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## ***NACVA CEO Named One of Top 100 Most Influential People***

Salt Lake City, UT—Parnell Black, chief executive officer of the National Association of Certified Valuation Analysts (NACVA) was selected as one of the Top 100 Most Influential People for 2005 by *Accounting Today* magazine, his sixth successive time being so honored. He is among an elite roster of accountants, attorneys, regulators, educators, senators, attorneys general and representatives from the vendor community.

Each year the editorial staff at *Accounting Today* draws up a broad list of candidates which is painstakingly whittled down to 100. Readers submit suggestions for inclusion as well. Black was selected because NACVA has gained a solid toehold in several of the profession's hottest consulting niches such as valuation, litigation support and fraud deterrence.

Black started NACVA in 1991, and it has grown to an association of over 6,000 members serving the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) and professional valuation/consulting community. NACVA has 38 employees, offers 70 different seminars and conferences in business valuation, litigation support, fraud deterrence and related topics and offers a variety of other services, products and research to support the profession.

Black is known as the "go to" guy in business consulting circles. He was featured as an industry leader in a cover story for *Practical Accountant* in June, "The Widening and Changing Scope of Valuation Services." Most recently he was recognized for NACVA's Katrina Relief Efforts. New Orleans member Ralph Litolff called NACVA to say he is very grateful for NACVA's offering help in getting his business back on its feet. "No other membership organization that I am involved in has offered ANY help to victims; NACVA is going the extra mile for their members."



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