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Finalists Announced for the 2011 Turnaround Awards

*Winners to be Revealed at the Distressed Investing Summit and
Turnaround Awards Gala, March 6-7, 2011 in Palm Beach, Fla.*

NEW YORK, February 1, 2011 – The M&A Advisor announced the finalists for its 2011 Turnaround Awards. This year, there are 137 finalists representing over 110 different firms and deal teams in 31 categories in the distressed investing, restructuring and turnaround marketplace.

An independent body of experts, who represent a cross-section of the turnaround industry, will judge the finalists' deals in the security of a Merrill DataSite™ Virtual Data Room. This secure time-saving service allows judges to review finalists' submissions online, maximizing the amount of time for evaluating each award candidate.

The award winners will be announced at the 5th Annual Distressed Investing Summit and Turnaround Awards Gala on Monday March 7th at the Colony Hotel in Palm Beach, Florida.

“In 2010, although there were more than 1.1 million bankruptcies, there were also thousands of successful turnarounds, thanks to the energy and ingenuity of the world's leading turnaround and distressed professionals,” said Roger Aguinaldo, CEO of The M&A Advisor. “The deal teams represented in our Award Finalists have demonstrated the highest acumen in today's turnaround and bankruptcy industry.”

The 2011 Turnaround Awards finalists represent a number of leading firms in the turnaround industry, including *Sun Capital Partners; Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft LLP; Rothschild; Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom; Sonenshine Partners; White & Case; Citigroup; Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel; SSG Capital Advisors, LLC; and Alix Partners* as well as some high profile transactions, such as the *Chapter 11 Reorganization of LyondellBasell Industries; the Pre-Packaged Chapter 11 of MGM Studios; and the Bankruptcy of the Texas Rangers.*

The M&A Advisor's 5th Annual Distressed Investing Summit and Turnaround Awards Gala is the premier event for the turnaround industry bringing together the world's leading dealmakers for an exclusive symposium and to honor the accomplishments of the top distressed investing, restructuring and turnaround M&A professionals and firms. For more information visit <http://www.maadvisor.com/events/2011-distressed-investing>.

Finalists for the 2011 Turnaround Awards are listed below and can be accessed at www.maadvisor.com.

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Finalists for the 2011 Annual Turnaround Awards

The finalists for the 2011 Annual Turnaround Awards are as follows. Winners will be announced at the Awards Gala in Palm Beach, FL on March 7, 2011. Please visit <http://www.maadvisor.com/events/2011-distressed-investing> for additional details.

I. Major Deal Categories

Turnaround of the Year (Large Market)

- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc.
Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern LLP
Moelis & Company
Zolfo Cooper
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of LyondellBasell Industries
Nominated by:
Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft LLP
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Alix Partners
Evercore Partners
FTI Consulting
Rothschild
- Debt Restructuring of Marsico
Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
- Restructuring of Oerlikon
Nominated by:
Bär & Karrer AG
Deal Team Members:
Baker McKenzie
The Blackstone Group
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, LLP
Linklaters
Rothschild
- Turnaround and Chapter 11 Reorganization of Flying J, Inc. and Subsidiaries
Nominated by:
White & Case
Zolfo Cooper
Deal Team Members:
The Blackstone Group
Brown Rudnick
Kirkland & Ellis, LLP
Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl & Jones, LP
Pilot Travel Centers LLC

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Six Flags, Inc.

Nominated by:

White & Case

Deal Team Members:

H Partners Management LLC
Stark Investments

- Bankruptcy of the Texas Rangers

Nominated by:

White & Case

Turnaround of the Year (Upper Middle Market)

- Turnaround of Natural Products Group

Nominated by:

EOS Partners

Deal Team Members:

Crescent Special Solutions
GE Capital

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Greektown Casino - Hotel

Nominated by:

Conway Mackenzie Inc.

Deal Team Members:

The Fine Point Group
Moelis & Company
Schafer & Weiner LLC

- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Vertis Holdings, Inc.

