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Darwin Partners with Wolf Professional Risk of Florida to Offer Admitted Lawyers Professional Liability Program

March 1, 2007 (Farmington, Connecticut) – Darwin Professional Underwriters, Inc. (Darwin) (NYSE: DR) announces the availability of its new admitted lawyers professional liability (LPL) program in the state of Florida, developed to insure standard market LPL risks. Wolf Professional Risk, Inc. will administer the program.

The program is intended for law firms spanning a variety of disciplines, some of which include criminal, residential real estate, and family law. The product's features incorporate a number of key coverages, such as extended reporting period options (bi-lateral ERP, disability, death, and cessation of practice). The policy also provides coverage for supplementary payments up to \$20,000 for grievance procedures.

Included, at no additional charge, as part of policy services, is an extensive suite of risk management resources such as a newsletter produced by industry experts on legal risk management, online CLE credits, and access to an educational web site offering practical business, legal, and industry information.

According to Annamarie Haught, assistant vice president of Darwin and LPL underwriting practice manager, "Wolf Professional Risk is an incredibly knowledgeable LPL program administrator and is known for building strong relationships with customers, agents, and carriers. We are eagerly collaborating with Wolf Professional Risk in the inauguration of this new program."

"Darwin's breadth of expertise in the specialty insurance market, and broad expertise in the LPL segment make this a winning partnership for us," says Boyd Wolf, president of Wolf Professional Risk. "This is a highly competitive program for Florida-domiciled LPL risks."

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About Darwin

Darwin is a specialty insurance group based in Farmington, Connecticut. The company is focused on the professional liability insurance market and underwrites directors and officers ("D&O") liability for public and private companies, errors and omissions ("E&O") liability insurance, and medical malpractice liability insurance. Coverage descriptions are summaries only, and the complete policy should be read. Darwin member companies include Darwin Professional Underwriters, Inc., Darwin National Assurance Company (DNA), and Darwin Select Insurance Company (DSI). DNA and DSI have earned a financial strength rating of "A- (Excellent)" from A.M. Best Company. Darwin is traded on the NYSE Arca exchange under the ticker symbol, "DR." The company became NYSE Arca's first listed company with DR's initial public offering in May 2006. For more information about Darwin, visit www.darwinpro.com.

About Wolf Professional Risk, Inc.

As a managing general agent for professional liability carriers, WPR is privately owned and based in Tampa, Florida. The organization was founded by Boyd H. Wolf, Esq., CPCU, RPLU and David E. Gough, CIC, both of whom previously worked for large publicly held insurance brokerages. Together, they have over forty (40) years of combined experience in the insurance business.

For more information or to access this LPL program, please contact Boyd Wolf of Wolf Professional Risk at 813-865-7780 (bwolf@wolfprorisk.com). Additional information may be found at www.wolfprorisk.com.

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