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Guy Carpenter Hires Kansas City-based Direct Reinsurance Team from Endurance Re

New York, April 2, 2014 – Guy Carpenter & Company, LLC, a leading global risk and reinsurance specialist and member of Marsh & McLennan Companies (NYSE: MMC), today announced that it has hired the Kansas City-based Direct Reinsurance team from a subsidiary of Endurance Specialty Holdings Ltd. (NYSE:ENH). At the same time, Guy Carpenter also announced the opening of a new office in Kansas City, Missouri.

"The hiring of Endurance's locally-based team, with their significant experience providing Property and Casualty reinsurance, demonstrates our ongoing commitment to and investment in our U.S. Regional Insurance and Mutual Company business. As Guy Carpenter brokers, the team will now have access to the full resources of our firm, enabling them to deliver to clients a broader array of services and greater coverage across their entire reinsurance program," said Andrew Marcell, Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of U.S. operations at Guy Carpenter.

Christopher Donelan, President and Chief Underwriting Officer of Endurance Re U.S., said: "We would like to thank the team for their service since joining Endurance in 2006. This is a great success all around – for the team, who can grow professionally; for Endurance, as it continues to support long-standing clients while expanding its commitment to the regional reinsurance space; and for Guy Carpenter, who gains a seasoned team of professionals with long-standing relationships and a great reputation in the industry. Endurance is committed to the regional reinsurance business for the long-term and will be working with Guy Carpenter and others to expand that business. We appreciate the long-term relationships between our clients and Endurance and we fully intend to retain the accounts underwritten by the Direct Reinsurance team as they transition to their new roles as brokers at Guy Carpenter."

"We are excited about the addition of our new team in Kansas City," Mr. Marcell said. "We welcome their expertise and the strong relationships that they have built with their clients over the years. They will complement Guy Carpenter's unparalleled depth of knowledge about the U.S. Regional Insurance and Mutual Company marketplace and enhance our ability to deliver highly differentiated solutions and outstanding service to our clients."

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