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BLUMENFELD JOINS BUCCINO & ASSOCIATES

CHICAGO, January 27, 2009 / PR Newswire/ - Buccino & Associates, Inc., one of America's premier financial and strategic advisory firms, is pleased to announce that Robert M. Blumenfeld has joined the firm. Robert M. Blumenfeld will be based in the firm's New York office.

Mr. Blumenfeld was formerly Senior Vice President of Bryant Park Capital and Managing Director of Bryant Park Capital Valuation Services. He focused on developing new business as part of the firm's Strategic Advisory, M & A, and Capital Raising Services. Mr. Blumenfeld began his career with April-Marcus, a leading national retail restructuring and turnaround firm and later as President of a national valuation and workout firm. He has worked with clients in such diverse industries including; retail, apparel, construction materials, advertising, furniture, flooring, outdoor sports, manufacturing, plastics, textiles, tobacco, distribution and technology.

Mr. Blumenfeld earned his Bachelor's in Business and Technology from Babson College and an MBA in Finance from Fordham University. Currently Mr. Blumenfeld is the President of the 900 member New York Chapter of the Association for Corporate Growth (ACG), National Board and Executive Committee Member of ACG Global a 12,000 member non-profit and a Board Member of the New York Chapter of the Turnaround Management Association (TMA).

Gerald P. Buccino Chairman and CEO of the firm said, "We are pleased to have a professional of Mr. Blumenfeld's caliber and experience join our team. The combination of Mr. Blumenfeld's financial background and business skills combined with our firm's significant capabilities will enable us to provide a greater range of consulting services for our clients."

About Buccino & Associates Inc.,

Founded in 1981, Buccino & Associates, Inc. is one of America's premier strategic and financial consulting firms providing clients comprehensive advisory services designed to enhance cash flow and position companies for long-term profitability. Services include strategic and financial assessment of business operations; turnaround consulting; financial advisory services to lenders, creditors and other economic stakeholders; crisis and interim management; valuation; real estate; insolvency and reorganization services; corporate restructuring; forensic analysis; litigation support and expert testimony. Buccino & Associates, Inc. has offices in Chicago and New York.

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