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Monsoon Gives Back to Its Community in a Big Way

Local Portland Company Shares Success with Employee Donations Totaling \$28,000

Portland, Ore. – March 11, 2009 – Monsoon, Inc., a Portland, Oregon-based online selling solutions company, announced today that it recently donated over \$28,000 to local Northwest charities. 2008 was a year of unprecedented growth and success for Monsoon, and true to their core values, the company decided to share that success with the community it calls “home.”

In recognition of many deserving local and national charities, Monsoon recently held a pledge drive, wherein the company matched, dollar-for-dollar, the money donated by its employees. Monsoon employees donated over \$9,000 to the charities of their choice, and this amount was then matched by the company for a total of \$18,600 in employee-driven charitable donations. In addition, Monsoon donated \$10,384 from their 2008 revenues to Impact Northwest (www.impactnw.org), a local nonprofit whose clients include low-income children, adolescents, adults with disabilities, seniors, and families. An additional \$1,600 was donated to Impact Northwest from various other fundraising events conducted throughout the year. In addition to the company’s donations, Monsoon employees also participate in semi-annual volunteering activities with Impact Northwest.

“As Monsoon has grown, it has become paramount to each and every one of our employees to give back to our community, the community that both supports our employee base and enables our day-to-day operations,” said Kanth Gopalpur, chief executive officer of Monsoon. “Monsoon is honored to be in a position to help those who need it most.”

"Monsoon's recent gift comes at a critical time, a time when community resources are stretched and community need is at its greatest. We appreciate Monsoon employees' commitment to giving, and this donation demonstrates that financial success is not only possible, but actively occurring with local businesses in the greater Portland area," said Scott Shlaes, director of development for Impact Northwest. "In addition to their recent gift, Monsoon provides their staff with the freedom to volunteer during work hours, which further fosters a culture of generosity."

About Monsoon

Monsoon provides a powerful, scalable online marketplace selling solution that addresses the needs of every type of seller, from the sole proprietor, to the pure online merchant, to “brick-and-mortar” retailers of all sizes. Serving customers worldwide, the Company offers end-to-end solutions for the management, processing, pricing, and reporting for successful online selling. Monsoon improves a seller’s bottom line and profit margins by streamlining the online selling experience through process improvement and best practices. The Company currently works with customers in the US, Canada, and the United Kingdom. For more information, visit www.monsoonworks.com.

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