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NASHVILLE, Tenn., September 3, 2008 – HORNE LLP, one of the top 10 accounting and business advisory firms in the southeast, announced today the addition of Jason Darby, CPA, as manager in the firm's Nashville office.

With more than 10 years of accounting experience, Darby specializes in assisting taxpayers in the state and local tax (SALT) areas of income and franchise tax, sales and use tax, credits and incentives, employment tax, abandoned and unclaimed property, and property tax. While based in Nashville, Darby will be a firm wide resource for HORNE's tax department on all matters relating to SALT.

A resident of Nashville, Darby graduated from Union University in Jackson, Tenn., with a degree in accounting. He is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Tennessee Society of Certified Public Accountants. He is also involved in Junior Achievement, Students in Free Enterprise (SIFE) and Upward basketball program.

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