



CANACCORD GENUITY WEALTH MANAGEMENT ADDS SENIOR INVESTMENT DIRECTOR TO LONDON INVESTMENT TEAM

LONDON- December 14, 2015- Canaccord Genuity Wealth Management (UK) is pleased to announce that Charles Cohen has agreed to join its investment team as a Senior Investment Director. Based in London, Charles will focus on delivering discretionary portfolio management and advisory services to private clients, while leveraging the broader global resources and expertise available through the firm's centralised investment process.

"Charles brings an exceptional track record of delivering tailored investment solutions and client service, which makes him a welcome addition to our wealth management operations," said David Esfandi, CEO of Canaccord Genuity Wealth Management in the UK. "As we continue to expand our offering for both advisors and clients, we are increasingly attracting established and reputable professionals to our differentiated platform."

Charles brings three decades of portfolio management experience to his role. Having started his career with Cazenove & Co as a private client investment manager, Charles went on to spend 13 years as an institutional stockbroker with UBS Warburg. In 2002, he returned to private client investment management with Border Asset Management, where he was a Director and Chief Investment Officer, with responsibility for growing funds under management and developing the firm's investment process. Most recently, Charles worked with Sanlam Private Investments, where he was a member of the Asset Allocation Committee and responsible for managing a core team of investment professionals as Head of Private Clients for three offices in the North of England.

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