

PRESS RELEASE PRESS RELEASE PRESS RELEASE PRESS RELEASE

***** FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE *****

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT: Anne D'Amico, CPA, PFS 856.667.4100

Cherry Hill, NJ.....July 30, 2008.....Page 1 of 1

Robert W. Gargone & Associates, P.A. Announces Merger with The Alloy Silverstein Group

Robert W. Gargone & Associates, P.A. announces its merger with Alloy, Silverstein, Shapiro, Adams, Mulford, Cicalese, Wilson, & Co. effective July 1, 2008. Robert W. Gargone & Associates is a Hammonton, NJ based accounting firm offering a variety of services to individuals and small businesses.

"This merger will enhance services and expand resources available to clients of both firms," said Reynold P. Cicalese, managing shareholder of Alloy Silverstein. "Alloy Silverstein has maintained a reputation of professional excellence in the Greater Philadelphia Region for nearly 50 years. We are eager for the opportunity to put that reputation on display to the people of Hammonton."

Bob Gargone and his staff will remain at the Hammonton office and will be joined by Kelly Raso, Hammonton resident and associate partner at Alloy Silverstein, as well as Ren Cicalese, who will oversee daily operations.

"We are committed to providing the highest level of quality service to our clients. When contemplating a merger, we seek firms with similar ideals and high professional standards in areas where we would like to expand our practice," says Cicalese. "We've taken an aggressive approach toward expansion which has allowed us to grow into one of the largest regional firms in the area, but we will continue to offer the personalized attention that our clients deserve."

Alloy, Silverstein, Shapiro, Adams, Mulford, Cicalese, Wilson & Co., the 22nd largest accounting firm in New Jersey, headquartered in Cherry Hill, provides a wide range of services including accounting, auditing, tax planning and preparation, management consulting, financial and estate planning, business valuations, litigation support, Eldercare, payroll processing, and information technology consulting.

Securities offered through 1st Global Capital Corp., Member FINRA, SIPC

Investment Advisory services offered through 1st Global Advisors, Inc.

For more information contact:

Anne D'Amico, CPA, PFS
Alloy, Silverstein, Shapiro, Adams, Mulford, Cicalese, Wilson & Co.
900 Kings Highway North
Cherry Hill, NJ 08034
856.667.4100 extension 180
Email: ADamico@alloysilverstein.com

###