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EMPO Corporation Named Minnesota Black Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year

MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, November 4, 2009—EMPO Corporation named Minnesota Black Chamber of Commerce (MBCC) Business of the Year—Over \$10 Million.

EMPO Corporation CEO and President Alan Reid stated, “I am truly humbled and honored to receive this award. Like MBCC, EMPO Corporation believes we have a responsibility to help better our community. We truly look forward to supporting MBCC’s efforts within Minnesota.”

The Minnesota Black Chamber of Commerce will honor EMPO at its annual Umoja (Unity) Awards Ceremony on Friday, November 6 at the Radisson Hotel in downtown Minneapolis. Each year, the awards ceremony and dinner recognizes outstanding business achievements of the African American community and those working as advocates of the business community.

The MBCC is a 501(c) 3 nonprofit established in 2005 affiliated with the National Black Chamber of Commerce. It is a vibrant business association representing the African American business community. The vision of the chamber is to promote and improve the general welfare, prosperity, and inter-connectedness of the community of African descent. The MBCC serves as a clearing house for business information and opportunity, as a business advocate, and as a referral and development resource.

ABOUT EMPO CORPORATION

Founded in 1999 and celebrating its 10th anniversary, EMPO Corporation is a leading Minnesota Human Resource Outsourcing (HRO) and Professional Employer Organization (PEO) servicing clients across the United States. EMPO services all markets with specialties in the manufacturing, general contracting, professional services, and nonprofit sectors. Visit www.empocorp.com for more information.

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