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher, & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Bracewell & Giuliani, LLP
Lowenstein Sandler PC
Perella Weinberg Partners LP

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Cooper-Standard Holdings, Inc.

Nominated by:

Kramer Levin

Deal Team Members:

FTI Consulting, Inc.
Lazard Freres
Young, Conaway, Stargatt & Taylor, LLP

Turnaround of the Year (Lower Middle Market)

- Turnaround, refinancing, and equity infusion of Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.

Nominated by:

NHB Advisors

Deal Team Members:

Wachovia Bank, A Wells Fargo Company

- Thayer Power and Communication Line Construction Co.

Nominated by:

The Anderson Group

Deal Team Members:

Buckley King
Hill Barth & King, LLC
MelCap Partners

- Sale of Wick Building Systems, Inc. by Harney Management Partners, LLC
Nominated by:
Harney Management Partners, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Murphy Desmond
Wick Building Systems, Inc.
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of TLC Vision
Nominated by:
Conway Del Genio Gries & Co
Deal Team Members:
CharlesBank Capital Partners
HIG Capital
Proskauer Rose
- Emergence from Bankruptcy of Shane Company
Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Cohen Tauber Spievack & Wagner LLP
Fairfield and Woods PC
FTI Consulting, Inc.

Chapter 11 Reorganization of the Year (Upper Middle Market)

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Cooper-Standard Holdings Inc., et al.
Nominated by:
Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP
Deal Team Members:
FTI Consulting Inc.
Young, Conaway, Stargatt & Taylor, LLP
- Turnaround of Natural Products Group
Nominated by:
EOS Partners
Deal Team Members:
Crescent Special Situations
GE Capital
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Greektown Casino - Hotel
Nominated by:
Conway MacKenzie
Deal Team Members:
The Fine Point Group
Moelis & Company
Schafer & Weiner PLLC
- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Vertis Holdings, Inc.
Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Bracewell & Giuliani, LLP
Lowenstein Sandler PC
Perella Weinberg Partners LP
- Turnaround and Chapter 11 Reorganization of Flying J, Inc. and Subsidiaries
Nominated by:
White & Case
Zolfo Cooper
Deal Team Members:
The Blackstone Group
Brown Rudnick
Kirkland & Ellis, LLP
Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl & Jones, LP
Pilot Travel Centers LLC

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Spansion

Nominated by:

Gordian Group

Deal Team Members:

Brincko Associates

Brown Rudnick

Latham & Watkins, LLP

- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc.

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern LLP

Moelis & Company

Zolfo Cooper

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of LyondellBasell Industries

Nominated by:

Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft LLP

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Alix Partners,

Evercore Partners

FTI Consulting

Rothschild

- Bankruptcy of the Texas Rangers

Nominated by:

White & Case

Chapter 11 Reorganization of the Year (Middle Market)

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Sea Launch Company LLC

Nominated by:

Buccino & Associates, Inc.

Deal Team Members:

Alston & Bird

AVICON (UK)

Jefferies & Company, Inc

Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCoy, LLP

Salans, LLP

- Restructuring in Chapter 11 of EnviroSolutions Holdings, Inc.

Nominated by:

SSG Capital Advisors, LLC

Deal Team Members:

Alvarez & Marsal North America, LLC

Simpson Thacher & Bartlett, LLP

Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

- Restructuring in Chapter 11 and Sale of the Philadelphia Newspaper Group and Philadelphia Media Holdings.

