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LM CAPITAL GROUP HONORED FOR TOP INVESTMENT STRATEGY AT OPAL FINANCIAL GROUP'S EMERGING MARKETS SUMMIT

SAN DIEGO — June 11, 2007 — San Diego-based LM Capital Group was the recipient of the Opal Financial Group's 2006-2007 Top Strategy Award for its Opportunistic Core (Core Plus) investment strategy product at Opal's recent Emerging Markets Summit in Chicago, Ill.

"LM Capital is honored to receive this recognition from the Opal Financial Group and pleased our Opportunistic Core (Core Plus) product has become so well accepted within the plan sponsor community," said John Chalker, Co-Founder and Managing Director. "We are extremely grateful for our clients' continuing support and confidence in the firm and this strategy."

LM Capital's Opportunistic Core (Core Plus) fixed income strategy utilizes a long-term macro-economic, fundamental investment analysis approach, incorporating Global Scenario Planning, to assemble a concentrated fixed income portfolio representing the most attractive fixed income investment opportunities.

The Opal Emerging Markets Summit explored the benefits and opportunities offered by investing in emerging managers as well as new strategies for implementing an emerging managers program. This event showcased a variety of emerging managers as well as minority-owned manager funds and other high potential smaller investment firms.

About LM Capital Group, LLC

LM Capital Group, LLC is a San Diego-based independent investment advisory firm registered under the Investment Advisors Act of 1940. The firm was founded in 1989 by Luis Maizel and John Chalker to provide fixed income investment services to institutional investors and is employed by public agencies, corporations and foundations across the United States. LM Capital Group manages nearly \$3 billion in assets under management. Currently, LM Capital manages four

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types of domestic fixed-income investment strategies, Opportunistic Core (Core Plus), Core, Intermediate and Short term, and is in the process of launching the LM Capital Enhanced S&P Commodity Index strategy. For more information on LM Capital Group, please contact Richard Deary at 619.814.1401 or visit the LM Capital Group Web site www.lmcapital.com.