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**BEHRMAN CAPITAL NAMES RODNEY COHEN PARTNER**

**NEW YORK AND SAN FRANCISCO, April 18, 2005** — Behrman Capital, a private equity investment firm, today announced that Rodney A. Cohen has joined the firm as a Partner.

“Rodney Cohen will make an excellent addition to our team, and we are pleased to welcome him to Behrman Capital,” said Grant G. Behrman, Managing Partner of Behrman Capital. “Rodney’s success over his 16 year career in private equity and corporate finance has covered all aspects of middle market private equity investing. As a partner of Lindsay Goldberg and Bessemer and Bessemer Holdings, including active board representation on six portfolio companies, Rodney was instrumental in many successful value creation initiatives, which included follow-on acquisitions, internal efficiency programs and new product introductions. His collaborative approach with management teams to make good businesses even better will be valuable to our firm. We are excited to have him join us.”

“Behrman Capital has an established track record of building value in their portfolio companies and for their limited partners, and I am very pleased to join the firm,” said Mr. Cohen. “Behrman’s successful strategy of acquiring sound businesses and working with management to create significant value through skilled planning and rigorous execution is very appealing to me. I look forward to working with my colleagues at Behrman.”

Prior to joining Behrman Capital, Mr. Cohen, age 43, was a partner with Lindsay Goldberg and Bessemer and Bessemer Holdings in New York. Mr. Cohen held numerous positions of increasing responsibility over a 12-year career dedicated to sourcing, evaluating, executing and managing private equity investments in a broad range of industries. Prior to joining Bessemer, Mr. Cohen was an associate in the Mergers & Acquisitions Department at Morgan Stanley & Co., Inc., where he performed advisory work focused on the

technology and communications sectors. From 1984 through 1988, Mr. Cohen was actively involved in the public accounting and corporate finance sectors in South Africa.

Mr. Cohen earned an MBA in Finance with Distinction from the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania in 1990. He earned a postgraduate degree in Financial Accounting in 1984 and a Bachelor of Commerce Degree with distinction in 1982, both from the University of The Witwatersrand in South Africa.

Based in New York City and San Francisco, Behrman Capital was founded in 1992 by Grant G. and Darryl G. Behrman. The firm invests in management buyouts, leveraged buildups and recapitalizations of established growth companies. The company's investments are focused primarily in four industries: information technology, contract manufacturing, outsourcing, and healthcare. The firm currently has a combined capital base of \$1.8 billion.

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