The Moran Asset Management Group of Wachovia Securities

White Earns Series 7

NAPLES, FL (January 27, 2009) – Shad White, a Client Associate with The Moran Asset Management Group of Wachovia Securities has passed the Series 7 examination. The Series 7 exam is a comprehensive financial securities exam administered by the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA).

White earned his bachelor's degree in communications from Florida Gulf Coast University and his MBA from Hodges University. Prior to joining The Moran Asset Management Group, White was an assistant branch manager with AmSouth Bank. He serves on the advisory board of Hodges University's Allied Health Department and is a member of the Gulf Coast Runners and the Naples Pathways Coalition.

About Moran:
The Moran Asset Management Group is a money management practice.** Under the direction of founder Thomas Moran, Managing Director-Investments and Senior PIM Portfolio Manager, the firm has served the Naples community for 27 years. His team of financial advisors, with a combined group experience of more than 100 years, has helped clients meet their investment goals, build wealth, and preserve capital with sound financial strategies.

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