Nominated by:

Sonenshine Partners LLC

Deal Team Members:

Alvarez & Marsal, LLC

Dilworth Paxson LLP

Proskauer Rose, LLP

Chapter 11 Reorganization of the Year (Lower Middle Market)

- Chapter 11 Bankruptcy of The Walking Company
Nominated by:
Arent Fox LLP
Clear Thinking Group LLC
Deal Team Members:
BDO Seidman
Pachulski Stang Ziehl Jones LLP
Venable LLP
- Sale of Wick Building Systems, Inc. by Harney Management Partners, LLC
Nominated by:
Harney Management Partners, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Murphy Desmond
Wick Building Systems, Inc.
- Emergence from Bankruptcy of Shane Co.
Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Cohen Tauber Spievack & Wagner LLP
Fairfield and Woods PC
FTI Consulting, Inc.
- Chapter 11 Exit Bankruptcy of Crabtree & Evelyn
Nominated by:
Clear Thinking Group LLC
Deal Team Members:
Cooley Godward Kronish LLP
Hahn & Hessen
Scouler & Company

Cross-Border Deal of the Year

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Sea Launch Company LLC
Nominated by:
Buccino & Associates, Inc.
Deal Team Members:
Alston & Bird
AVICON (UK)
Jefferies & Company, Inc
Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCoy, LLP
Salans, LLP
- Acquisition of Gould Paper Corporation Inc. by Japanese Pulp and Paper Corp.
Nominated by:
Carl Marks Advisory Group
Deal Team Members:
K&L Gates LLP
- Acquisition of Liberty Acquisition Holdings Corp. by Promotora de Informaciones
Nominated by:
Tegris Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Citigroup Global Markets
Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Liberty Acquisition Corp.
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Spansion
Nominated by:
Gordian Group
Deal Team Members:
Brincko Associates
Brown Rudnick
Latham & Watkins, LLP

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of LyondellBasell Industries
- Acquisition of Cookson's semiconductor encapsulation materials business by Panasonic
- Restructuring of Oerlikon

Nominated by:
 Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft LLP
 Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
 Alix Partners,
 Evercore Partners
 FTI Consulting
 Rothschild

Nominated by:
 Business Development Asia LLC
Deal Team Members:
 Allen & Gledhill LLP
 Cookson Electronics

Nominated by:
 Bär & Karrer AG
Deal Team Members:
 Baker McKenzie
 The Blackstone Group
 Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, LLP
 Linklaters
 Rothschild

Distressed M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$100mm)

- Turnaround of Natural Products Group
- Acquisition of PCAA Parent, LLC by Commercial Finance Services 2907, Inc.
- Acquisition of Liberty Acquisition Holdings Corp. by Promotora de Informaciones
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Six Flags, Inc.
- Bankruptcy of the Texas Rangers

Nominated by:
 EOS Partners
Deal Team Members:
 Crescent Special Situations
 GE Capital

Nominated by:
 SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
 Dykema Gossett PLLC
 Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy, LLP
 Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A.

Nominated by:
 Tegriss Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
 Greenberg Traurig, LLP

Nominated by:
 White & Case
Deal Team Members:
 H Partners Management LLC
 Stark Investments

Nominated by:
 White & Case

- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc.

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern LLP

Moelis & Company

Zolfo Cooper

Distressed M&A Deal of the Year (\$100mm and under)

- Sale of the Terminator motion pictures by The Halcyon Company

Nominated by:

FTI Capital Advisors, Inc.

Deal Team Members:

Abacus Media Advisors

Peitzman, Weg and Kempinsky

- Chapter 11 and 363 Sale of Penn Traffic to Tops Markets

Nominated by:

Conway Del Genio Gries & Co

Deal Team Members:

Haynes and Boone, LLP

Morgan Stanley Private Equity

- Acquisition of Jackson & Perkins Acquisition, Inc., Geo. W. Park Seed, Inc. and Subsidiaries by an affiliate of Blackstreet Capital

Nominated by:

SSG Capital Advisors, LLC

Deal Team Members:

Barton Law Firm PA

Parker Poe Adams and Bernstein LLP

Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice PLLC

- Sale of Wick Building Systems, Inc. by Harney Management Partners, LLC

Nominated by:

Harney Management Partners, LLC

Deal Team Members:

Murphy Desmond

Wick Building Systems, Inc.

- Protective Products of America, Inc.

Nominated by:

Farlie Turner & Co.

