



Farber Financial Group and Accelteon Partners Establish Business Alliance

Collaboration Empowers Clients to Successfully Execute Growth Strategies

TORONTO—[Wednesday May 23, 2007]—The Farber Financial Group and Accelteon Partners Inc. today announced that the companies have formed an alliance to support the growth needs of mid to large-sized companies. While Accelteon is a management consulting and advisory firm that focuses on opportunity assessments and strategy development, Farber provides a wealth of financial expertise in the corporate finance, merger and acquisition, restructuring, and turnaround arenas. By working together, Accelteon and Farber will provide the depth of knowledge and breadth of services required to refocus and redirect companies.

“At Farber, we continue to innovate and add to the suite of services we provide,” said Alan Farber, founder of the Farber Financial Group. “To compete effectively in both local and international markets, organizations must assess new opportunities and implement proven business and financial strategies. Accelteon enables companies to take that critical first step in recognizing opportunities that will facilitate corporate growth, and with support from Farber, these organizations can now gain access to a wide range of financial services they require to achieve success.”

The fit between the two companies is ideal for Farber. A key component when rebuilding and restructuring companies is the upfront feasibility assessment and strategy development. Working with Accelteon enables Farber to deepen this dimension of its work. The relationship also enables Farber to expand its depth of disciplines by taking advantage of the Accelteon team’s business and technical experience and skills.

“Accelteon and Farber have been collaborating since 2004 and formalizing our relationship is a logical next step in the evolution of the ongoing work between the two firms,” said Malcolm Jussawalla, Partner at Accelteon. “Farber has made its mark in corporate circles, not just as a trustee in bankruptcy, but as a provider of highly specialized financial services that enable organizations to thrive and survive in competitive markets. Our clients are growth-oriented organizations that value the strategic guidance we provide, and with Farber’s support, we can now fully embrace each opportunity.”

Accelteon works with its clients to identify and assess new opportunities, and develop robust strategies that range from growth through acquisitions to business transformations. Accelteon’s work delivers measurable value to businesses, investors and governments by empowering its clients to turn opportunities into lasting success.

About the Farber Financial Group

The Farber Financial Group, based in Toronto, Ontario, Canada, provides broad-based services and advice in the areas of insolvency and restructuring, forensic accounting and fraud investigations, corporate finance, mergers, acquisitions and divestitures, business strategies and valuations, turnarounds and crisis management, and CFO resources. A. Farber & Partners Inc, Klein Farber Corporate Finance Inc., Farber Turnaround Management Inc. and Farber CFO Resources Inc. collectively form the Farber Financial Group. For more information, please visit www.farberfinancialgroup.com.

About Accelteon Partners

Accelteon Partners Inc, based in Richmond Hill, Ontario, Canada, provides advisory services in the areas of ideation, feasibility and needs assessments, strategy development and business planning. As part of their suite of services, Accelteon also provides analytical and research support services to other professional services firms through its Integrated Support Services (ISS) offering. For more information, please visit www.accelteon.com.