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**MIDWOOD SECURITIES' GAIL DUDACK TO RECEIVE  
MARKET TECHNICIANS ASSOCIATION'S  
2007 ANNUAL AWARD**

**NEW YORK, May 15, 2007**—Gail M. Dudack, CMT, has been selected by the Market Technicians Association (MTA) to receive their 2007 Annual Award in recognition of outstanding accomplishments in technical analysis and service to the Association. Ms. Dudack is a managing partner and chief investment strategist of Dudack Research Group (DRG), a division of Midwood Securities, Inc.

“We are delighted a member of our team has been chosen to receive this award. It underscores Gail’s dedication to providing clients with value-added analysis to help them develop and implement strategies fitting their specific investment styles and objectives,” Terry March, chairman, Midwood Securities, said.

The award will be presented May 19 during the Association’s Annual Education Seminar in New York City. The seminar begins May 18.

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**MTA Is Market Analysis Professionals' Association in U.S.**

The MTA, a not-for-profit association incorporated in 1973, is the national organization of market analysis professionals in the United States. Total membership in the MTA is more than 2,500. While most of the members and affiliates are located in the U.S., 56 countries also are represented. Members include technical analysts, portfolio managers, traders, investment advisors, market letter writers and others involved in the technical aspects of equities, futures, options, fixed income securities, currencies, international markets, and derivatives, among other instruments. The Chartered Market Technician (CMT) designation is the culmination of a certification process in which candidates are required to demonstrate proficiency in a broad range of technical analysis of the financial markets. The MTA is responsible for the creation, overseeing, administration and regulation of the Chartered Market Technician (CMT) designation. For additional information, please visit [www.mta.org](http://www.mta.org)

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