



### Vince Giovinazzo and Nick Della Vedova Recognized Among “Top 100 Most Influential People in Defined Contribution”

January 2010—It is no secret that great organizations are led by great leadership. 401(k) Advisors is proud to announce that **Vince Giovinazzo**, CEO and Founder, and **Nick Della Vedova**, President, were both named among the prestigious “100 Most Influential People in Defined Contribution in 2010” by the 401kWire.com, published January 4, 2010.

Giovinazzo (ranked #19) founded 401(k) Advisors in 2000 with a vision to offer high-quality consulting solutions independent of the plan provider. From humble beginnings, the firm has grown from three employees to 40 employees and \$10 billion in assets under advisement. Della Vedova (ranked #42) joined Vince as partner in 2004, bringing with him extensive sales, marketing and consulting experience.

Additionally, 401(k) Advisors is pleased to announce that several members of its consulting team were recently acknowledged on the “300 Most Influential Advisors in Defined Contribution,” determined by peer recognition, and sponsored by prominent industry influencers 401kWire.com, 401kExchange, Inc. and The Boston Research Group. More than 75,000 votes were cast by industry insiders to compile the national ranking. Those 401(k) Advisors team members awarded include:

- Veronica Paredes, Senior Vice President—Client Service
- Joel Shapiro, Vice President—ERISA Compliance
- Mike Falcone Senior Plan Consultant, Director—Eastern Region
- Todd Hoppock, Senior Plan Consultant

When combined with the 43 nominees of sister company Retirement Plan Advisory Group, the team commanded an impressive 15 percent of the entire national list.

*Thank you for allowing us to share this good news at the start of the New Year!*

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