

## **NBPE Announces Financial Results for the Period Ending 30 June 2010**

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NB Private Equity Partners Limited (“NBPE” or “the Company”) today released its Interim Financial Report and unaudited financial statements for the period ending 30 June 2010.

From 31 December 2009 to 30 June 2010, NBPE’s unaudited net asset value (“NAV”) increased by \$1.8 million to \$9.50 per share. This represents an increase of 0.4% compared to the audited NAV per share of \$9.46 at 31 December 2009.

During the first half of the year, NBPE’s private equity investment portfolio had net realized losses of \$2.8 million. The portfolio experienced net unrealized gains of \$8.9 million associated with privately held investments and \$7.3 million associated with credit-related fund investments. The net unrealized loss for public equity securities was \$2.6 million during the period. Investment income, operating expenses (including interest expense), foreign exchange translation and taxes led to a \$9.0 million decrease in net asset value.

The fair value of NBPE’s private equity portfolio as presented in the Interim Financial Report was based on the following information:

- 66% of the private equity fair value was held in private equity funds using valuation information through 30 June 2010
- 16% of the private equity fair value was held in private co-investments using valuation information through 30 June 2010
- 9% of the private equity fair value was held in publicly traded securities that were re-valued as of 30 June 2010
- 9% of the private equity fair value was held in private equity funds and co-investments using valuation information through 31 March 2010

The Interim Financial Report for the period ending 30 June 2010 is available on the Company’s website at [www.nbprivateequitypartners.com](http://www.nbprivateequitypartners.com) and should be read in conjunction with this announcement.

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## **About NB Private Equity Partners Limited**

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