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Sharemark's Advisers' Network sees a record growth as Gannons joins

- Sharemark welcomes Gannons Solicitors to its Advisers' Network
 - Number of advisers grows by 50% in the past year

8 March 2010 - Sharemark, a leading alternative share-trading platform, today announced Gannons Solicitors has joined its Advisers' Network. This admission sees the number of advisers in the network increase by 50% over the last 12 months.

Sophie Douglas, manager of Sharemark, said: "Gannons is a like-minded organisation we're keen to work with. As two companies offering quality at an affordable price, together we can offer potential traded clients a complete cost-efficient solution to suit their requirements. The recent growth in the network goes to prove more and more companies are recognising the benefits of joining our adviser community."

Gannons provides high-quality commercial advice for businesses around the globe. Acting principally for owner managed, entrepreneur-driven SMEs and private companies, its core practice areas are company and commercial law, including risk analysis, dispute resolution and building businesses. Gannons also provides private individuals with asset protection and wealth management advice.

Catherine Gannon, managing director of Gannons, said: "Gannons is delighted to be part of the Sharemark Advisers' Network. Sharemark is a growing modern company with a great business idea which fills a gap in the market. Similarly, Gannons is a growing modern law firm which fills a gap in the market by providing quality advice at an affordable price."

The main criteria for joining the Advisers' Network is the ability to demonstrate an understanding of Sharemark and the benefits it affords to traded companies. In return Sharemark offers advisers the chance to increase their number of referrals, tap into new revenue streams and exploit additional marketing opportunities.

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About Sharemark

Sharemark is a periodic auction-based dealing facility designed primarily for either the single or dual trading of emerging or smaller companies. Its website www.sharemark.com shows bids to buy and offers to sell. The price is set at each auction by calculating the single price at which as many orders as possible will be filled. Auction frequency is generally determined by the number of shareholders a company has and the likely trading volumes.

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Gannons is a specialist commercial firm of solicitors based in Holborn serving clients from the City, West End, Covent Garden, as well as other areas of London, the UK and internationally.

Gannons offers a range of legal services to business and individuals clients and is committed to achieving their clients' objectives in the most practical and cost-effective way to provide them with a clear return on their investment.

Gannons aim to provide a personal and efficient service to its clients. Specifically, its expertise covers five areas: analysing risk, protection of assets, managing wealth, resolving disputes and building businesses.