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HERTZ SCHRAM PC ANNOUNCED AS WINNER OF THE 12th ANNUAL M&A ADVISOR AWARDS

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI, HERTZ SCHRAM PC – The M&A Advisor announced the winners of the 12th Annual M&A Advisor Awards on Tuesday, December 17th at the 2013 M&A Advisor Awards Gala to a jubilant, sold-out crowd at the New York Athletic Club, New York, NY. HERTZ SCRAM PC/PFINGSTEN PARTNERS LLC/DYNAPOWER COMPANY LLC was named a winner for the M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$75mm to \$100mm). The event was hosted by New York Financial Press Anchor and Correspondent Julia Sun.

"Since 2002, we have been honoring the leading M&A transactions, companies and dealmakers. HERTZ SCHRAM PC was chosen from over 400 finalists to receive the award. It gives us a great pleasure to recognize HERTZ SCHRAM PC and bestow upon them our highest honor for M&A firms and professionals," said David Fergusson, President, The M&A Advisor.

We are proud to have been recognized for this prestigious award from among a group of finalists that represent some of the most outstanding law firms in the country.

"HERTZ SCHRAM PC represents the best of the M&A industry in 2013 and earned these honors by standing out in a group of very impressive finalists," said Roger Aguinaldo, CEO and Founder of The M&A Advisor.

The gala is the premier celebration of the year for the industry's leading M&A Dealmakers and is held in conjunction with the 2013 M&A Advisor Summit that featured over 500 of the industry's leading M&A professionals participating in exclusive interactive forums led by over 50 M&A, media, academic, and stalwarts. In addition to the award winners, the ceremony honored David Bonderman and Richard "Dick" Parsons with the 2013 Lifetime Achievement Award and recognized Jeff Drazan, John Ferrara, Selig Sacks, and Leonard Tannenbaum with the 2013 Leadership Award. And we were especially proud to induct these gentlemen, together with the other 2013 Lifetime Achievement and Leadership Award Winners: Rene-Pierre Azria, Corinne Ball, William Repko, Marc Leder, Rodger Krouse, Patricia Menendez-Cambo, and Mark Zeffiro into The M&A Advisor Hall of Fame for their outstanding achievements in the M&A.

M&A Deal of the Year (Over \$75mm to \$100mm)

WINNER Acquisition of:

Dynapower Company LLC Hertz Schram PC by Pfingsten Partners LLC Paul Hastings LLP

HERTZ SCHRAM PC is a full-service law firm with offices in Bloomfield Hills and Detroit, Michigan. Founded in 1976, HERTZ SCHRAM PC business practice has a multi-disciplinary approach integrating business, tax and estate planning to serve the needs of its clients and to support their other professionals.

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