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ALFA International Expands With New Member Law Firm (*Mourgelas & Associates*) in Greece

(July 17, 2008) – ALFA International’s Board of Directors has voted to admit *Mourgelas & Associates* (www.mourgelas.gr) as the exclusive ALFA International member law firm in Greece.

Founded in 1975 by Gregory Mourgelas the *Mourgelas & Associates* law firm provides a spectrum of corporate and litigation legal services to companies of all sizes and from many industries. With a 15-lawyer office in Athens, Greece their legal service capabilities include corporate, energy, public contracts, real estate, communication and media, telecoms, I.P., litigation, arbitration, banking and tax matters. Amongst their clients stand global market leaders and medium sized companies in the areas of Public Utilities, Energy, Construction, Banking, Media, Advertisement & Communication, High Technology, Education, Food & Beverage and Consumer Goods.

Richard Hetke, ALFA International’s CEO indicated, “The admission of *Mourgelas & Associates* provides us with a superior member law firm within Greece as our client base continues to expand across the most important European markets. It is essential that we continue to build our membership and deliver the global legal services that are part and parcel of doing business today.”

According to Antonis Mourgelas the ALFA International Contact Partner at *Mourgelas & Associates*, “We are pleased to become the newest member of the ALFA International global legal network. The Greek business market remains strong and we look forward to working with global companies as they enter this region. ”

About ALFA International

ALFA International, the global legal network, (www.alfainternational.com) is an organization of independent law firms. ALFA's membership is comprised of 127 international law firms (85 U.S. based firms, 42 non U.S. based firms) employing over 8,000 lawyers and 10,000 other legal professionals. Member firms are located in nearly every U.S. state as well as in Canada, Mexico, across Europe, Latin America, South America, and the Pacific Rim. ALFA's basic objective, accomplished through its member firms and their activities, is to improve the quality and efficiency of legal services and to provide those services to clients within a reasonable and value oriented cost formula across jurisdictions around the world.