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**Halliburton Investor Relations Named One of
Dallas Business Journal's 2009 Best Places to Work**
Ranks Number 39 in Small-Company Category

DALLAS, TEXAS, September 21, 2009 – **Halliburton Investor Relations (HIR)**, a Dallas-based, full-service investor relations firm, announced today its ranking in the *Dallas Business Journal's* 2009 Top 100 Best Places to Work, placing number 39 in the small company category. The award recognizes the company's achievements in creating a positive work environment that attracts and retains employees through a combination of employee satisfaction, working conditions and corporate culture.

"We are proud to receive such a prestigious distinction," said Alan D. Halliburton, chairman of Halliburton Investor Relations. "The high testimonials given by our dedicated employees underscore our team approach, superior work ethic, importance of employee recognition and professional development."

Nearly 500 companies were nominated for the program, 70 percent of which were in the small business category. HIR earned this valued distinction by achieving a best practice score of 93.9, as determined by the independent research firm that administered the employee survey on behalf of the *Dallas Business Journal*.

HIR employees gave high marks in the employee survey in all categories, which include topics such as the company's work environment, innovation, people practices, personal growth and development, leadership in the organization, employee recognition and daily workflow.

The Best Places to Work initiative was created with several goals in mind: to recognize and honor those companies that have created positive work environments; to recognize and share best practices; to promote local employers; and to provide valuable feedback and data to participating companies that will assist them in measuring levels of employee satisfaction and engagement. Now in its seventh year, this program has earned a reputation as one of the most sought-after honors by companies in Dallas-Fort Worth.

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Halliburton Investor Relations was formed in 1990 to provide a superior caliber of investor relations representation to publicly traded companies. The firm's team of experienced professionals develops strategic communications programs designed to produce maximum results. Over the last nineteen years, numerous clients have benefited from HIR's expertise in investor relations, financial communications, corporate governance and disclosure issues. HIR's strategic programs for clients have resulted in broadened share ownership, enhanced trading volume and, over time, an improved stock price. For more information on the company, visit www.HalliburtonIR.com.