Deal Team Members:

Berger Singerman

Genovese Joblove and Battista

Sun Capital Partners, Inc.

- Acquisition of Cookson's semiconductor encapsulation materials business by Panasonic

Nominated by:

Business Development Asia LLC

Deal Team Members:

Allen & Gledhill LLP

Cookson Electronics

Divestiture Deal of the Year

- Turnaround and Chapter 11 Reorganization of Flying J, Inc. and Subsidiaries

Nominated by:

White & Case
Zolfo Cooper

Deal Team Members:

The Blackstone Group
Brown Rudnick
Kirkland & Ellis, LLP
Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl & Jones, LP
Pilot Travel Centers LLC

- Acquisition of Cookson's semiconductor encapsulation materials business by Panasonic

Nominated by:

Business Development Asia LLC

Deal Team Members:

Allen & Gledhill LLP
Cookson Electronics

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Sea Launch Company LLC

Nominated by:

Buccino & Associates, Inc.

Deal Team Members:

Alston & Bird
AVICON (UK)
Jefferies & Company, Inc
Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCoy, LLP
Salans, LLP

Out-of-Court Reorganization of the Year

- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc.

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern, LLP
Moelis & Company
Zolfo Cooper

- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Vertis Holdings, Inc.

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Bracewell & Giuliani, LLP
Lowenstein Sandler PC
Perella Weinberg Partners LP

- Restructuring of Oerlikon

Nominated by:

Bär & Karrer AG

Deal Team Members:

Baker McKenzie
The Blackstone Group
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer, LLP
Linklaters
Rothschild

Refinancing of the Year

- Turnaround, Refinancing and Equity Infusion of Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
- Debt Restructuring of Marsico
- Refinancing of the Matlet Group LLC

Nominated by:

NHB Advisors

Deal Team Members:

Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
Wachovia Bank

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & FlomLLP

Nominated by:

SSG Capital Advisors

Deal Team Members:

Cameron & Mittleman LLP
CRG Partners Group LLC
Hahn & Hessen, LLP
Hanify and King, PC

Turnaround Community Impact Award

- Sale of Wick Building Systems, Inc. by Harney Management Partners, LLC
- Acquisition of Jackson & Perkins Acquisition, Inc., Geo. W. Park Seed, Inc. and Subsidiaries by an affiliate of Blackstreet Capital
- Protective Products of America, Inc.

Nominated by:

Harney Management Partners, LLC

Deal Team Members:

Murphy Desmond
Wick Building Systems, Inc.

Nominated by:

SSG Capital Advisors, LLC

Deal Team Members:

Barton Law Firm PA
Parker Poe Adams and Bernstein LLP
Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice PLLC

Nominated by:

Farlie Turner & Co.

Deal Team Members:

Berger Singerman
Genovese Joblove and Battista
Sun Capital Partners, Inc.

Turnaround Consultant of the Year

- William J. Fox, Alvarez & Marsal
- Thomas D. Hays III, NHB Advisors, Inc.
- Robert Katz, Executive Sounding Board Associates, Inc.

II. FIRM AND PRODUCT/SERVICE OF THE YEAR CATEGORIES

Turnaround Consulting Firm of the Year

- Alix Partners
- Alvarez & Marsal, North America LLC
- Clear Thinking Group
- Conway MacKenzie
- CRG Partners
- Executive Sounding Board Associates, Inc.
- FTI Consulting, Inc.

Law Firm of the Year

- Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft, LLP
- Greenberg Traurig LLP
- Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP
- Kirkland & Ellis
- Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
- Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP
- White & Case

Boutique Investment Banking Firm of the Year

- Conway Del Genio Gries & Co., LLC
- Farlie Turner & Co., LLC
- Gordian Group, LLC
- Sonenshine Partners
- SSG Capital Advisors, LLC

Financial Lending Firm of the Year

- BNP Paribas
- Citigroup Global Markets
- GE Capital
- PNC Financial Services
- Wells Fargo Company

Turnaround Product/Service of the Year

- American Bankruptcy Institute
- Chapter 11 Dockets
- Kurtzman Carson Consultants
- New Generation Research, Inc.
- Turnaround Management Association

Private Equity Firm of the Year

- The Blackstone Group
- EOS Partners
- Sun Capital
- W.L. Ross & Co.

