## **Press Release**

## Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners lawyer receives 2011 ILO Client Choice Award

Partner Rosario Zaccà is awarded for M&A in Italy

London, 3 March 2011 – International law firm Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners is delighted to announce that Partner Rosario Zaccà has been awarded exclusive winner of the 2011 International Law Office (ILO) Client Choice Award in the M&A category for Italy.

Established in 2005, the ILO Client Choice Awards recognize law firms and partners around the world that stand apart for the excellent client care and the quality of their service. The criteria for the awards are focused on a lawyer's ability to add real value to clients' business, above and beyond other players in the market.

Nominations are made exclusively by senior corporate counsels and this year's award involved over 2,000 international lawyers' individual assessments.

Rosario is widely regarded as a leading lawyer with 20 years' experience as a corporate and M&A practitioner. He also specialises in private equity and has a significant expertise in joint ventures and multi-jurisdictional transactions. As a member of the firm's "Chindia desk", he has extensive experience in assisting Indian and Chinese companies in their activities in Italy, and Italian companies investing in China and India.

Tomaso Cenci, Managing Partner of Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners, commented: "Rosario perfectly represents our commitment to providing clients with excellent legal advice and value for money. We are very pleased to receive positive feed-back to this end from the market".

## Notes to Editor:

• The Firm was named "Italy Law Firm of the Year" at the 2010 IFLR Awards. It is the third time the firm receives this award; it also won in 2004 and in 2006.

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<sup>•</sup> Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners is an international law firm with over 330 lawyers distributed in the offices of Rome, Milan, Bologna, Padua, Turin, Abu Dhabi, Brussels, London and New York.

<sup>•</sup> The Firm is considered among the leaders in Italy in global business services and is active in the field of M&A, Corporate, Banking and Finance, Capital Markets, Antitrust and Regulatory, Real Estate, Litigation and Arbitration, Restructuring, Public Law and Tenders, Environmental, Projects, Tax, Labour and IP.