



**North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant Examiners**  
1101 Oberlin Road, Suite 104 • PO Box 12827 • Raleigh NC 27605  
Phone (919) 733-4222 • Facsimile (919) 733-4209 • Web [www.nccpaboard.gov](http://www.nccpaboard.gov)

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

December 20, 2007

For more information, contact:

Robert N. Brooks, Executive Director (919) 733-1425 [rbrooks@nccpaboard.gov](mailto:rbrooks@nccpaboard.gov)  
Lisa R. Hearne, Communications Manager (919) 733-4208 [lhearne@nccpaboard.gov](mailto:lhearne@nccpaboard.gov)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **THREE LICENSED AS CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS**

**Raleigh**—On December 19, 2007, the North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant Examiners licensed the following individuals as Certified Public Accountants (CPAs) in the State of North Carolina:

<b>License No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>City/State</b>
33328	Gary L. Bode	Leland, NC
33330	Robert Keller Duggan	Charlotte, NC
33329	Cortney Marie McKinney	Eden, NC

Applicants for licensure are required to pass the Uniform CPA Examination and satisfy the education, work experience, and moral character requirements of the Board. A CPA certified to practice in North Carolina must annually renew his or her license and complete at least 40 hours of Continuing Professional Education (CPE), including two or four hours of ethics. North Carolina has more than 17,000 actively licensed CPAs.

*Established by Chapter 93 of the North Carolina General Statutes, the State Board of CPA Examiners is an occupational licensing board that grants certificates of qualification as CPAs to those individuals who meet the legal requirements. The Board also adopts and enforces the rules of professional ethics and conduct to be observed by CPAs in North Carolina. The Board, which is considered an independent State agency, is composed of seven members appointed by the Governor for three-year terms. Five members must be holders of valid and unrevoked NC CPA certificates as issued by the Board in accordance with the NC General Statutes. The remaining two members, who cannot be CPAs, represent the interests of the public-at-large.*

###