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Investment Partners, LTD named to Top 100 List

New Philadelphia, Ohio — August 27, 2009 — In its August 2009 publication, Registered Rep® Magazine has released the annual listing of the The Top 100 Independent Advisors in America. Investment Partners, LTD based in New Philadelphia, Ohio was ranked number 25 on this year's list with \$445,000,000 in assets under management. Investment Partners, LTD jumped 5 spots from last year's listing at number 30.

According to the magazine, "advisors were ranked by assets under management using the Discovery-RR database system. Discovery maintains data on the registered rep universe then validates the ranking via direct survey." The article went on to point that, "Some advisors from past years are not on this year's list."

"We are both honored and proud to have been recognized as the 25th largest firm in the Top 100 Independent Advisors in America." "The majority of the firms on the list are in larger cities across the country, so it is especially gratifying to be included", stated Steve Stocker, managing member and principal in the New Philadelphia office. In addition to Stocker, other advisors in the New Philadelphia office include, Doug Bambeck and Chris Hensel.

"Of course we're honored and humbled to join this elite membership, thanks to our clients and the relationships we've built with them," said Doug Bambeck. "However, the recognition that always means the most to us is our clients' continued trust in our firm and services."

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