery042009.pdf>





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Consuelo Herrera has written numerous articles about fraud, forensic accounting, and money laundering, both in English and Spanish. Her latest speaking engagements include: 2009 V International Conference Anti-Money Laundering in Caracas

(Venezuela), 2009 Second National Conference on Fraud and Corruption Prevention in Mexico D.F., and a presentation to Russian Dignitaries about money laundering in May 2009. Also Consuelo Herrera gave conferences at the Universities EAFIT and Universidad de Medellín in Colombia, and University of South Florida, MBA in forensic accounting students.

Consuelo Herrera was the winner of the 2005 Forensic Technology's President's Award in the category of Costs Savings and Innovation, ceremony held in Montreal (Canada) in 2005. She has expertise in the banking industry, more than eleven years, private, and governmental companies.

About Adam Bratter, C.P.A., P. A.

ADAM BRATTER, C.P.A. P.A. Is a full service accounting firm. Its President, Adam Bratter, CPA is a graduate of the University of Florida at Gainesville where he received a BS in Accounting with High Honors and earned a Masters degree in Accounting at the State University of New York at Albany with High Honors.

Adam Bratter currently holds a CPA license in the state of Florida. Current works in process: Publishing tax articles and co-authoring several small business management workbooks. My firm philosophy is to foster client relationships and ensure that I meet or exceed client's needs. The goal is to provide expert tax services and meaningful financial information that makes a difference and enables you to plan and control your future.

Adam's philosophy is to educate his clients on accounting and tax matters as well as teach them the practical aspects of running a business.

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