III. SECTOR DEAL CATEGORIES

Healthcare/Life Sciences

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of TLC Vision
Nominated by:
Conway Del Genio Gries & Co
Deal Team Members:
CharlesBank Capital Partners
HIG Capital
Proskauer Rose
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Arizona Heart Hospital
Deal Team Members:
The Blackstone Group
Metalmark Capital
Vangaurd Health Systems
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Sunwest Management
Deal Team Members:
The Blackstone Group
Columbia Pacific Advisors
Emeritus Senior Living
Larkins Vacura
Allen Matkins
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett

Industrial Goods and Basic Resources

- Sale of WM Coffman LLC
Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Phoenix Capital Resources
Richards Kibbe & Orbe LLP
SilvermanAcampora LLP
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of LyondellBasell Industries
Nominated by:
Cadwalader Wickersham & Taft LLP
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Alix Partners,
Evercore Partners
FTI Consulting
Rothschild
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Grede Foundries
Deal Team Members:
Conway Del Genio & Co.
Wayzata Investment Partners
Whyte Hirschboek Dudek

Industrial Manufacturing/Distribution

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of LyondellBasell Industries

Nominated by:

Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Alix Partners
Evercore Partners
FTI Consulting
Rothschild

- Chapter 11 Bankruptcy and 363 Sale of Grede Foundries to Wayzata backed Citation

Nominated by:

Conway Del Genio Gries & Co

Deal Team Members:

Wayzata Investment Partners
Whyte Hirschboek Dudek

- Protective Products of America, Inc.

Nominated by:

Farlie Turner & Co., LLC

Deal Team Members:

Berger Singerman
Genovese Joblove and Battista
Sun Capital Partners, Inc.

- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Cooper-Standard Holdings Inc., et al.

Nominated by:

Kramer Levin Naftalis & Frankel LLP

Deal Team Members:

FTI Consulting, Inc.
Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP

Financial Services (Institutional or Consumer Services)

- Debt Restructuring of Marsico

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

- Turnaround of Bank United

Deal Team Members:

The Blackstone Group
The Carlyle Group
Centerbridge Partners
LeFrak Organization
Wellcome Trust
W.L. Ross

- Chapter 11 Bankruptcy of Appalachian Bancshares

Deal Team Members:

Alston & Bird
Lightyear Capital
Southern Bank
Westport Capital Partners

Energy (includes alternative energy, etc.)

- Turnaround and Chapter 11 Reorganization of Flying J, Inc. and Subsidiaries
Nominated by:
White & Case
Zolfo Cooper
Deal Team Members:
The Blackstone Group
Brown Rudnick
Kirkland & Ellis, LLP
Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl & Jones, LP
Pilot Travel Centers LLC
- Acquisition of Lehigh Coal & Navigation by BET Associates IV, LLC and BET Lehigh Real Estate, LLC
Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Dilworth Paxson LLP
Klehr Harrison Harvey Branzburg LLP
Stevens & Lee P.C.
- Chapter 11 Bankruptcy of Crusader Energy Group
Deal Team Members:
Jefferies & Co.
Jones Energy
Metalmark Capital
Vinson & Elkins
Wells Fargo

Consumer and Retail Products (Over \$100mm)

- Turnaround of Natural Products Group
Nominated by:
EOS Partners
Deal Team Members:
Crescent Special Situations
GE Capital
- Restructuring in Ch. 11 of EnviroSolutions Holdings, Inc.
Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Alvarez & Marsal North America, LLC
Barclays Capital
Simpson Thacher & Bartlett, LLP
Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP
- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Vertis Holdings, Inc.
Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Bracewell & Giuliani, LLP
Lowenstein Sandler PC
Perella Weinberg Partners LP

