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INFORMATION RELEASE:

EXECUTIVE RISK SERVICES ANNOUNCES ADDITIONAL STRENGTH TO ITS RAPIDLY GROWING UNDERWRITING TEAM

Scott M. Saddington, Chief Underwriting Officer of *Executive Risk Services*, is pleased to announce the appointment of Adam Briklyn as the newest member of its underwriting team. Adam will hold the position of Senior Vice President and will be responsible for the performance of Financial Lines across Canada.

Adam brings to his position a wealth of experience in Directors and Officers liability and Fiduciary liability insurance. He is expected to play an important role in the introduction of a new fiduciary product that *Executive Risk Services* will launch in the near future.

"Adam's market experience, both in Canada and the U.S., reflects the continuing commitment that we have made to Canadian brokers and our mutual clients to provide them with only the most qualified and senior underwriting expertise", stated Saddington.

Prior to joining *Executive Risk Services* Adam was a Vice President with Marsh Canada, and was a senior member of its Executive Risk Practice.

Executive Risk Services is dedicated exclusively to serving the needs of Directors and Officers of Canadian public and private corporations, income trusts, governments and not-for-profit organizations. We address risk through two separate services: Directors and Officers liability insurance; and board-effectiveness and executive compensation consulting.

Executive Risk Services is a Lloyd's coverholder, with insurance capacity 100% provided by certain underwriters at Lloyd's of London through a Managing General Underwriting Agreement.

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