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THE BUCKINGHAM FAMILY MAKES THE INC. 5000 LIST

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The Buckingham Family of Financial Services, which includes Buckingham Asset Management, LLC and BAM Advisor Services, LLC, has been named to the Inc. 5000 List, compiled by *Inc.* magazine. The list is an exclusive ranking of the fastest growing private companies in the nation.

“We are excited to be named to such a prestigious list,” said Buckingham Family chairman Bert Schweizer III. “After passing the \$10 billion mark in assets earlier this year, this serves as another affirmation of our firm goal of putting our clients best interests first and always doing the right thing.”

This marks the fourth consecutive year the Buckingham Family has been ranked on this prestigious list. The Buckingham Family ranked No. 4831 with a three-year growth rate of 8 percent. The firm also ranked No. 217 for its industry and No. 56 for the state of Missouri.

For the full list of Inc. 5000 companies, visit: <http://www.inc.com/inc5000/list>

For the Buckingham Family’s Inc. 5000 profile, visit: <http://www.inc.com/inc5000/profile/buckingham-family-of-financial-services>

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Methodology

The rankings are based upon the percentage of revenue growth from 2006 through 2009 by *Inc.* To be included, companies must have been founded and generating revenue by the June 30, 2006 and therefore able to show four full calendar years of sales. Additionally, they have to be U.S.-based, privately held, for profit and independent -- not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies -- as of December 31, 2009 (a number of companies on the list have gone public or been acquired since that date). Revenue in 2006 must have been at least \$80,000, and revenue in 2009 must have been at least \$2 million. *Inc.* is an independent, unaffiliated third party. The rankings are not indicative of Buckingham’s performance and are not representative of any client’s experience. The numbers contained herein are deemed reliable but accuracy cannot be guaranteed.

About The Buckingham Family of Financial Services

Based in St. Louis, The Buckingham Family of Financial Services includes Buckingham Asset Management, LLC, BAM Advisor Services, LLC and BAM Risk Management, LLC. The Buckingham Family is led by a team of 10 principals and manages or administers more than \$12 billion in client assets. Its investment approach centers on modern portfolio theory and passive investing primarily through use of Dimensional Fund Advisors (DFA) funds and Buckingham’s proprietary fixed income portfolio design and execution capabilities. Through Buckingham Asset Management, the company provides fee-only investment management for individuals, businesses, trusts, not-for-profits and retirement plans. As a turnkey asset management provider, BAM Advisor Services helps like-minded registered investment advisor firms, often associated with CPA practices, start, build and manage their advisory organizations.

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