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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

### **SHARP MODEL OF ROMEO, MICHIGAN EXTREMELY SATISFIED WITH THEIR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FREEDOM 401(k) PLAN!**

Clarkston, MI, April 25, 2005

Tom Obrecht, Vice President of Sharp Model stated: "Our employees are very impressed. This is the service we have been looking for. When you look at the results of our plan today, compared to where we were with Fifth Third Bank, I wish we would have made the transition sooner."

Roger Walker, President of Sharp Model stated: "I sat through the group meeting and was very impressed with the knowledge of your Retirement Consultants. They are very thorough and efficient in their presentation and do an excellent job of educating the employees. As a result of your face-to-face meetings with each employee, our participation rate has increased with 55 out of 62 participants participating in the plan, deferral percentages increased, and the majority of our employees are investing in the TIP program."

Mark Wayne, President & CEO of Freedom One stated: "As a result of Freedom One's communication abilities, employees of Sharp Model have almost tripled the amounts their employees are saving for retirement. The increase in contribution rates will create tens of thousands of dollars in additional tax savings. More importantly, employees will be substantially better prepared and happier as they move into their retirement."

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