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Zurich Signs on to Sponsor The Barney & Barney Foundation's "Rock the Foundation" Benefit Concert

Leading multi-line insurance provider partners with insurance brokerage to support this year's grant recipients

SAN DIEGO (August 29, 2011) — Zurich Financial Services Group has signed on as a sponsor of the Barney & Barney Foundation's "Rock the Foundation" concert to benefit this year's 9 grant recipients. Barney & Barney LLC, one of the largest and longest standing insurance brokerages in the U.S., formed the charitable Foundation in 2009 in recognition of the firm's centennial anniversary. Established with the goal of providing grants to local charities, proceeds raised from the September 22 "Rock the Foundation" concert will benefit 9 deserving charities.

"We are so pleased that Zurich has joined us as a sponsor. The Foundation's mission to provide grants to local charities in our community would not be possible without the support of our key business partners and supporters," said Paul Hering, Managing Principal and CEO of Barney & Barney LLC.

About Zurich – Zurich Financial Services Group is a leading multi-line insurance provider with a global network of subsidiaries and offices in Europe, North America, Latin America, Asia-Pacific and the Middle East as well as other markets. For more information about Zurich, go to <http://www.zurich.com>.

About the Barney & Barney's Foundation's 2011 Grant Recipients - This year, grants will be given to charities in San Diego, Orange County and the Bay Area, the three regions in which the company has offices. Recipients include:

SAN DIEGO

- Burn Institute - www.burninstitute.org
- Neighborhood Healthcare - www.nhcare.org
- New Alternatives - www.newalternatives.org
- San Diego Natural History Museum - www.sdnhm.org
- Voices for Children – www.voices4children.com

ORANGE COUNTY

- THINK Together - www.thinktogether.org
- YMCA of Orange County - www.ymcaoc.org

BAY AREA

- Alameda County Community Food Bank - www.accfb.org
- East Bay Center for Performing Arts – www.eastbaycenter.org

Since its founding two years ago, the Foundation has granted \$280,000 to deserving charities. This year, funds will be raised by ticket sales from a benefit concert featuring The Makepeace Brothers on September 22 at the historic Del Mar Fairgrounds. For more information or to purchase tickets, visit www.barneyandbarneyfoundation.org.

About Barney & Barney LLC

Barney & Barney LLC is a California-based privately held risk management and insurance brokerage firm providing solutions, services and products in commercial property and casualty insurance, employee benefits, workers' compensation, executive personal lines, and surety for the past 100 years.

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