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John Brough Appointed to Leadership Role in the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA)

Warwick, R.I. (November 8, 2010) – John J. Brough, Jr., CPA/ABV/CFF, MST, has been appointed to serve on the AICPA’s National Forensic and Litigation Services (FLS) Committee. John is a Partner at DiSanto, Priest & Co., a full service professional advisory firm in Warwick, RI.

The FLS Committee is one of the AICPA’s Specialized Communities and Firm Practice Management (SCFPM) committees. The FLS Committee provides professional guidance to CPA practitioners who perform forensic accounting investigations and determine economic damages. Accredited in Business Valuations (ABV) by the AICPA, John has specialized in business valuations and litigation support services for over twenty-five years.

The goal of the AICPA’s SCFPM division is to provide resources that enhance members’ success by focusing on: Community, Events and online forums to allow members to connect with their peers; Information, Website, e-communications and print publications to keep members informed; Professional Development, Education, tools, practice aids and knowledge centers to enhance the expertise of CPAs; Certification, Credential programs to help CPAs differentiate their experience and expertise; Practice Development, Tools and resources for starting or expanding a specialty practice; and, Advocacy, Promotion and protection of members’ interests with regulators and other third parties.

The AICPA is the national, professional organization for all Certified Public Accountants with over 336,000 members. Its mission is to provide members with the resources, information, and leadership that enable them to provide valuable services in the highest professional manner to benefit the public as well as employers and clients.

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