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Clark Associates, Inc. Improves Rank to 9th among the Top 50 Fastest Growing Companies in Central Pennsylvania

(Lancaster, PA) –After another solid year of growth, Clark Associates, Inc. now places 9th on the Central Penn Business Journal's fourteenth annual list of the top fifty fastest growing companies in central Pennsylvania, up from 11th place last year.

In order to be eligible for nomination, companies were required to show revenue of at least \$500,000 in each of the fiscal years ending 2007, 2008 & 2009 and show revenue growth for 2009, as compared to 2007. Eligible companies had to be for-profit entities (public or private) headquartered in Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Lancaster, Lebanon, Perry or York county.

An event was held on Sept. 16 at the Hilton Harrisburg to recognize the winners and announce their ranks. In addition to the awards breakfast, the *Top 50 Fastest Growing Companies* will be profiled in a special supplement to the October 1 issue of the *Central Penn Business Journal*, with a complete list of honorees published in ranked order, along with information on each company's financial growth.

Top 50 Fastest Growing Companies is a program of the Central Penn Business Journal and is presented by SF&Company. Sponsors include: Citizens Bank; Highmark Blue Shield; Netrepid, Inc; POSG Commercial Interiors; Smilebuilderz and Wevodau Insurance & Benefits Strategies, Inc. are sponsors of the event.

About Clark Associates:

Clark Associates is a privately held company headquartered in Lancaster, PA. Employing over 350 people, Clark's multiple divisions and branches in mechanical, sales, and manufacturing serve a variety of commercial food service customers nationwide. For more information on our business and history, please visit www.clarkinc.biz.

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