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## **Kevin Beirne Joins Renaissance Associates' New York City Office to Lead Forensic Accounting Practice**

New York, NY - April 15, 2014 Kevin Beirne has joined Renaissance Associates, Ltd., a leading investigations and computer forensics consultancy, to lead their Forensic Accounting practice out of their newly opened New York City office. Mr. Beirne has 17 years of experience providing comprehensive financial investigative and dispute advisory services to top companies and law firms, as well as government agencies. In his role leading Renaissance's Forensic Accounting practice, Mr. Beirne will be responsible for providing investigative response, assessment, strategy, and the highest level of service delivery by performing financial, accounting and operational analyses for clients impacted by fraud, subject to investigations, involved in business disputes or with contractual compliance needs.

Renaissance also announces today that Mark Reichel and Gerard Caulfield, both experienced Certified Public Accountants, Certified Fraud Examiners and former auditors, have joined the Renaissance Associates' New York City office, and will contribute their skills and expertise alongside Mr. Beirne in the Forensic Accounting practice.

"Kevin is a seasoned financial investigator and litigation advisor who has a proven track record of gaining the trust and respect of his clients through his staunch commitment to solving their problems," commented John La Perla, Renaissance Associates' founder and highly decorated, former Postal Inspector. "With the addition of Kevin, Mark, and Gerard, we are prepared to meet the needs of our growing client base by increasing the depth and dimension of our forensic accounting capabilities which complement our well-established expertise in traditional investigations and computer forensics," added Kevin Barrows, Renaissance Associates' Managing Partner and former FBI Special Agent.

Prior to joining Renaissance Associates, Mr. Beirne led forensic accounting engagements for global and national accounting firms, including approximately 13 years at PricewaterhouseCoopers, where he was a Director, focused on litigation consulting and financial investigations. Most recently, Mr. Beirne helped to launch the Litigation and Forensic Accounting practice in New York for a well-known national accounting firm.

Mr. Beirne commented, "I am excited about the opportunity to open Renaissance Associates' New York City office, and together, with Mark and Gerard, we look forward to building on the stellar reputation of the firm, offering our clients a full suite of investigative services, including forensic accounting."

## About Renaissance Associates, Ltd.

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