



**CANACCORD FINANCIAL INC.
Change of Nominated Adviser**

TORONTO, September 20, 2010 - Canaccord Financial Inc. (the "Company") announces that, following the acquisition of Fox-Pitt, Kelton Limited by Macquarie Group Limited on November 30, 2009, the name of the Company's nominated adviser and broker has changed to Macquarie Capital (Europe) Limited, effective today.

ABOUT CANACCORD FINANCIAL INC.:

Through its principal subsidiaries, Canaccord Financial Inc. is a leading independent, full-service financial services firm, with operations in two principal segments of the securities industry: wealth management and global capital markets. Since its establishment in 1950, Canaccord has been driven by an unwavering commitment to building lasting client relationships. We achieve this by generating value for our individual, institutional and corporate clients through comprehensive investment solutions, brokerage services and investment banking services. Canaccord has 39 offices worldwide, including 31 Wealth Management offices located across Canada. Canaccord Genuity, the international capital markets division, operates in the U.S., U.K., Canada and Barbados.

Canaccord Financial Inc. is publicly traded under the symbol CF on the TSX and the symbol CF. on AIM, a market operated by the London Stock Exchange.

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