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**Irvine Pharmaceutical Services expands to better suit client needs**

IRVINE, CA - Irvine Pharmaceutical Services announces several new changes that have reflected the company's healthy state of growth. Early in 2007, Irvine changed its name to better reflect its breadth in services and depth in expertise; in 2007 alone, the firm has spent well over a million dollars in new equipment and the company's workforce has increased by 30% (including the hire of many well-known and highly-respected senior level managers and scientists).

Irvine has also recently announced the purchase of a 3<sup>rd</sup> building. With a new building scheduled to come early second quarter of 2008 (with approximately 20,000 square feet of lab space), Irvine plans to meet the growing needs of its customers. The new building will allow the addition of several new services (i.e. small-scale manufacturing and to provide clients with more services in the Biopharmaceutical, Structural Chemistry, Analytical Development, and Formulation departments).

Lastly, to better reflect the growth and exciting new brand, Irvine has unveiled the new website, [www.irvinepharma.com](http://www.irvinepharma.com). "Our new site is designed to help visitors become more familiar with our many services, personnel, and history," said Assad J. Kazeminy, CEO and Founder of Irvine Pharmaceutical Services. "Visitors can see the breadth and depth of our services, equipment, job openings, industry news, and much more. Additionally, another added benefit of the website is that it offers our clients the opportunity to request a quote online, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week."

Irvine's current services include method development and validation, analytical quality control, stability storage and testing, comprehensive microbiological support, preformulation and formulation, drug delivery testing, inhalation and nasal product testing and biopharmaceutical support.

**About Irvine**

Irvine Pharmaceutical Services, Inc., a division of IAL Corporation, is a fully integrated contract services provider, working with pharmaceutical, biotechnology and medical device companies through all phases of research and development. The fully cGMP compliant contract testing laboratory was founded in 1988 and is located in Irvine, CA.