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Press Release

Fireman's Fund Insurance First to Offer "Change of Heart" Coverage with Wedding and Private Event Insurance

New, enhanced policy protects couples from "Cold Feet"

NOVATO, Calif. (May 2, 2007) -- Fireman's Fund Insurance Company has joined forces with insurance agent RV Nuccio & Associates Inc. to offer enhanced insurance policies for weddings and private events to protect the financial interests of their customers. Fireman's Fund's Weddingsurance® now protects against change of heart – the first time an insurance company has offered this coverage.

With the average cost of a wedding today approaching $27,000, many parents are reluctant to put down hefty deposits with event facilities, caterers, florists and other expensive suppliers for fear the bride or groom will get cold feet and call off the wedding. Weddingsurance Change of Heart coverage will recover expenses if the bride or groom experiences cold feet during the planning process.

"We realize that a wedding or other private event is a once-in-a-lifetime occasion for our customers with a huge financial as well as emotional investment," said Rob Nuccio, president and CEO of RV Nuccio & Associates. "That's why we've worked with Fireman's Fund® to enhance this policy, to offer our customers peace of mind and extensive financial protection."

Cold feet is not the only thing that can ruin a wedding. Inclement weather; flood, fire or power failure at the event venue; lost or damaged private event attire; and vendors such as photographers or florists who fail to show up can all spell disaster for a wedding, bar mitzvah, anniversary or birthday celebration. Fortunately, Fireman's Fund's private event coverage will protect against the financial loss. The enhanced policy includes:

- **Loss of deposits—**Refunds lost deposits if venues or professionals (e.g., caterer, disk jockey) fail to provide services
- **International destinations—**Covers destination weddings (except liability) in the British Isles
- **Professional counseling—**Covers counseling needed for the emotional distress of a cancelled event
- **Cancellation**—Pays up to the limit selected for nonrefundable expenses
- **Weather**—Available for policies purchased 14 days or more before the event

- **Photography**—Pays costs incurred (including travel for the wedding party) to retake photographs if the photographer fails to appear or if the negatives are lost, damaged, stolen, or not properly developed
- **Gifts, special attire, jewelry, rental property damage**—Pays to repair or replace such items if they are lost, stolen, or damaged

Weddingsurance and other private event coverage can be purchased online, up to 24 hours before the event at www.rvnuccio.com. Rather than purchasing pre-packaged policies, customers can tailor their policies by selecting the coverage and limits they need from a menu of nine coverages. The minimum premium is $95, considerably less than that of other private event coverages.

Weddingsurance is offered exclusively by RV Nuccio & Associates, Inc. and is underwritten by Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, www.ffic.com/privateevents

About Fireman's Fund

Founded in 1863, Fireman's Fund Insurance Company is a premier property and casualty insurance company providing personal, commercial and specialty insurance products nationwide. Fireman's Fund is a member of the Allianz Group (NYSE: AZ), one of the world's largest providers of insurance and other financial services. For more information, visit: www.firemansfund.com.

About R.V. Nuccio & Associates, Inc.

RV Nuccio & Associates, Inc. operates in all 50 States and Puerto Rico as an agent for Fireman's Fund, one of our nation's oldest and most respected insurance companies. Our specialized product line includes multi-cover package insurance programs.

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