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## **GrowthWorks Commercialization Fund Announces Revised Asset Allocation Rules**

**February 10, 2010, Toronto, Ontario** – GrowthWorks Commercialization Fund announced today that it has implemented previously announced and shareholder approved, revised investment allocation rules. These revised rules provide for an earlier pooling of investments among Series of Class A Shares, thereby achieving greater diversification among Series and lowering the overall risk profile. Under the new rules, all previously offered Series participate in a single, pooled venture investment portfolio. The currently offered 10 Series will participate in the pooled venture investment portfolio commencing on a date in March 2010 after the end of the RSP season.

“These changes will result in greater diversification for the Commercialization Fund's investors and further enhance their opportunity for capital appreciation.” said David Levi, President and CEO of GrowthWorks.

Further particulars of the revised investment allocation rules are set out in the Fund's current prospectus.

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