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NEW YORK, March 20, 2014– Canaccord Genuity is pleased to announce that Henry P. Williams has joined the firm as Managing Director, Head of Maritime, Energy Services & Infrastructure. Mr. Williams will work from the firm’s US headquarters in New York City.

“I am pleased to welcome Henry to Canaccord Genuity’s investment banking team,” said Dan Daviau, President of Canaccord Genuity Inc. (US). “With over 30 years of extensive debt, equity and advisory experience, Henry’s deep sector knowledge will enhance our US investment banking capabilities in the energy value chain.”

Mr. Williams will focus on a broad range of assignments, including public offerings, private placements, and mergers and acquisitions advisory work. He will be responsible for Canaccord Genuity’s banking efforts focused on the maritime shipping/offshore, energy services and energy infrastructure sectors.

Mr. Williams recently served as Managing Director, Global Sector Head-Shipping, Corporate Finance at Nordea Markets and previously as Managing Director and Head of US Investment Banking. Prior to Nordea, he served as Managing Director – Head of Energy & Transportation Investment Banking at Oppenheimer & Co. Mr. Williams holds a MBA from New York University Leonard N. Stern School of Business and a BA from Rollins College.

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