Consumer and Retail Products (\$100mm and under)

- Turnaround, Refinancing and Equity Infusion of Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
Nominated by:
NHB Advisors
Deal Team Members:
Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
Wachovia Bank, A Wells Fargo Company

- Sale of Trade Secret, Inc.
- Emergence from Bankruptcy of Shane Company
- Acquisition of Jackson & Perkins Acquisition, Inc., Geo. W. Park Seed, Inc. and Subsidiaries by an affiliate of Blackstreet Capital
- Chapter 11 Acquisition of the Innovative Companies, LLC by an affiliate of Woodside Capital Partners

Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Cooley Godward Kronish LLP
Loughlin Meghi & Company
Stoney Bridge Partners
Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP

Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Cohen Tauber Spievack & Wagner LLP
Fairfield and Woods PC
FTI Consulting, Inc.

Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Barton Law Firm PA
Parker Poe Adams and Bernstein LLP
Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice PLLC

Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Getzler Henrich Associates LLC
Morgan Lewis & Bockius
Moritt Hock & Hamroff, LLP

Consumer Services

- Acquisition of PCAA Parent, LLC by Commercial Finance Services 2907, Inc
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Jackson & Perkins
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Muzak

Nominated by:
SSG Capital Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Dykema Gossett PLLC
Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy, LLP
Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A.

Deal Team Members:
Blackstreet Capital Management
SSG Capital Advisors

Deal Team Members:
GE Capital
Kirkland & Ellis
MFC Global
Moelis & Co.
Silver Point Finance

Retail Manufacturing/Distribution

- Turnaround, Refinancing and Equity Infusion of Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.

Nominated by:
NHB Advisors
Deal Team Members:
Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
Wachovia Bank- A Wells Fargo Company

- Chapter 11 and 363 Sale of Penn Traffic to Tops Markets
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Generation Brands

Nominated by:
Conway Del Genio Gries & Co
Deal Team Members:
Haynes & Boone
Morgan Stanley Private Equity

Deal Team Members:
Barclays Capital
BNP Paribas
Quad-C Management
White & Case

Media, Entertainment or Telecom

- Turnaround, Refinancing and Equity Infusion of Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
- Chapter 11 Reorganization of Greektown Casino - Hotel
- Pre-Packaged Ch. 11 of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc.
- Sale of the Terminator Motion Pictures by The Halcyon Company
- Acquisition of Liberty Acquisition Holdings Corp. by Promotora de Informaciones

Nominated by:
NHB Advisors
Deal Team Members:
Multimedia Commerce Group, Inc.
Wachovia Bank- A Wells Fargo Company

Nominated by:
Conway MacKenzie
Deal Team Members:
The Fine Point Group
Moelis & Company
Schafer & Weiner PLLC

Nominated by:
Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Deal Team Members:
Klee, Tuchin, Bogdanoff & Stern LLP
Moelis & Company
Zolfo Cooper

Nominated by:
FTI Capital Advisors, Inc.
Deal Team Members:
Abacus Media Advisors
Media Metrics
Peitzman, Weg and Kempinsky

Nominated by:
Tegris Advisors, LLC
Deal Team Members:
Citigroup Global Markets
Greenberg Traurig, LLP

Professional Services

- Acquisition of Ronson Aviation, Inc.

Nominated by:

SSG Capital Advisors

Deal Team Members:

Cole Schotz Meisel Forman & Leonard P.A.
Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Szaferman, Lakind, Blumstein, Blader &
Lehmann, P.C

- Refinancing of the Matlet Group, LLC

Nominated by:

SSG Capital Advisors

Deal Team Members:

CRG Partners Group, LLC
Cameron & Mittleman
Hahn & Hessen, LLP
Hanify and King, PC

- Pre Packaged Chapter 11 of Vertis Holdings, Inc.

Nominated by:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

Deal Team Members:

Bracewell & Giuliani, LLP
Lowenstein Sandler PC
Perella Weinberg Partners LP

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