

PADGETT BUSINESS SERVICES WHERE YOUR SUCCESS TAKES ROOT

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KAREN JEROME PREPARES FOR THE UPCOMING TAX SEASON

Ottawa, Ontario (Dec.15, 2007) – Karen Jerome of Padgett Business Services serving the Ottawa area, recently attended a Tax Seminar in Toronto, On. This three-day educational seminar, sponsored by Padgett Business Services corporate headquarters, is designed to prepare Padgett offices for the upcoming tax season.

Topics covered this year included: 2007 Tax Legislation and Canada Revenue Agency updates, Small Business and Individual Taxpayer Issues, Trust and Estate Topics, Investment Strategies, and Retirement Planning.

"Every year there are changes in tax law that can impact both individuals and small business owners," said Ms. Jerome. "With this seminar, I go into the tax season better equipped to help my clients with their business and tax planning needs."

Since 1966, Padgett has provided financial reporting and tax consulting services to independent business owners throughout North America. The local operation is part of a network of over 400 independently owned and operated Padgett offices throughout North America.

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About Padgett Business Services

For over 40 years, Padgett Business Services has catered to the individual needs of small business owners through a network of 400 local owner-operated offices. By way of personal relationships and efficient service, they provide peace of mind to help their clients' businesses increase their success. Padgett offers small business advice and consultation, tax preparation, government compliance, financial reporting, complete payroll services, and other services important to small businesses.