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Press Release

FIREMAN'S FUND PERSONAL INSURANCE PRESIDENT ROBERT COURTEMANCHE KEYNOTES NATIONAL APPRAISERS CONFERENCE

NOVATO, Calif. (Nov. 8, 2007) – Robert Courtemanche, president, Personal Insurance for Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, will be the keynote speaker at the 2007 Appraisers Association of America national conference on Nov. 10, held at the Yale Club in New York City.

The theme of Courtemanche's address is "Handling with Care: The Value of Partnership in a Volatile Market." Courtemanche will discuss the important partnership between insurance firms, appraisers and other members of the arts community. He will describe how they work together to ensure that clients are properly protected, have up-to-date appraisals on their valuables, and are given advice on condition and conservation of their collections.

"It is not uncommon for even the most avid collector to be under-insured. That's why Fireman's Fund offers risk management advice to be sure their assets are protected and that they have the most comprehensive coverage available," said Courtemanche.

The Personal Insurance business of Fireman's Fund caters exclusively to affluent and high net worth individuals and families with investible assets above \$500k. The company offers a full range of insurance products for wealthy individuals including comprehensive homeowners, auto, excess, collections (fine arts, jewelry), yacht and watercraft coverage.

About Fireman's Fund

Fireman's Fund Insurance Company is a premier property and casualty insurance company providing personal, commercial and specialty insurance products nationwide. It is rated 'A+' by Standard & Poor's Rating Services. Fireman's Fund is a member of the Allianz Group (NYSE: AZ), one of the world's largest providers of property and casualty insurance and other financial services. For additional information, visit www.firemansfund.com.

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