

## **CANTOR FITZGERALD & CO. ADDED TO PRIMARY DEALER LIST**

### ***The New York Fed Designates Cantor a Primary Dealer for U.S. Government Securities***

(New York, NY -- July 31, 2006)—Cantor Fitzgerald & Co., a leading global financial services provider to the institutional equity and fixed income markets, announced today that it has been designated a primary dealer by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. Effective August 1, the addition of Cantor Fitzgerald & Co. will result in a list of 23 primary dealers who are permitted to trade U.S. Government Securities directly with the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

Cantor Fitzgerald & Co. President and CEO Irvin Goldman said, “The primary dealer designation is part of the continued evolution of Cantor Fitzgerald & Co. Our overall business objective is to deliver the highest level of customer service to our clients as we continue to grow and develop in every aspect of debt capital markets.”

#### **About Cantor Fitzgerald & Co.**

Cantor Fitzgerald & Co. is a leading financial services provider to the institutional equity and fixed income markets, with products and services including sales and trading, investment banking, asset management, market data and market commentary. For nearly 60 years, Cantor Fitzgerald & Co., a proven and resilient leader, has been committed to delivering a unique brand of unparalleled trading and distribution services, product expertise, innovative technology and customer service to its clients around the world. This commitment also extends to numerous philanthropic endeavors, including the firm’s pledge to benefit the families of the employees lost on September 11, 2001. For more information, please visit [www.cantor.com](http://www.cantor.com).

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