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### **MFDA Hearing Panel issues Decision and Reasons respecting Sterling Mutuals Inc.**

**September 11, 2008** (Toronto, Ontario) – A Hearing Panel of the Central Regional Council of the Mutual Fund Dealers Association of Canada (“MFDA”) has issued its Decision and Reasons in connection with the settlement hearing held in Toronto, Ontario on August 21, 2008 in respect of Sterling Mutuals Inc.

A copy of the Decision and Reasons is available on the MFDA website at [www.mfda.ca](http://www.mfda.ca).

The Mutual Fund Dealers Association of Canada is the self-regulatory organization for Canadian mutual fund dealers. The MFDA regulates the operations, standards of practice and business conduct of its 157 Members and their approximately 75,000 Approved Persons with a mandate to protect investors and the public interest.

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