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**AltaPro and Valiant Insurance Company Announce New Professional Liability
Program for Small to Medium-size Law Firms**

LIVONIA, MI September 8, 2008 – A new professional liability insurance program for lawyers in the Midwest has been announced today by AltaPro Insurance Services (AltaPro) and Valiant Insurance Company rated A-XII (Excellent) by A.M. Best. AltaPro and Valiant Insurance Company have allied to offer a new program designed to meet the professional liability needs of small to medium size law firms.

“In Valiant Insurance Company we have found a partner that shares our philosophy of providing a top quality insurance product, with the benefit of access to nationally recognized claim mitigation and risk management services. This program has been designed by experienced industry professionals utilizing state of the art technology to deliver a great product at a reasonable cost,” stated Pam Allen, AltaPro’s CEO. “AltaPro is known for delivering superior service to our agency partners, and we are excited to be able to work with the professionals at Valiant who not only have extensive experience in lawyers’ professional liability, but have earned the respect of their industry peers.”

“Valiant is delighted to be joining forces with AltaPro in this market segment. The personnel in both organizations have extensive experience in the law firm professional liability marketplace and we look forward to jointly delivering this experience to law firms in the Midwest, supporting our strategy of niche specialization” commented Adrian Scott , SVP – Valiant Professional Liability.

About Valiant Insurance Group

Valiant Insurance Group, Inc. provides specialty property and casualty insurance products and services to the U.S. agency and brokerage market through its main operating subsidiary Valiant Insurance Company, rated A- (Excellent) by A.M.Best. Current product offerings include Professional Liability,

Marine and Energy, Casualty and Management Liability. Valiant Insurance Group is a subsidiary of Bermuda-based Ariel Holdings Ltd., a diversified global insurance and reinsurance company rated “A-Excellent” by A.M.Best. More information on Valiant Insurance Group may be found at www.valiantinsurance.com.

About AltaPro

AltaPro Insurance Services is an independent services organization providing program underwriting, risk management and claims services for professional insurance markets throughout the Midwest. The AltaPro program will be immediately available to independent agents in Michigan, Ohio and Indiana, with expansion to neighboring Midwestern states in the next 30 days. For more information on this program, contact Pam Allen at AltaPro, at (866)532-2582 ext.22, or pallen@altaproinsurance.com.

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